



Vaso-Meditech Pvt Ltd & Serdia Pharmaceuticals (India) Pvt Ltd organises a CME on Vascular Update in Chennai.

13th June 2010, GRT Grant Hotel, Chennai. Vaso-Meditech Pvt Ltd in partnership with Serdia Pharmaceuticals conducted a CME on vascular update titled Central Blood pressure a silent killer. The meeting was attended by physicians and cardiologists in the city.

Prof Dr. John Cockcroft from Wales Heart Research Institute, Cardiff U.K., gave a guest lecture on the importance of Central Blood pressure over brachial pressure. He said that new studies have shown that central blood pressure is the true pressure all the organs see and it can be a better predictor of end organ damage. Also, he pointed out that different drugs have different effects in lowering pressure in brachial and central aorta. Now Central aortic pressure can be measured accurately by a non-invasive device like SphygmoCor.

Dr. Park, senior consultant of Serdia Pharmaceuticals, spoke on the CAFE trial and indicated that Calcium channel Blocker/ACEI combination lowered Central BP more than beta blocker/diuretic combination even though Brachial BP were the same in both groups. This clearly shows that measurement of CBP may provide valuable information on anti-hypertensive drug action that is not apparent with assessment of BBP."

Dr. S. Ramasamy, Director of Vaso-Meditech Pvt Ltd, concluded the meeting, thanking all the delegates. He informed that Vaso-Meditech will take initiatives to start Hypertension clinics based on Central blood pressure. Blood pressure beyond brachial is now a new reality.



Dr.S.Ramasamy speaking on the CME on Vascular update in Chennai.



Prof. John Cockcroft delivering the lecture in CME on Vascular update in Chennai.



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