Optimizing Treatment of Acute and Chronic Heart Failure
Expert discussion of 2016 ESC-HF Guidelines

08:30-08:50 Registration

08:50-09:00 Introduction and opening
Prof. Offer Amir, Cardiovascular Department, Baruch Padeh MC, Poriya

09:00-09:30 The European and US Guidelines: Do we really need both? Insights into the etiology of differences
Dr. Jean-Marc Weinstein, Cardiology Division, Soroka MC, Be’er Sheva

09:30-10:00 Aetiologies and challenges in HF diagnosis
Dr. Israel Gotsman, Cardiology Department, Hadassah MC, Jerusalem

10:00-10:30 HFrEF, HFpEF and what is between them
Prof. Giuseppe Rosano, Christ Church University, UK

10:30-10:50 Coffee break

10:50-11:30 Pharmacological management of chronic heart failure - key changes and challenges
Prof. Giuseppe Rosano, Christ Church University, UK

11:30-12:00 Device therapy – what has changed and why?
Dr. Ibrahim Marai, Cardiovascular Department, Baruch Padeh MC, Poriya

12:00-12:20 Coffee break

12:20-13:00 Management of Acute Heart failure - key changes and challenges
Prof. Offer Amir, Cardiovascular Department, Baruch Padeh MC, Poriya

13:00-13:45 A local perspective on the implementation of HF guidelines in clinical practice – Panel discussion
Moderator: Dr. Tuvia Ben-Gal
Panelists: Prof. Offer Amir, Dr. Tamir Bental, Dr. Jean-Marc Weinstein

13:45-14:00 Closing remarks
Prof. Offer Amir

14:00 Lunch