

Heart Failure Training Resources

There is an extensive range of resources already available to support the management of heart failure, but it can be difficult to find them and hard to know which resource to use. This document aims to bring together resources that Health Innovation East is aware of and provide information on the content, the time commitment and any cost associated with using it, with the hope to support health care professionals in accessing and completing training.

Key Resources

General Guidelines and Reports

Training Courses

Resources useful for all Professions

Resources for Nurses

Resources for GP's

Resources for Pharmacists

Resources for Speciality Doctors

Resources for Policy Makers

Resources for All



Key Resources

The Heart Failure Policy Network offer extensive resources to support changes in the approach to Heart Failure management across the UK. Their website provides downloadable infographics, reports, videos and summaries that are freely available.

All resources can be accessed via the following link:

<https://www.hfpolicynetwork.org/resources/>

General Guidelines and Reports

[NICE Guidelines](#)

Statutory guidelines for best practice in diagnosing and managing heart failure.

[UCL Partners Proactive Care Framework: Heart Failure Resources](#)

Heart Failure Framework provides guidance for primary care on the detection and management of patients presenting to primary care, including details of available resources

[British Heart Foundation](#)

Blueprint for change: Suggestions for systems and healthcare approach reforms to address HF including recommendations, patients stories and case studies of best practice

[British Heart Foundation](#)

Comprehensive guide to heart failure diagnosis, management and support

[Pumping Marvellous: Heart Failure and Inconvenient Truth](#)

The impact heart failure has on quality of life, and the lack of consideration this gets in current treatment guidelines, highlighting the importance of patient perspectives. role of the impact and patient experience of HF, how and why it should be shaping policy

[Pumping Marvellous: Heart Failure Guide](#)

Heart failure guide including information on symptom monitoring and treatment

[Pumping Marvellous: Beat HF Report](#)

Beat heart failure report

[Pumping Marvellous: Heart Failure Nurse Audit](#)

HF Nurse audit

[Pumping Marvellous: MP's more interested in Potholes than Heart Failure](#)

Raising awareness press release

[Pumping Marvellous: Living Well with Heart Failure](#)

Living well with Heart Failure guide

Training Courses

European Society of Cardiology

2021 - ESC Guidelines for the diagnosis and treatment of acute and chronic heart failure

Accreditation: 3 CME credits

Cost: 60 euros, free to ESC members

Accessible to whom: Anyone

Format: Online

Time commitment: 3hr 10min

NHSE & British Heart Valve Society

This elearning programme was developed to support health and care professionals from a range of multidisciplinary backgrounds, in better understanding heart failure and valvular heart disease. It is targeted at clinicians in primary and community care settings, including GPs.

Accreditation: CPD

Cost: Free to NHS staff

Accessible to whom: NHS staff

Format: Online

Time commitment: 12 x 20min sessions

Cardio Webinar: Heart Failure

Contains the following modules: Advanced heart failure for the general cardiologist, The less common causes of heart failure, Arrhythmogenic right ventricular cardiomyopathy, Cardiac Amyloid for the general cardiologist, Recent pharmacological advances in Heart failure therapy

Accreditation: Certificate

Cost: Free, login required

Accessible to whom: Enrol to access

Format: Online

Time commitment: 5 x 50min sessions

CVD Academy

Learning modules on Heart Failure, access to a resource page with the latest guidance and relevant publications

Accreditation: Certificate

Cost: Membership required

Accessible to whom: Healthcare professionals

Format: Online

Time commitment: Variable

Resources useful for all Professions

British Society for Heart Failure

Sun, Sea, Sex and Return to Work: Advice you need to give to your patients

The webinar explains lived experience of heart failure, coping mechanisms, described with real patient experiences

Length: 1hr 16min

Heart Failure Rehabilitation – Fit for the Future

Why and how to deliver rehab for HF patients

Length: 1hr 16min

Personalised Medicine – Heart Failure Management

Case studies and advice on how to manage patients with different presentations of HF

Length: 1hr 30min

Care Planning – Improving Population Health and Outcomes for Patients with Heart Failure

Socioeconomic factors, disparities in care and outcomes across UK, long-term planning and the GP perspective.

Length: 1hr 18min

Clash of The Titans – Improving Outcomes for Patients with Atrial Fibrillation and Heart Failure

Patient and expert medical opinion on how to improve outcomes for patients with atrial fibrillation and heart failure

Length: 1hr 26min

Education Committee - thoughts from ESC

General highlights on advances in knowledge and practice on HF

Length: 57min

Heart Failure Policy Network

Translating Heart Failure Guidelines into Action

Guidance on how to translate the current guidelines into clinical practice

Length: 1min 53sec

British Journal of Cardiology

Coronary Artery Disease and Heart Failure Management in Elderly Patients

Panel discussion with experts in the field of coronary artery disease and heart failure

Length: variable

Pumping Marvellous

[Heart Failure Diagnosis](#)

Patients talk about their experiences

Length: 5min 8sec

[What is Heart Failure](#)

Length: 2min 27sec

[How to Diagnose Heart Failure](#)

Length: 1min 4sec

[Patient Experience of Receiving a HF Diagnosis](#)

10 patients describe their different experiences

Length: variable

Top Doctors UK

[Heart Failure: FAQ](#)

Length: 8min 11sec

Radcliff Cardiology

[Heart Failure Guidelines Review](#)

Length: 4min 47sec

[Heart Failure Guidelines Review - Impact on Practice](#)

Length: 6min 10sec

[Heart Failure Guidelines Review - Future of Heart Failure Management](#)

Length: 3min 8sec

Health Innovation East

[Heart Failure Management](#)

Overview of the latest guidelines in the management of Heart Failure

Length: 57min

Royal Free London

[Summary of Service for Heart Failure Available at the Royal Free](#)

Heart Failure: a serious but treatable and reversible condition

Length: 55min

Resources for Nurses

British Society for Heart Failure

[Question Time – Heart Failure Specialist Nurse Competencies](#)

Length: 1hr 28min

Heart Failure Policy Network

[Specialist Nurses Perspective - What do they do and why are they Important](#)

Length: 1min 25sec

Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital

[The Role of community Heart Failure Nurse](#)

Length: 14min 10sec

[The Role of a hospital Heart Failure Nurse](#)

Length: 5min 1sec

Resources for GP's

British Society for Heart Failure

[Care Planning – Improving Population Health and Outcomes for Patients with Heart Failure](#)

Socioeconomic factors, disparities in care and outcomes across UK, long-term planning and the GP perspective

Length: 1hr 18min

Heart Failure Policy Network

[GP's Perspective](#)

Discussion on the importance of natriuretic peptide (n-BNP) testing in primary care for the diagnosis of Heart Failure

Length: 1min 30sec

Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital

[The Role of a GP in Managing Chronic Heart Failure: Dr Susan Kemsley](#)

Length: 19min 26sec

[The Role of a GP in Heart Failure Diagnosis: Dr Stuart Bennett](#)

Length: 15min 11sec

Resources for Pharmacists

Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital

[Heart Failure Pharmacist](#)

Length: 13min 47sec

CPPE Cardiovascular Disease: Heart Failure

[Pharmacists](#)

Length: 3 hours

Resources for Speciality Doctors (Cardiologists)

Heart Failure Policy Network

[Cardiologists perspective - Why it is Important for People to Access a Specialist](#)

Length: 1min 42sec

Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital

[Advanced Heart Failure Therapy](#)

Length: 20min 15sec

Resources for Policy Makers

Heart Failure Policy Network

[Policy Makers Perspective - How to Address the Growing Burden of Heart Failure](#)

Length: 1min 40sec

Resources for All

British Heart Foundation

[What is Heart Failure](#)

Length: 2min 27sec

[Living with Heart Failure](#)

Length: 5min 39sec

The Rotherham NHS Foundation Trust

[Heart Failure: Symptoms of Heart Failure](#)

Length: 2min 43sec

[Heart Failure: The Normal Heart](#)

Length: 2min 44sec

[Heart Failure: What is Heart Failure](#)

Length: 3min 23sec

[Heart Failure: When the Heart becomes Stiff](#)

Length: 3min

[Heart Failure: Treatment and Monitoring of Fluid Retention](#)

Length: 4min 3sec

[Heart Failure: Heart Failure that Cannot Pump](#)

Length: 2min 44sec

For more information about the Health Innovation East Heart Failure and Cardiovascular Disease Prevention Programme please click [here](#)

If you would like to have a chat with us, add to our resources list or be added to our bi-monthly CVD bulletin please contact: cvdteam@healthinnovationeast.co.uk

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