

2024 Howard B. Burchell Memorial Lecture

The Marfan Syndrome





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Learning Objectives

At the completion of this activity, the participants should be able to:

- Discuss the history of Marfan Syndrome.
- List the surgical treatments options for Marfan Syndrome.
- Name the pharmaceutical treatment options of Marfan Syndrome

Minneapolis Heart Institute Foundation Cardiovascular Grand Rounds

Date: March 25, 2024 | Time: 7:00 - 8:00 AM

Location: Minneapolis Heart Institute Foundation Learning Center 920 E 28th Street, Suite 100 | Minneapolis, MN | 55407

Webinar: Please attend via webcast: https://zoom.us/j/438383016 or at mplsheart.org/gr

Dial in number: Dial: 929-205-6099 Webinar ID: 438-383-016 (phone-in is anonymous and you will not receive CME credit)

About: Dr. Howard B. Burchell



Howard B. Burchell, MD, was born in Athens, Ontario, Canada. He received his medical degree from the University of Toronto in 1932. He continued his training at Toronto General Hospital, the University of Pittsburgh, the Mayo Graduate School, and the London Hospital Medical School and Heart Hospital in England. After World War II, during which Dr. Burchell served in the U.S. Army Medical Corps, he returned to the Mayo Clinic as a consultant, ultimately becoming Professor of Medicine. In 1968, Dr. Burchell was appointed Chief in Cardiology at the University of Minnesota Medical School, a position he held until his official retirement in 1975.

After retirement, Dr. Burchell was Professor Emeritus of Medicine and an active participant in the medical academic life of the Minneapolis/St. Paul community. He received several professional honors both during his career and after retirement. Today he is widely recognized as one of the foremost authorities in cardiology during the 1950s and 1960s. He is considered to have set the stage, with his colleagues, for the ablation of accessory AV connections, which ultimately led to the current era of interventional cardiac electrophysiology. The annual Burchell lecture is a tradition that was created over twenty years ago as a way to honor Dr. Burchell and his contributions to the world of medicine.