



CME INSTRUCTIONS: HYBRID ANATOMO-FUNCTIONAL IMAGING OF CORONARY ARTERY DISEASE: BENEFICIAL IRRESPECTIVE OF ITS CORE COMPONENTS

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The following gaps in knowledge have been identified in clinical practice demonstrating the learner's need to acquire the skills and strategies presented in this CME activity.

- Noninvasive testing for coronary artery disease imaging requires the appropriate integration of results from competing imaging tests (performance gap).
- Availability of novel integration methods to combine different tests in a logical pattern of hybrid imaging presents a need for updated educational programs (knowledge gap).
- Individualized utilization of novel hybrid anatomic-functional imaging tests is important in clinical practice

TARGET AUDIENCE

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OVERALL PURPOSE

The purpose of this CME activity in the Journal of Nuclear Cardiology is to increase the learners' competence in the application of nuclear cardiology strategies in clinical practice.

OBJECTIVES

After reading and reflecting upon this article in the Journal Nuclear Cardiology, the learner should be able to

1. List the main features of competing noninvasive tests for coronary artery disease;
2. List reasons for choosing a specific noninvasive test for coronary artery disease; and
3. List benefits and drawbacks of anatomic imaging tests, functional imaging tests, and their combination in a hybrid noninvasive diagnostic strategy for coronary artery disease

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