# Pl and Coordinator Webinar

July 23, 2019





# **Study Sites**

- 120 sites actively enrolling
- 21 other sites actively working on being released to enroll
- 120 sites have consented at least one subject
  - 1047 total consents
  - Since July 15<sup>th</sup>

Intercoastal Medical Group - Hyde Park, Sarasota, FL

United Hospital, St. Paul, MN

Baylor College of Medicine Medical Center, Houston, TX

Sharp Grossmont Hospital, La Mesa, CA

OSU Wexner Medical Center, Columbus, OH

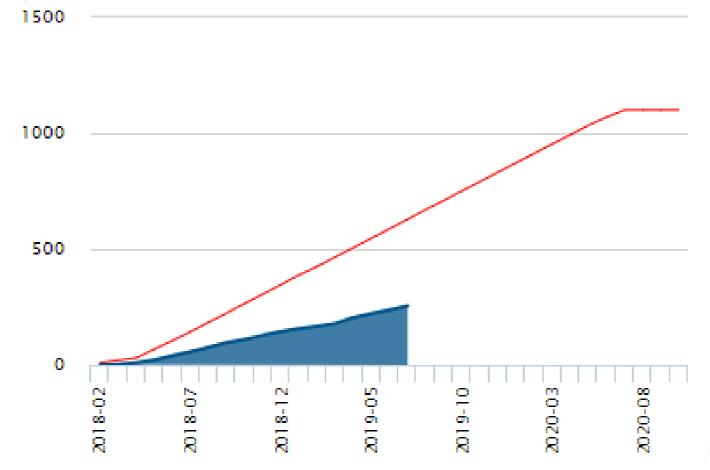
Yale New Haven Hospital, New Haven, CT





#### **ARCADIA**

Current = 254, Sample Size =1,100 Completed =23.1% StrokeNet =254 (100.00%)



- More sites
- Continued efforts at every site to try to identify every possible patient
- Efforts to randomize eligible patients





# Eligible not yet Randomized N = 41

Banner University Medical Center -Tucson Campus, Tucson, AZ Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH Grady Memorial Hospital, Atlanta, GA Greenville Hospital System, Greenville, SC Harborview Medical Center, Seattle, WA Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit, MI Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA Intermountain Medical Center, Murray, UT Long Beach Memorial Medical Center, Long Beach, CA Los Angeles County + USC Medical Center, Los Angeles, CA Mayo Clinic Saint Marys Campus, Rochester, MN McLaren Flint, Flint, MI Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY

North Shore University Hospital, Manhasset, NY North Shore University Hospital, Manhasset, NY

NYP Weill Cornell Medical Center, New York, NY

OU Medical Center, Oklahoma City, OK OU Medical Center, Oklahoma City, OK OU Medical Center, Oklahoma City, OK OU Medical Center, Oklahoma City, OK

Rhode Island Hospital, Providence, RI St. Louis University Hospital, St. Louis, MO

Stanford University Medical Center, Stanford, CA

Tufts Medical Center, Boston, MA Tufts Medical Center, Boston, MA

UCSD Medical Center - Hillcrest Hospital, San Diego, CA University of Alabama Hospital, Birmingham, AL

University of Illinois Hospital, Chicago, IL

University of Kansas Hospital, Kansas City, KS

University of Kansas Hospital, Kansas City, KS

University of Kentucky Hospital, Lexington, KY

University of Louisville Hospital, Louisville, KY

University of Michigan University Hospital, Ann Arbor, MI

University of Minnesota Medical Center Hospital, Minneapolis, MN

University of Mississippi Medical Center, Jackson, MS

University of Wisconsin University Hospital, Madison, WI

UPMC Presbyterian Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA

Vanderbilt University Hospital, Nashville, TN

Yale New Haven Hospital, New Haven, CT Yale New Haven Hospital, New Haven, CT Yale New Haven Hospital, New Haven, CT





#### **ARCADIA Heroes**

- Lots of new (and our dedicated existing) coordinators (and PIs) trying hard to help identify and consent patients
- Susan Hetzel University of Mississippi Medical Center has enrolled 5 subjects this month the site was released to enroll 5/20. She consented 3 subjects in one week!





# DCU Slides - Faria





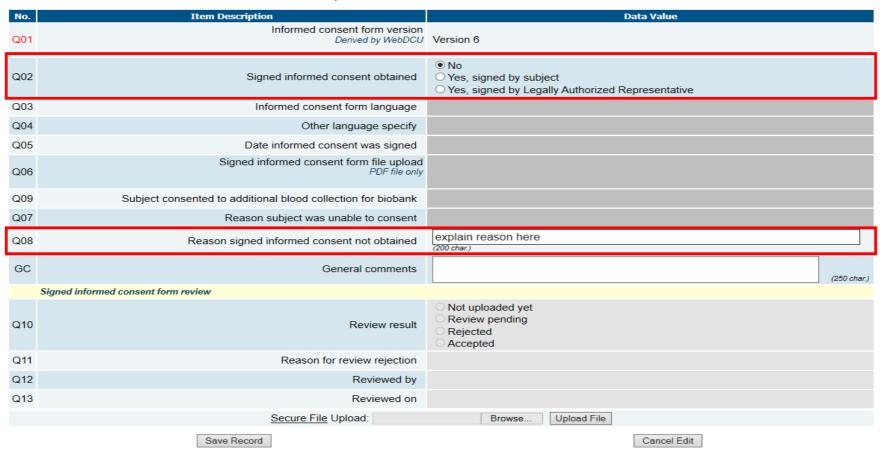
## ICF v5 vs. v6 (F245 vs. F246)

- If your site has not yet been approved to use ICF v6, it should be left blank for now.
- You should re-consent all active subjects once you receive ICF v6 approval.





# What happens when you are unable to re-consent subject due to LTFU, withdrawal of consent, or moved to EOS?



-Mark Q02 as no -Explain why in Q08





## Subject LTFU prior to randomization

- In order to document this in WebDCU<sup>TM</sup>, please do the following:
  - Edit **F101 Q06** 'Able to be randomized no later than 120 days after stroke onset' to 'No'
  - This will generate a warning on the right hand side, which needs to be addressed. Click on the blue pencil icon to respond to the warning and provide an explanation. Responding to the warning will also allow you to save and submit the CRF.

Q06

Able to be randomized no later than 120 days after stroke onset 

No



- Due to Q06 now being an eligibility violation on F101, F126 Q12 'Eligible for randomization' should be 'No'
- Please do not mark LTFU subjects as 'consent withdrawn' on F126 End of Study





### Documenting Eligibility Violations on F101

- Similar to documenting a subject as LTFU prior to randomization, we use F101 to document other eligibility violations that occur prior to randomization
  - Atrial fibrillation detected
  - Indication for anticoagulant therapy
  - Indication for antiplatelet agent
  - Etc.

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- Update the answer to the F101 question relevant to your findings
- Please make sure to always respond to the warning and save and submit the CRF
  - Warnings can trigger on any CRF and the data will show as outstanding until the CRF has been submitted.
  - Please provide sufficient explanation to avoid DCRs/queries for clarification
    - Ex: In response to a warning for 'Able to be randomized no later than 120 days after stroke onset' please do not respond with 'unable to be randomized'/'not eligible'. Instead, you need to explain *WHY*
    - Similarly, for 'specify' fields such as 'Consent withdrawn, specify' on EOS, please explain *WHY*the subject withdrew consent, do not restate that consent was withdrawn or this will need to be queried.



### New Study Book Format

- The study book is no longer posted under Project Documents.
- To find the new study book, go to [Project Setup] -> [CRF Collection Schedule]. There are CRF packets for each visit uploaded under the visit name.





#### **CRF Collection Schedule**





CRF Name	Baseline		30 Day n Follow- Up	Month	6 Month Follow- Up	9 Month Follow- Up	12 Month Follow- Up												48 Month Follow- Up	30 Day Post Study Medication Termination & End of Study
F101 Inclusion and Exclusion Criteria 🔁 🧸	ΧM																			
F102 Randomization 📆 🧸		Х																		
F104 Adverse Event 🔁 🧸		ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM	ORM <sup>©</sup>
F105 Labs 🔁 🦂	X M																			
F106 Medical History 🔁 🧸	Х																			
F117 Vital Signs 🔁 🧸	Х	X																		
F126 End of Study 🔁 🧸																				X M





#### Who to Contact?

Srikala Appana at NDMC

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When to contact: If you have WebDCUrelated DOA/regulatory database questions, Informed Consent Remote Monitoring questions, or Site Monitoring questions

Faria Khattak at NDMC

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When to contact: Any other WebDCU-related or CRF-related questions

Patty Hutto at NDMC

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When to contact: Any other WebDCU-related or CRF-related questions

**NOTE:** Please refer to the Data Collection Guidelines posted in [Project Documents] under [Toolbox] in WebDCU<sup>TM</sup>, or email Faria or Patty for CRF related questions





# Regulatory Updates Slide - Emily





# Regulatory Updates:

- Amendment progress for the v6, v3 consents.
  - 70 + sites have been sent current versions of the consent template
  - Some sites will remain on the v2 Pregnant Partner consent.
  - Please upload the approval letter sent with your approved ICD to the 4.1 space holder in WebDCU. The Prime Approval letter for the 4.1 should not be uploaded.
  - Please upload your updated consents to WebDCU as soon as possible
  - WebDCU will be archiving the v5 space holders soon
  - Translations will be sent to the site once received, please upload to WebDCU as soon as possible
  - Reach out to the NCC for a short form if needed





# Loss to Follow Up Slides - Pam





## **Lost-to-Follow Participants**

Preparations to decrease loss to follow up begins at screening

- Screen efficiently
  - If the patient has a history of "no shows", known social issues, and/or non-compliance, consider not consenting
- Develop a relationship with the patient
  - After consent, send birthday cards, holiday cards, etc...
- Provide a list of all study visits and windows for those visits
  - This should also contain detailed instructions for the visits and site contact information
  - Send visit reminder postcards or emails; Reminder visit calls
- Consenting
  - Educate the patient thoroughly regarding the study visits and their commitment
    - Why it's important to complete the study visits
  - Obtain a contact sheet after completing consent
    - Email address(es)

- Work numbers
- Friends & Family numbers (Children/Siblings/Neighbors)

Emergency contacts





### When Lost-to-Follow Up Occurs

- Check your facility's EMR; we have permission in consent to consult EMR for outcomes
- Consider seeing patient at another scheduled visit at the facility
- Call emergency contacts or friends/family members from contact sheet
- Standard letter x3 followed by a registered letter (signature required) if needed
- Try calling participant from a non-facility number
- Visit their home
- Social Media only to search, not contact
  - FaceBook
  - Instagram
  - Twitter
- Search internet
  - Google People
  - Social Security Death Index





## ARCADIA Subject Scheduler

Visit	Timepoint	Visit Date	Window Allowance	Visit W	/indow	Special Instructions
Date of Randomization		07/22/19				
Follow Up Visit 1	Day 30	08/21/19	7 days +/-	08/14/19	08/28/19	
Follow Up Visit 2	Day 90	10/20/19	5 day +/-	10/15/19	10/25/19	
Follow Up Visit 3	Day 180 / 6 months	01/18/20	5 day +/-	01/13/20	01/23/20	
Follow Up Visit 4	Day 270 / 9 month	04/17/20	5 day +/-	04/12/20	04/22/20	
Follow Up Visit 5	Day 360 / 12 months	07/16/20	5 day +/-	07/11/20	07/21/20	
Med Resupply visit 5b	Day 450 / 15 months	10/14/20	5 day +/-	10/09/20	10/19/20	Add specific site instructions, i.e
Follow Up Visit 6	Day 540 / 18 months	01/12/21	5 day +/-	01/07/21	01/17/21	1. It's very important to keep your scheduled
Med Resupply visit 6b	Day 630 / 21 months	04/12/21	5 day +/-	04/07/21	04/17/21	appointments
Follow Up Visit 7	Day 720 / 24 months	07/11/21	5 day +/-	07/06/21	07/16/21	2. Please bring your study drug bottles to each
Med Resupply visit 7b	Day 810 / 27 months	10/09/21	5 day +/-	10/04/21	10/14/21	visit
Follow Up Visit 8	Day 900 / 30 months	01/07/22	5 day +/-	01/02/22	01/12/22	3. Please let us know if you have any emergency
Med Resupply visit 8b	Day 990 / 33 months	04/07/22	5 day +/-	04/02/22	04/12/22	room or hospital visits
Follow Up Visit 9	Day 1080 / 36 months	07/06/22	5 day +/-	07/01/22	07/11/22	
Med Resupply visit 9b	Day 1170 / 39 months	10/04/22	5 day +/-	09/29/22	10/09/22	
Follow Up Visit 10	Day 1260 / 42 months	01/02/23	5 day +/-	12/28/22	01/07/23	
Med Resupply visit 10b	Day 1350 / 45 months	04/02/23	5 day +/-	03/28/23	04/07/23	
Follow Up Visit 11	Day 1440 / 48 months	07/01/23	5 day +/-	06/26/23	07/06/23	
	30 days after end of		7 days 1/			
Close Out Visit	study		7 days +/-			

Add Site contact information





# ECHO Slides - Marco





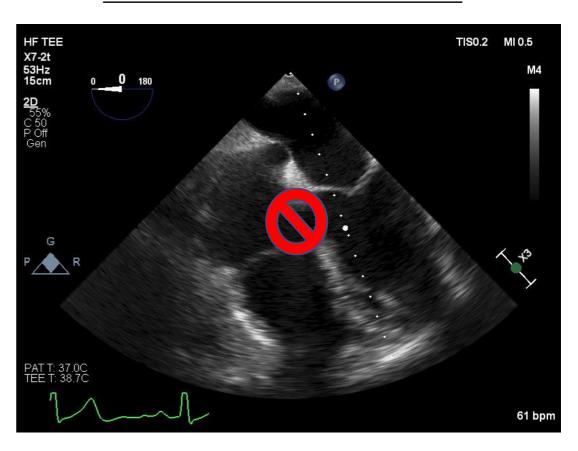
#### Transthoracic Echocardiogram (TTE)

#### THE ONE WE WANT

# Adult Echo TIS0.4 MI 1.2 76 bpm

#### Transesophageal Echocardiogram (TEE)

#### THE ONE WE DO NOT WANT







#### Transthoracic Echocardiogram – Left atrial diameter

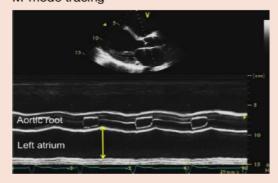
Table 11 Recommendations for the echocardiographic assessment of LA size

Parameter and method Echocardiographic imaging Advantages

#### Internal linear dimensions.

The anteroposterior diameter of the left atrium can be measured in the parasternal long-axis view perpendicular to the aortic root long axis, and measured at the level of the aortic sinuses by using the leading-edge to leading-edge convention.

#### M-mode tracing



#### Reproducible

- High temporal resolution
- Wealth of published data

Single dimension not representative of actual LA size (particularly in dilated atria)

Limitations

2D-guided linear measurements



- Facilitates orientation perpendicular to LA posterior wall
- Lower frame rates than in M-mode
- Single dimension only



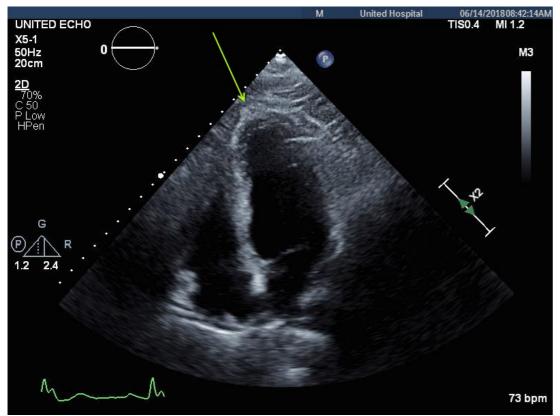


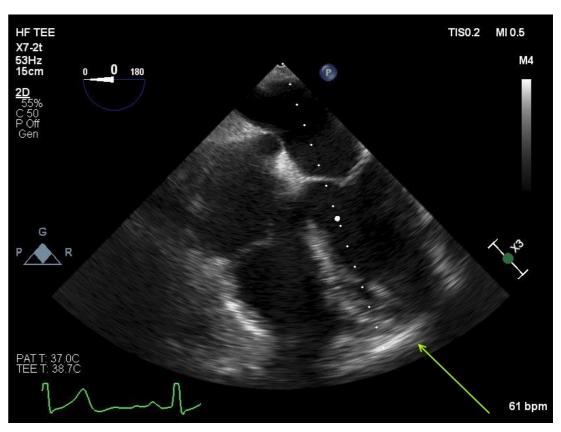
#### Transthoracic Echocardiogram (TTE)

#### Transesophageal Echocardiogram (TEE)

#### The cardiac apex is UP

#### The cardiac apex is DOWN









# ARCADIA cases

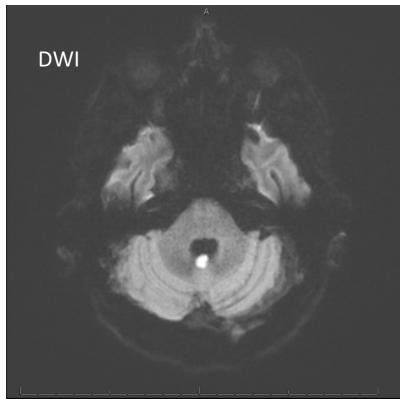
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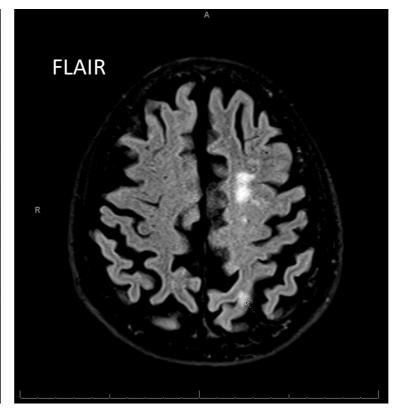




#### Case #1

• 79 yo African American female presents with acute onset gait instability. MRI reveals acute DWI lesion in the cerebellar vermis >1cm and multiple cortical lesions on FLAIR.





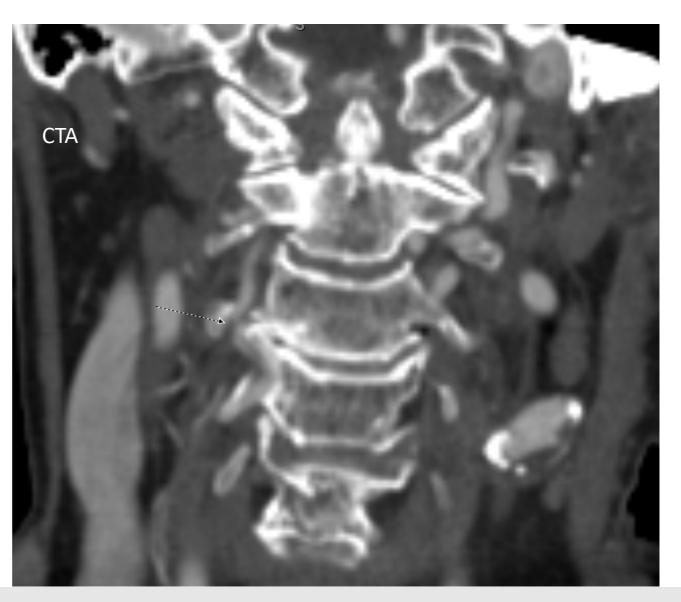




# CTA of head and neck

- Right vertebral artery:hypoplastic with focal
  moderate to severe
  stenosis (>50% stenosis) at
  C3-C4 from uncovertebral
  osteophytes (arrow).
- Lt vert unremarkable.
- Rest of work up unremarkable.







#### Q: Would you consent this patient if no other exclusions?

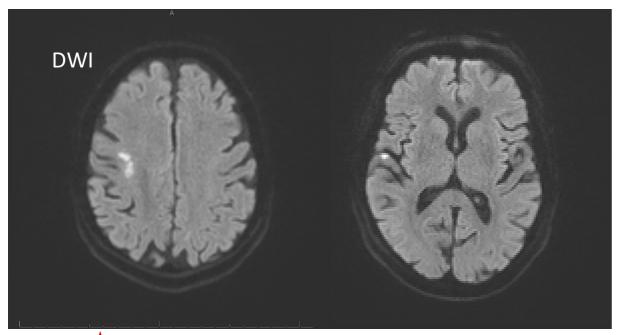
 Answer: Yes, even though the non-dominant vertebral artery is significantly stenotic, it is believed to be due to external compression from osteophytes and not due to intrinsic atherosclerotic disease and thus unlikely to be related etiology.

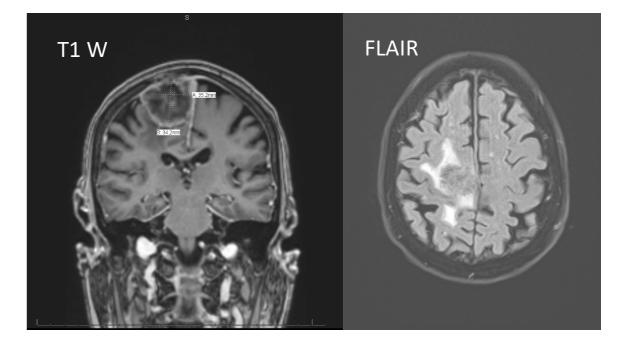




#### Case #2

• 93 yo Caucasian female with HTN, DM, presents with left hemibody weakness, CTH shows heavily calcified extra-axial mass with mild surrounding edema. MRI shows DWI embolic appearing lesions in right MCA territory. Patient lives independently. No contraindications for study.









#### Q: Will this patient be eligible for consenting?

• Answer: Yes.





# Literature Update Slides - Mitch





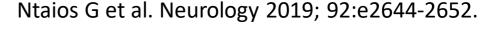
- Ntaios G et al. Carotid plaques and detection of atrial fibrillation in ESUS. Neurology 2019; 92:e2644-2652.
- Background: Substenotic plaque (i.e., carotid plaque <50%) may be a cause of ESUS. If so, then patients with ipsilateral substenotic plaque should be *LESS LIKELY* to have AF detected during follow-up.
- Hypothesis: Patients with ESUS with substenotic plaque are less likely to have AF detected during follow up.





- Retrospective analysis
- 777 patients from 3 different registries (Lausanne, Athens, Larissa)
- Follow up 2642 patient-years (mean 3.4 years per patient)
- Primary outcome: detection of AF; no systematic monitoring for AF







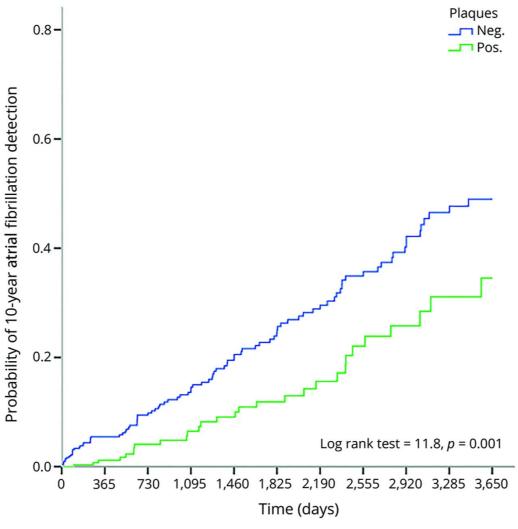
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- Follow up 2642 patient-years (mean 3.4 years per patient)
- Primary outcome: detection of AF; no systematic monitoring for AF
- Results:
  - 38.6% of patients (n=341) had an ipsilateral substenotic plaque
  - The detection rate was 8.5% in patients with substenotic plaque vs 19.0% in patients without substenotic plaque.
  - After adjusting for other factors, presence of plaque associated with ~50 likelihood of detecting AF (adj HR 0.57, 95%CI 0.34-0.96).



Ntaios G et al. Neurology 2019; 92:e2644-2652.



#### Ten-year cumulative probability of atrial fibrillation detection in embolic stroke of undetermined source patients with and without nonstenotic carotid plaques ipsilateral to the index stroke



George Ntaios et al. Neurology 2019;92:e2644-e2652



- Potential implications:
  - Substenotic plaque may be causally associated with ESUS
  - The finding of substenotic plaque may be a reason to pursue more or less aggressive monitoring for AF (i.e., look less hard in those without the plaque)
  - Patients with substentoic plaque may similarly be less likely to have atrial cardiopathy
- Limitations
  - The incidence of AF detection is high even in those with substenotic plaque (~9% over 3 years).
  - Study was retrospective
  - No systematic monitoring for AF or uniform detection protocol (i.e., based on clinical detection)
  - Patients did not have intracranial imaging for "pragmatic reasons": may not have all had ESUS



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# Open mike...





#### Feel free to reach out!

- 24-hour telephone hotline
  - Please use it for any urgent questions
  - Eligibility, randomization, unblinding, etc
- 1-877-427-2234 (1-877-4AR-CADI): useful to save in your cell phone
- The hotline automatically calls the four PIs in succession
  - Please let it ring
  - And call back if no luck—one of us will pick up!
- Please email arcadia@ucmail.uc.edu with non-urgent questions



