## **Dutch Caribbean Heart Days 2025**

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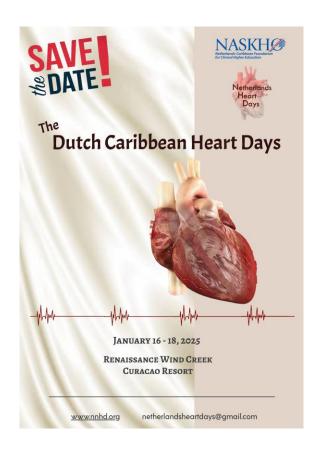
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#### Venue:

Ballroom of the Renaissance Wind Creek Hotel Curação

# 2<sup>nd</sup> Dutch Caribbean Heart Days Curação

16-18 January 2025







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Dear Colleagues,

In April 2024 the boards of the Netherlands Heart Days (NHD) and Netherlands-Caribbean Foundation for Clinical Higher Education (NASKHO) initiated the 1st annual Dutch Caribbean Heart Days following 15 years of Netherlands Heart Days (NHD) on Curaçao. With the DCHD, a strong educational platform in (cardiovascular) radiology and cardiology is created for the Caribbean region and South-America, but also for North America and Europe.

It is with pleasure that we announce the  $2^{nd}$  Dutch Caribbean Heart Days to be held January 16-18, 2025, in the Ballroom of the Renaissance Hotel in Willemstad, Curação.

The meeting will feature a spectrum from basic principles towards (advanced) clinical applications and scientific innovations. As part of the main program, an evening session is organized with interesting topics for GP's, which can also separately be followed by GP's.

Moreover, the program will be appealing for pulmonologists, pediatric cardiologists, internal medicine MD's, residents and technicians. Besides topical sessions covering the clinical implications of the findings, the technical aspects and imaging protocols, top-notch scientific content on cardiac imaging will be addressed. Most sessions will feature examples of actual clinical cases and how novel techniques, methods and interventions can be used to better diagnose and treat patients with a variety of diseases affecting the heart.

The congenial and collaborative atmosphere of the congress offers excellent opportunities for networking and jumpstarting multicenter collaborations and research projects within and over the continents.

Save the date and come join us in Curaçao!

Boards of NASKHO and NHD

#### **PROGRAM**

## **Thursday 16 January 2025**

08.15 - 08.30 Official opening

08.30 - 09.30

Session 1: CT & CMR Basics

2023 ESC Guidelines on Cardiomyopathies Basic Principles of Cardiovascular CT Basic Principles of Cardiovascular MRI

#### 09.30 - 10.00 Coffee break

10.00 - 11.00

Session 2: Cardiovascular Imaging (CVI) in (Sub)Acute Settings

Aortic Dissection Value of CMR in OHCA Myocarditis

11.00 - 12.00

Session 3: Valvular Disease

Ultrasound CT & MRI

What do I need - Local Perspective

12.00 - 13.30 Lunch

13.30 - 14.30

Session 4: Intervention

Interventions on Curação

PCI

Ablations

14.30 - 15.30

Session 5: Cases

CT

MRI

Ultrasound

15.30 - 15.45 Meet the expert

18.30 - 20.30

Session Imaging for General Practitioners (GPs) and Nurses

Hypertension & LVH

ECG Indication and Interpretation for GPs

Atrial Fibrillation

Pulmonary Embolectomy

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Ethnic Differences of Cardiovascular Disease

#### **PROGRAM**

## Friday 17 January 2025

08.15 - 08.30

Walk in

08.30 - 09.30

Session 7: Basic Principles of Cardiac Ultrasound & Nuclear Medicine

Basic Principles of Cardiovascular Ultrasound Clinical Indications for Cardiac Ultrasound Basic Principles of Cardiovascular Nuclear Imaging

09.30 - 10.00 Coffee break

10.00 - 11.00

Session 8: Imaging of Myocardial Ischaemia

PET/SPECT FFRct CMR

11.00 - 12.00

**Session 9: Inflammation** 

Cardiac Sarcoidosis and Other Inflammatory Disease

Ultrasound in Endocarditis

PET/CT Infection and Inflammation

12.00 - 13.30 Lunch

13.30 - 14.30

Session 10: Non-Ischemic Cardiomyopathies

Athletes Heart versus Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy Amyloidosis

Dilated and Non-Compaction Cardiomyopathies

14.30 - 15.30

Session 11: Cases

Nuclear Ultrasound CT

15.30 - 15.45 Meet the expert

Accreditation will be obtained.

Previous Accreditation 2024:

Radiological Society of the Netherlands (NVvR): 18 Cardiological Society of the Netherlands (NVvC): 20

Society of Nuclear Medicine (NVNG): 18

#### **PROGRAM**

## Saturday 18 January 2025

08.15 - 08.30

Walk in

08.30 - 09.30

Session 12: CMR Safety Basics

CMR Safety and Devices
Contrast Agents in CMR & CTA

Extracardiac Findings in Cardiac Imaging

09.30 - 10.00 Coffee break

10.00 - 11.00

Session 13: Obesity & Diabetis mellitus Type 2

Diabesity Imaging
Obesity in the Caribbean
Obesity and Hypertension

11.00 - 12.00

Session 14: Treatment of Obesity amd Diabetis mellitus

Type 2 in the Caribbean

Gastric Bypass

Heart Rehabilitation

Medical Treatment by the Cardiologist

12.00 - 13.30 Lunch

13.30 - 14.30

Session 15: Interventions

Device Program on Curação

PCI

Ablations

14.30 - 15.30

Session 16: Cases

New Stents Intervention

Ablation

15.30 – 15.45

Closure of the meeting