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INFORMATION:

Office Address: Medical Intensive Care Unit
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CERTIFICATION: Board Certification: American Board of Internal Medicine
Date of Certification: 09/15/1982
Date of Re-certification: Indefinitely

Specialty Board: Cardiovascular Disease
Date of Certification: 11/11/1987
Date of Re-certification: Indefinitely

EDUCATION: Undergraduate: University of North Carolina
Chapel Hill, North Carolina
1968 - 1973
Bachelor of Arts, cum laude

Medical Education: University of North Carolina
Chapel Hill, North Carolina
1973-1977
M.D., cum laude

Internship: University of Texas Health Science Center
Internal Medicine
San Antonio, Texas
1979 - 1980
Department Chair: Jay Stein M.D.

Residency: Case Western Reserve University Medical
School, University-Hospital
Internal Medicine
Cleveland, Ohio
1980 - 1982
Department Chair: Charles C.J Carpenter
M.D.

Fellowship: University of Minnesota School of Medicine
Cardiology
Minneapolis, Minnesota
1983 -1986
Department Chair: Thomas Ferris M.D.

Fellowship: University of North Carolina School of
Medicine
Research Assistant
Chapel Hill, North Carolina
1974 - 1975

University of North Carolina School of
Medicine
Summer Research Fellow
Chapel Hill, North Carolina
1976

**PROFESSIONAL
EXPERIENCE: -**

2010
Professor of Medicine
Georgetown University
Washington, D.C.

1996
Associate Professor of Medicine
Georgetown University
Washington, D.C.

1994
Co-Director, Heart Failure Service
Georgetown University
Washington, D.C.

1989-present
Chief, Medical Intensive Care Unit
Veterans Affairs Medical Center
Washington, DC

1989 – present
Staff Physician
Georgetown University Hospital
Washington, D.C.

1988 - 1989

Private Practice
Washington, D.C. and Northern Virginia

1987 - 1988
Title: Chief Coronary Care Unit
Detroit Receiving Hospital
Detroit, Michigan

1986 - 1988
Staff Cardiologist
Wayne State University
Detroit, Michigan

1986 – 1987
Staff Physician, Division of Cardiology
Harper Hospital
Detroit, Michigan

1986 - 1988
Instructor, School of Medicine
Wayne State University
Detroit, Michigan

1984 - 1986
University of Minnesota
Minneapolis, Minnesota
School of Medicine
Instructor

1982 - 1983
Instructor, School of Medicine
Case Western Reserve
Cleveland, Ohio

1982 – 1983
Staff Physician
Cleveland Metropolitan Hospital
Cleveland, Ohio

1982 – 1983
Firm Director, Department of Medicine
Cleveland Metropolitan Hospital
Cleveland, Ohio

**HONORS and
AWARDS:**

1968 - 1972
Dean's List,

University of North Carolina

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES:

1982 – 1983, Member, Cuyahoga County Medical Society, Past

1983 – 1986, Member, Hennepin County Medical Society, Past
1986- present , Member, American Heart Association

1986- present , Member, American College of Cardiology

1997- present, Member, Heart Failure Society of America

Date, Fellow, American College of Cardiology

PUBLIC SERVICE:
list professional service
on editorial boards,
Study Sections, as well
as any community or
public service (national
and international
organizations)

Reviewer
Journal of Congestive Heart Failure
2000-Present

Reviewer
American Heart Journal
2001-Present

Reviewer
JACC
2000-Present

Reviewer
Circulation
2001-present

Abstract Reviewer
American Heart Association
1994 – Present

Abstract Reviewer
American College of Cardiology
1996 - Present

Abstract Reviewer
Heart Failure Society America
1998 – Present

Member
Planning Committee, Veterans Affairs Cooperative Study #368 -
VANQUISH Trial

1991

Member

Executive Committee, Veterans Affairs Cooperative Study #368

VANQUISH Trial

1992 – 1996

Member

Planning Committee, Veterans Affairs Cooperative Study #395

Beta Blocker Evaluation Survival Trial – “BEST”

1992 - 1993

Member

Endpoints Committee, PRAISE Study

1993 -1995

Member

Steering Committee, NIH-Veterans Affairs Cooperative Study

"BEST"

1993 - 1999

Member

Endpoints Committee, "VEST"

1995 - 1998

Co-Chairmen

Endpoints Committee, "BEST"

1995 – 1998

Member

Steering Committee, PRAISE II Study

1995 - 2000

Chairman

Endpoints Committee Val HeFT

1997 - 2000

Chairman

Events Committee, COPERNICUS

1997 - 2000

Member

Endpoint Committee RENAISSANCE/RECOVER

1998 – 2002

Member

Endpoint Committee OVERTURE
1999 – 2002

Member
Chairman Endpoint Committee COMPANION
2000 - 2004

Member
DATA Monitoring Board CSP #410 FEAST
2000 - present

Chairman
Endpoints Committee EMOTE
2001 - 2004

Member
Endpoints Committee ESSENTIAL
2002 - 2004

Chairman
Endpoint Committee AAHeFT
2002 – 2004

Member
HFSA Program Committee
2002-2004

Co - principal Investigator
I-PRESERVE
2002 - 2010

Member
Endpoints Committee FUSION II
2004 - 2007

Member
Endpoints Committee EVEREST
2004 - 2007

Member
Endpoints Committee ORQIS
2004 – 2006

Chairman
Endpoints Committee STICH
2004- 2011

Member
Data Monitoring Board RED-HF
2006 – 2012

Chairman
Endpoints Committee PRECEDE
2007- 2009

Member
Endpoints Committee PROTECT
2007- 2009

Member
Endpoints Committee CHAMPION
2007 – 2011

Member
Endpoints Committee HOPE4F
2009 - 2010

HFSA Guidelines Committee
2010 -present

Member
Endpoints committee LAPTOP study
2011-2015

Member
Endpoint Committee RELAX AHF 2
2013 – present

Member
Endpoint committee RESPCARDIA pivotal study
2014-present

Member
Endpoint committee PREserve AMI
2014

Chairman
Data Monitoring Board OCEAN Trial

2014- 2015

Chairman
Endpoint Committee CAT-HF
2014- 2016

Chairman
Endpoint Committee STICHES
2014 –present

Chairman
Endpoint Committee – RELAX Asia
2014 –present

Member
Endpoint Committee CardioMems
2015 – present

Chairman
Endpoint Committee FIX-HF-5C
2015 – present

Member
Data Member – PRIME-HF
2016 - 2018

Chairman
Clinical events committee–EMPEROR Study
2017- present

Chairman
Anthem – HF
2019–

Member
Diamond–HF
2019–

Member
FDA cardiorenal advisory committee
Term 2019–2023

**INVITED
LECTURES:**

Co-Chairman, Clinical Trials Session
American Heart Association - Anaheim, CA
November 1995

Calcium Channel Antagonists in Heart Failure: Results of the
PRAISE Trial
Argentine Congress of Cardiology - Buenos Aires, Argentina
October 1996

Heart Failure: Results of PRAISE.
Portuguese Heart Association - Oporto, Portugal
November 1996

Co-Chairman, Beta-Blocker in Heart Failure
American College of Cardiology
November 1996

Beta Blocker Therapy in Heart Failure
UMDNJ
January 1997

Calcium Channel Blockers in Heart Failure
Thailand Heart Association - Bangkok, Thailand
March 1997

Medical Economic Issues in Heart Failure
American College of Cardiology Symposium - Anaheim CA
March 1997

B Symposium –eta Blockers in Heart Failure
Fifth International Heart Failure - Washington, DC
May 1997

Symposium –Advances in Beta Blocker Therapy
Heart Failure Society America - Baltimore, MD
September 1997

Case Presentation: Beta Blockade in Heart Failure
American Heart Association Symposium - Orlando FL
November 1997

Cardiology Grand Rounds - New Concepts in Heart Failure
University of California, Irvine

November 1997

Symposium – Peripheral Syndromes of Heart Failure
American College of Cardiology - New Orleans LA
March 1998

Ischemic and Hypertension Effects
Philippine National Congress of Cardiology - Manila, Philippines
May 1998

Symposium – Clinical use of Calcium Channel Blocker.
American Society of Hypertension
May 1998

Symposium – Beta-Blockers in Heart Failure
Fifth International Heart Failure - Geneva Switzerland
May 1998

Pathophysiology of Heart Failure.
Argentina National Congress - Buenos Aires Argentina
June 1998

Moderator – Clinical Trial Workshop
Heart Failure Society America - Boca Raton FL
September 1998

Co-Chairman, Transplant issues and Heart Failure
American Heart Association – Dallas Texas
November 1998

Symposium – Clinical use of Beta. Blockers in Heart Failure
European Society of Cardiology - Barcelona, Spain
August 1999

Symposium – Implementing Therapy with Beta-Blockers
European Society Cardiology - Barcelona, Spain
August 1999

Symposium – Angiotensin Receptor Blockers in Heart Failure
Brazil Congress of Cardiology - Recife, Brazil
September 1999

Symposium – Clinical Trials of Angiotensin Receptor Blockers in
Heart Failure
Heart Failure Society America – San Francisco, CA
September 1999

Symposium – Angiotensin Receptor Blockers in Heart Failure
Turkish Congress of Cardiology – Izmir Turkey
October 1999

Symposium – Calcium Channel Antagonists in Heart Failure:
PRAISE
Advanced Drug Research in Cardiology – 3rd International Meeting
Monte Carlo, Monaco
December 1999

Co-Chairman. Heart Failure with Preserved Systolic Function
American College of Cardiology - Anaheim CA
March 2000

Symposium Beta - Blocker The Optimal Therapy for Heart Failure.
Egyptian National Congress of Cardiology - Cairo Egypt
February 2000

Symposium – Clinical Trials
European Society of Cardiology – Amsterdam Holland
August 2000

Angiotensin Receptor Blockers
Brazilian Congress of Cardiology - Rio De Janeiro Brazil
August 2000

Plenary Session: Racial Difference in Response in Heart Failure
Therapy
Heart Failure Society of America - Boca Raton Florida
September 2000

Symposium – System Burden of Heart Failure
Fourth International Annual Renin Angiotensin - Monte Carlo,
Monaco
January 2001

Symposium
Asia Pacific Cardiology Congress - Bali Indonesia
May 2001

Moderator Clinical Trials - Late Breaking Heart Failure
Society of America - Washington DC
September 2001

Clinical Trials Symposium

Asia/Pacific Society of Cardiology - Hong Kong
Nov 2001

Symposium – Clinical Trials
European Society of Cardiology - Stockholm, Sweden
August 2001

Symposium – Clinical Trials.
European Society of Cardiology - Berlin, Germany
August 2002

Symposium – Clinical Trials
European Society of Cardiology – Vienna, Austria
August 2003

Symposium – Clinical Trials
European Society of Cardiology – Munich, Germany
August 2004

Symposium -- Clinical Trials
European Society of Cardiology – Barcelona, Spain
September 2006

Discussant – Late Breaking Clinical Trials
America College of Cardiology - Atlanta, Georgia
March 2008

Symposium – Clinical Trials
European Society of Cardiology – Munich, Germany
September 2008

Late Breaking Clinical Trials
American Heart Association – New Orleans , Louisiana
November 2008

Keynote Address
Taiwan Cardiology Society – Taipei, Taiwan
December 2008

Late Breaking Clinical Trials
Japan Circulation Society – Osaka Japan
March 2009

**UNIVERSITY
SERVICE:**

Department
Chairman

Critical Care Committee, Detroit Receiving Hospital
1987 - 1989

Chairman
Code Blue Committee, Veterans Affairs Medical Center,
1989 - 2005

Chairman
Medical Intensive Care Unit Committee, Veterans Affairs Medical
Center
1989 – present

Member
Institutional Review Board (IRB), Veterans Affairs Medical Center
1992 – 1994

Member
Medical Primary Care Committee, Veterans Affairs Medical Center
1994 – 1997

Member
Education and Development Committee, Veterans Affairs Medical
Center
1996 – 1997

Research and Development (R&D Committee), Veterans Affairs
Medical Center
2004 - Present

University

Member
Georgetown-Washington Hospital Center, Fellowship Selection
Committee
2007– Present

**TEACHING
ACTIVITIES:**

Clerkships

Name of Clerkship: Coronary Care Unit
Role: Attending
Number of Direct Contact Hours*: 2-4 months/year; 8 additional
weekends/year
Year Taught: 1989 to present
Number of Students/House staff/fellow: 6-10

Name of Clerkship: General Medical Wards
Role: Attending
Number of Direct Contact Hours*: 2 weeks/year
Year Taught: 2000 to present
Number of Students/House staff: 2-4

Course/Clerkship Directorships

Currently formulating a Cardiology elective for Georgetown George Washington House Staff and Students

Average number of Fellows you train per year = 12
Average number of Residents you train per year = 30

SCHOLARSHIP AND RESEARCH:

RESEARCH GRANTS

Previous

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC

Title of Project: Multicenter, randomized, double blind, placebo-controlled study of the effects of KW-3902 injectable emulsion on heart failure signs and symptoms and renal function in subjects with acute heart failure syndrome and renal impairment who are hospitalized for volume overload and require intravenous diuretic therapy.

Dates of Project Period: 2008-2009

Role on Project: Principal Investigator

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC

Title of Project: Effects of candesartan on mortality and morbidity in patients with chronic heart failure: the CHARM

Dates of Project Period: 1999 - 2003

Role on Project: PI

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC

Title of Project: Warfarin and Antiplatelet Therapy in Chronic Heart Failure (WATCH)

Dates of Project Period: 1999-2004

Role on Project: PI

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC

Title of Project: Effect of Moxonidine in Chronic Heart Failure (MOXCON)

Dates of Project Period: 1998-1999

Role on Project: PI

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Title of Project: Effect of Carvedilol on Survival In Severe Heart Failure (COPERNICUS)
Dates of Project Period: 1997-2000
Role on Project: PI

Title of Project: PRAISE II - A Randomized, Double-Blind, Dose-Titration, Parallel Group, Placebo-Controlled Study to Evaluate the Effects of Amlodipine on Mortality and Morbidity in Patients with Severe Heart Failure
Dates of Project Period: 1996-2000
Role on Project: PI

Agency: VAMC, Washington, DC- Georgetown University Medical

Identifying Number:
Title of Project: BEST - Beta Blocker Evaluation of Survival Trial (BEST) - VA Cooperative Trial
Dates of Project Period: 1995-1999
Role on Project: Co PI

Agency: Georgetown University Medical Center & VAMC, Washington, DC

Identifying Number:
Title of Project: VEST - A Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled, Multiple Dose Study of the Chronic Administration of Vesnarinone in Heart Failure
Dates of Project Period: 1995-1998
Role on Project: PI

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: BEST – Beta-Blocker Evaluation of Survival Trial (BEST) VA Cooperative Trial
Dates of Project Period: 1995-1999
Role on Project:

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: VEST - A Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled, Multiple Dose Study of the Chronic Administration of Vesnarinone in Heart Failure
Dates of Project Period: 1990-1995
Role on Project: PI

Agency: Fairfax Hospital Fairfax, VA
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: Carvedilol in Heart Failure: A Six Month,
Double-Blind, Multicenter Comparison of Oral
Carvedilol with Placebo in Patients with Congestive Heart Failure
Dates of Project Period: 1993-1995
Role on Project: PI

Agency: MACH-1 Washington VAMC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: The Effect of RO-40-5967 on CTT
Duration and on All Causes of Mortality in Comparison with
Placebo in Patients with Chronic Heart Failure.
Dates of Project Period: 1994-1998
Role on Project:

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: Randomized, Double-Blind, Dose
Response, Positive Control Comparative Evaluation of the
Efficacy and Safety of OPC-18790 in the Treatment of Patients
with Decompensated Heart Failure
Dates of Project Period: 1994-1995
Role on Project: PI

Agency: Fairfax Hospital Fairfax, VA
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: Flolan in Heart Failure Survival Trial (FIRST).
Dates of Project Period: 1993-1994
Role on Project: Co PI

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: Assessment of Treatment with Lisinopril
and Survival (ATLAS)
Dates of Project Period: 1993-1998
Role on Project: PI

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: A Double-Blind, Randomized Exercise
Study of Low and Intermediate Dose of OPC-8212 in
Heart Failure
Dates of Project Period: 1993-1994
Role on Project: PI

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: Evaluation of the Hemodynamic Effects and Safety of Amlodipine in Patients with Stable Heart Failure (NYHA II-IV).
Dates of Project Period: 1992-1993
Role on Project: PI

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: A Phase 2 Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Study of the Pharmacodynamics and Pharmacokinetics of OPC-18790 in Patients with Heart Failure
Dates of Project Period: 1992-1993
Role on Project: PI

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: A Double-Blind, Randomized, Placebo-Controlled Study of the Hemodynamic Effects of Felodipine ER in Patients with Heart Failure.
Dates of Project Period: 1992-1993
Role on Project: PI

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: A Double Blind, Randomized Study Comparing the First Dose Effects of Enalapril and Captopril in Congestive Heart Failure
Dates of Project Period: 1991-1992
Role on Project: PI

Agency:
Identifying Number: Fairfax Hospital Fairfax, VA
Title of Project: A Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled, Multiple Dose Study of the Chronic Administration of OPC-8212 In Chronic Heart Failure.
Dates of Project Period: 1990-1992
Role on Project: Co PI

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: A Randomized Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled, Multiple-Dose Study of the Chronic Administration of OPC-8212 in Heart Failure
Dates of Project Period: 1990-1992
Role on Project: PI

Agency: Washington VAMC
Title of Project: A Double-Blind, Randomized, Placebo-
Controlled Study to Evaluate the Safety of and Efficacy of
Felodipine ER in patients with Heart Failure (V-HeFT III).
Dates of Project Period: 1993 -4
Role on Project: Principal Investigator

Agency: Washington VAMC
Title of Project: PRAISE - A Randomized, Double-Blind, Dose-
Titration, Parallel Group, Placebo Controlled Study to Evaluate the
Effects of Amlodipine on Mortality and Morbidity in Patients with
Severe Heart Failure
Dates of Project Period: 1992 -1994
Role on Project: Principal Investigator

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: Vasodilator Therapy in Chronic
Congestive Heart Failure (V-HEFT II).
Dates of Project Period: 1989-1992
Role on Project: Principal Investigator

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project: A multicenter, randomized, double-blind, double
dummy, parallel group, active-controlled to evaluate the effect of
sacubitril-valsartan (LCZ696) versus enalapril in-hospital initiation
of LCZ696 compared to enalapril in HFrEF patients acute
decompensated heart failure (ADHF) (PIONEER)
Dates of Project Period: 2016- current
Role on Project: Principal Investigator

Agency: VAMC Washington, DC
Identifying Number:
Title of Project A Study of Vericiguat in Participants With Heart
Failure With Reduced Ejection Fraction (HFrEF) (MK-1242-001)
(VICTORIA)
Dates of Project Period: 2016- current
Role on Project: Principal Investigator

PUBLICATIONS – list publications in chronological order and
provided only works which have been accepted for publication. Do
NOT include “manuscripts in preparation” or “manuscripts
submitted for publication”. Publications should be listed separately
for the categories listed below.

Original Papers in Refereed Journals

List authors in order of appearance on paper: Last name, Initials, Title of paper, *Journal name*, volume: first and last page numbers, year.

1. Carson PE, Carlyle PF, Cohn JN: Cardiac and Regional Vascular Effects of Atrial Natriuretic Peptide in Awake Dogs with Left Ventricular Dysfunction. *Trans Assoc Amer Phys* 1986;49:34-38
2. Carson PE, Carlyle PF, Cohn JN: Hemodynamic, Renal and Neurohumoral Response to Atrial Natriuretic Peptide in the Conscious Dog. In *Biologically Active Atrial Peptide*. Brennar B, ed. *Amer J of Pharm* 1987;1:322-324.
3. Carson PE, Carlyle PF, Cohn JN: Cardiac and Regional Vascular Effects of Atrial Natriuretic Peptide in the Conscious Dog with and without Chronic Left Ventricular Dysfunction. *Journal of Cardiovascular Pharmacology* 1990;16:305-311.
4. Herzog CA, Carson PE, Michaud L, Asinger RW: Two Dimensional Echocardiographic Imaging of Left Ventricular Mural Vegetation. *Am Heart J* 1988;115:684-686.
5. Mehta P, Reddy B, Lesser J, Carson P: Bradyarrhythmia Following Electrical Cardioversion for Atrial Tachyarrhythmia in Patients with Acute Myocardial Infarction. *Chest* 1990;97:241-242.
6. Cohn JN, Johnson G, Ziesche S, Cobb F, Francis G, Tristani F, Smith R, Dunkman BW, Loeb H, Wong M, Bhat G, Goldman S, Fletcher RD, Doherty J, Carson PE, Cintron G, Shabetai R: Enalapril vs. Hydralazine-Isosorbide Dinitrate in the Treatment of Chronic Congestive Heart Failure. *N Engl J Med* 1991;325:303-310.
7. Carson PE, Johnson G, Dunkman WB, Cohn JN, and the V-HeFT Investigators: Effects of Atrial Fibrillation on Prognosis in Heart Failure (V-HeFT Study). *Circulation* 1993;87:102-110.
8. Johnson G, Carson PE, Cohn JN for the VA Cooperative Study Group: Influence of Pre-Randomization (Baseline) Variables on Mortality and on the Reduction of Mortality by Enalapril. *Circulation* 1993;87:V132-V139.
9. Dunkman WB, Johnson GR, Carson PE, Cohn JN for the V-HeFT Study Group: Incidence of Thromboembolic Events in Congestive

Heart Failure. *Circulation* 1993;87:94-101.

10. Fletcher RD, Cintron GB, Johnson G, Orndorff J, Carson PE, Cohn JN: Enalapril Decreases Prevalence of Ventricular Tachycardia in Patients with Congestive Heart Failure. *Circulation* 1993;87:49-55.

11. Feldman AM, Bristow MR, Parmley WW, Carson PE, Pepine CJ, Gilbert EM, Strobeck JE, Hendrix GH, Powers ER, Bain RP, White BG: Results of a Multicenter Study of OPC-8212 in Chronic Congestive Heart Failure. *N Engl J Med* 1993;329:149-155.

12. Szyniszewski AM, Carson PE, Sakwas M, Lundstrom T, Boden WE: Valve Replacement for Tricuspid Regurgitation Appearing Late After Healing of Posterior Wall and Right Ventricular Acute Myocardial Infarction. *Am J Cardiol* 1994;73:616-617.

13. Anderson JL, Platia EV, Hallstrom A, Henthorn RW, Buckingham TA, Carlson MD, Carson PE for the Cardiac Arrhythmia Suppression Trial (CAST) Investigators: Interaction of Baseline Characteristics with the Hazard of Encainide/lecainide and Morcizine Therapy in Patients with Myocardial Infarction: A Possible Explanation for Increased Mortality in the Cardiac Arrhythmia Suppression Trial (CAST). *Circulation* 1994;90:2843-2852.

14. Carson PE, Bourge RC, DiBianco R: Advances in Heart Failure Therapy. *Federal Practitioner* 1995;December 12(supplement):20-22.

15. Carson PE, Johnson GR, Fletcher RD, Cohn JN for the V-HeFT Cooperative Studies Group: Mild Systolic Dysfunction Heart Failure (LVEF >35%): Baseline Characteristics, Prognosis, Response to Therapy. *J Am Coll Cardiol* 1996;27:642-9.

16. Boden WE, Ziesche S, Carson PE, Conrad CH, Syat D, Cohn JN for the V-HeFT III Investigators: Rationale and Design of the Third Vasodilator-Heart Failure Trial (V-HeFT III): Felodipine as Adjunctive Therapy to Enalapril and Loop Diuretics with or without Digoxin in Chronic Congestive Heart Failure. *Am J Cardiol* 1996; 77:1031-1036

17. Packer M, O'Connor CM, Ghali JK, Pressler ML, Carson PE, Belkin RN, Miller AB, Neuberg GW, Frid D, Wertheimer JH, Cropp AB, DeMets DL for the Prospective Randomized Amlodipine Survival Evaluation Study Group: Effect of Amlodipine on

Morbidity and Mortality in Severe Chronic Heart Failure. *N Engl J Med* 1996;335:1107-14.

18. Carson PE: Pharmacologic treatment of congestive heart failure. *Clin Cardiol* 1996; Apr;19(4):271-7

19. Carson PE, Strauss WE, Morrison DA, Boden WG: Management of Ischemic Heart Disease for Primary Care. *Federal Practitioner* March 1997;14:4-25.

Carson PE: Beta-Blocker Therapy in Heart Failure Cardiology Annual of Drug therapy. 1997;Vol 1:1-10

20. Singh SN, Fisher SG, Carson PE, Fletcher RD. Nonsustained ventricular tachycardia in severe heartfailure.Circulation. 1997 Nov 18;96(10):3794-5.

21. Ferry DR, O'Rourke RA, Blaustein AS, Crawford MH, Deedwania PC, Carson, PE, Pepine CJ, Thomas RG, Hlatky MA, Leppo JA, Iwane MK, Kleiger RE, Zoble RG, Dai H, Chow BK, Lavori PW, Boden WE For the VANQWISH Trial Research Investigators: Design and Baseline Characteristics for the Veterans Affairs Non-Q-Wave Infarction Strategies In-Hospital (VANQWISH) Trial. *JACC* 1998;31:312-20.

22. O'Connor CM, Carson PE, Belkin RN, Cropp AB, Frid DJ, Miller AB, Neuberg GW, Pressler ML, Wertheimer H, Packer M for The PRAISE Investigators: Effect of Amlodipine on Mode of Death in Severe Chronic Heart Failure: The PRAISE Trial. *American Journal of Cardiology* 1998; 82:881-88.

23. Singh SN, Fisher SG, Carson PE, Fletcher RD and The Department of Veterans Affairs CHF STAT Investigators. Prevalence and significance of non-sustained ventricular tachycardia in patients with premature ventricular contractions and heart failure treated with vasodilator therapy. *J Am Coll Cardiol* 1998; 32:942-947.

24. Carson PE. *Beta Blocker Treatment in Heart Failure. Progress in Cardiovascular Diseases* 1999; 41:301-322.

25. Carson, PE. B-Blocker Therapy in Heart Failure: Pathophysiology and Clinical Results. Current Problems in Cardiology. *Cardiology* 1999; 24:421-460.

26. Russell SD, Koshkarian GM, Medinger AE, Carson PE, Higginbotham MB. Lack of Effect of Increased Inspired Oxygen

Concentrations on Maximal Exercise Capacity or Ventilation in Stable Heart Failure. *American Journal of Cardiology* 1999; 84:1412-1416.

27. Dries DL, Exner DV, Gersh BJ, Cooper HA, Carson PE, Domanski MJ. Racial Differences in the Outcome of Left Ventricular Dysfunction. *N Engl J Med* 1999; 340:609-616.

28. Young SO, Holubkov R, Loftus S, Bourge R, Carson P, Jaski B, White BG, Feldman AM. Effect of inotrope withdrawal on morbidity and mortality in patients with chronic heart failure: results of the vesnarinone trial withdrawal substudy. Vest Withdrawal Substudy Group. *J Card Fail* September 1999; 5(3): 195-200; discussion 201-202.

29. Carson P, Ziesche S, Johnson G, Cohn JN. Racial differences in response to therapy for heart failure: analysis of the vasodilator-heart failure trials. Vasodilator-Heart Failure Trial Study Group. *J Card Fail* September 1999; 5 (3): 178-87.

30. Carson PE, O'Connor CM, Miller AB, Anderson S, Belkin RN, Neuberger GW, Wertheimer JH, Frid DJ, Cropp A, Packer M. Circadian Rhythm and Sudden Death in Heart Failure: Results From PRAISE. *JACC* August 2000.

31. Carson PE. Rationale for the use of combination ACE inhibitor/ARB therapy in heart failure. *American Heart Journal* Sept. 2000; 140:361-366.

32. Carson PE, The HF epidemic: The need for new treatment strategies: *JRAAS* 2000; 1(Suppl 2):32-4.

33. Carson, PE, B-Blocker Therapy in Heart Failure: Drug Therapy In Cardiovascular Disease *May Cardiology Clinic* 2000; 19; (2) 2-1 – 2-11.

34. Carson PE, Giles T, Higginbotham M, Hollenberg N, Kannel W, O'Connor C, Siragy HM. Angiotensin Receptor Blockers: Evidence for Preserving Target Organs: *Clinical Cardiology Clin Cardiol*. 2001 Mar;24(3):183-90

35. BEST Investigators (STEERING Committee), A Trial of the Beta-Blocker Bucindolol in Patients with Chronic Heart Failure: *NEJM* 2001;344; 1659-1667

36. Neuberger GW, Miller AB, O'Connor CM, Belkin RN, Carson PE,

Cropp AB, Frid DJ, Nye RG, Pressler ML, Wertheimer JH, Packer M; PRAISE Investigators. Prospective Randomized Amlodipine Survival Evaluation: Diuretic resistance predicts mortality in patients with advanced heart failure. *Am Heart J*. 2002 Jul;144(1):31-8.

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