

# Cardiovascular Disease

## From challenges to clearer pathways

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### From the editor

Despite advances in percutaneous interventions for many valve diseases, treatments for the tricuspid valve remain elusive. In this *Cleveland Clinic Journal of Medicine* supplement, Samir Kapadia, MD, and colleagues describe innovations in percutaneous techniques that may overcome the challenges associated with tricuspid valve repair.

Many cardiologists and primary care physicians struggle to keep current with the constantly changing practice guidelines for the prevention of atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease. Cutting through the complexity of the latest guidelines, Leslie Cho, MD, manages to clarify them in a way that is easy to understand and implement in practice.

Finally, John R. Bartholomew, MD, reviews the latest treatment guidelines for peripheral artery disease (PAD), a common, potentially morbid vascular disease. PAD is often asymptomatic and often overlooked. A simple diagnostic test and treatment is warranted to reduce the risk of adverse cardiovascular events and limb events associated with PAD.

We hope this *Cleveland Clinic Journal of Medicine* cardiovascular supplement is useful to you in your clinical practice.

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