

Congestive Heart Failure

The resident will be able to identify the two broad categories:

1. Systolic Heart Failure
2. Diastolic Heart Failure

The resident will be able to describe:

1. Clinical presentation of CHF
2. Appropriate History, Physical examination, Differential diagnosis, Investigations:
3. Appropriate approach to therapy
 - a. Non-Pharmacological:
 - i. Treatment for underlying or precipitating causes of heart failure
 - ii. Lifestyle changes
 - b. Pharmacological:
4. How to access current clinical guidelines/algorithms.

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