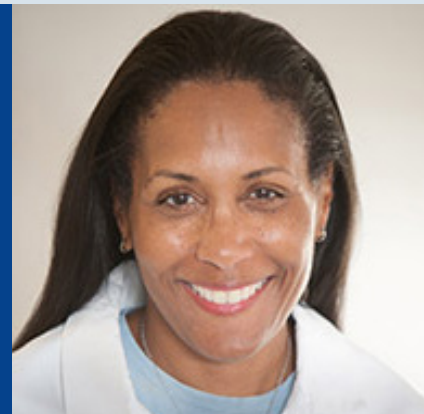


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## Overcoming Access Barriers and Practice Challenges to PCSK9 Inhibitor Implementation

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**Denton A. Cooley Auditorium  
Room C060**

At the conclusion of this conference, participants should be able to:

- Review the latest clinical trial evidence supporting the use of PCSK9 inhibitor therapies within the secondary prevention of cardiovascular events.
- Examine updates to guideline recommendations and expert consensus statements regarding the role of non- statin therapies for the treatment of hypercholesterolemia and management of established CVD.
- Identify specific patient populations that would benefit from LDL-C lowering utilizing PCSK9 inhibitor therapies.
- Develop strategies to overcome barriers that preclude access to PCSK9 inhibitors despite FDA-approved indications, including prior authorizations, Insurance denials, and inconsistencies in the interpretation of prescription language.
- Translate the latest evidence, updated guidelines, and potential resolutions to access-related barriers to the individualized and targeted treatment of hypercholesterolemia and management of established CVD.

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