ACHA Webinars Presents:

Aging with Congenitally Corrected Transposition of the Great Arteries (CCTGA)

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Presenter:
Carole Warnes, MD

About the Webinar
If you were born with congenitally corrected transposition of the great arteries (CCTGA), you won't want to miss this webinar. Dr. Carole Warnes, Director of the Adult Congenital Heart Disease Program at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN, will discuss the structure and function of the heart in the adult with CCTGA, how valve dysfunction relates to ventricular dysfunction, rhythm disturbances and treatment options. The importance of optimizing your lifestyle and issues of pregnancy will also be addressed. Register now to learn how to live a productive life with CCTGA.

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About the Speaker
Carol Warnes, MD, is a Professor of Medicine and a consultant in cardiovascular diseases, internal medicine, and pediatric cardiology at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN. She was the first woman to join the Cardiovascular Division at Mayo Clinic in 1987, where she began the ACHD Clinic, of which she is the director. She received her medical degree from Newcastle upon Tyne in England where she completed her general medical training before going to London to pursue cardiology fellowships. She completed her post-graduate thesis at the National Institutes of Health before returning to the National Heart Hospital in London for another two years.

At Mayo Clinic, Dr. Warnes received the Henry S. Plummer Distinguished Physician Award in 2004 and eight Cardiovascular Teacher of the Year Awards. She became a fellow of the Royal College of Physicians in 2005, and is on the ACC Board of Trustees. She received ACHA’s Heart Heroes Leadership Award in 2008. She also co-chaired the ACC/AHA Guidelines for the Management of Adult Congenital Heart Disease in 2008 and has edited three books and published over 150 manuscripts. She is currently on the Editorial Board of Circulation.

About the Adult Congenital Heart Association
The Adult Congenital Heart Association (ACHA) is a nonprofit organization that seeks to improve the quality of life and extend the lives of congenital heart defect survivors. Through education, outreach, advocacy and promotion of research, ACHA serves and supports the more than 1.8 million individuals with congenital heart defects, their families, and the medical community. If you would like to find out more about our programming, visit our website, www.achaheart.org. To support ACHA’s mission to improve and prolong the lives of heart defect survivors, you can make a donation on our website.

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