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2025 In Review – iCARDIO Alliance Expanding Global Access to Practical Cardiovascular Care

Our first [Global Implementation Guidelines on Heart Failure](#) were published in *Global Cardiology* on 1 May, and with nearly 9,000 downloads, they are rapidly being adopted across the global cardiovascular community. They've also been re-published in the *Cardiovascular Journal of Africa*, *Heart Lung and Circulation (Australia & New Zealand)*, and the *Heart Failure Journal of India*, with more re-publications on the way.

To boost education and uptake, we've launched the Heart Failure Global Implementation Guidelines 2025 Slide Set, available on the [iCARDIO website](#). This practical resource supports teaching in any healthcare setting. [Access the slide set](#) for your next Heart Failure presentation.



Download [the Heart Failure Global Implementation Guidelines 2025 Slide Set](#)

Momentum continued with the September 30 publication in *Global Cardiology* of our [Global Implementation Guidelines on Obesity Therapy in Patients with Cardiovascular Disease](#). They have been re-published in the *Journal of Cachexia, Sarcopenia and Muscle (JCSM)*, with further re-publications coming soon.



Looking ahead, our next set of Guidelines – on **Ischemic Heart Disease** – is under Peer Review and will be open for Public Review in the New Year. Work is also already advanced on the development of our **Atrial Fibrillation** Guidelines, and we look forward to publication of both in 2026.

Our in-person meeting held in Madrid alongside the ESC Congress in August showcased the global impact of the iCARDIO Alliance. Chaired by Professors Fausto Pinto and John Atherton, the session featured updates from Clara Saldarriaga, Stefan Anker, and Andrea Russo on the progress of the iCARDIO Guidelines and future plans for education, dissemination and global scale-up.

New Guideline topics – Cardiomyopathy, Prevention and Cardio kidney metabolic issues/MASLD

We also plan to publish Guidelines on Cardiomyopathy in 2026. These Guidelines will include obstructive and non-obstructive hypertrophic cardiomyopathy, amyloidosis, sarcoidosis, Fabry disease and Chagas disease. Other Guidelines to be started in 2026 for publication in 2027 will be: Prevention and Cardio kidney metabolic issues/MASLD.

Help inform Global Implementation Guidelines: iCARDIO survey on Atrial Fibrillation now open!

Our new [global survey](#) explores clinicians' real-world experience with Atrial Fibrillation guidelines, including challenges and barriers to implementation across different healthcare settings. Your input will help shape practical, implementation-focused guidance for clinicians worldwide.

We invite cardiologists and all professionals involved in AF care to participate.

[Take the survey!](#) We warmly encourage all colleagues involved in AF care to take part. Together, we can build guidelines that work for everyone, everywhere.

Partner with the iCARDIO Alliance

The iCARDIO Alliance continues to grow, now [uniting 20 cardiology societies](#) worldwide. We are delighted to welcome our newest members: the Asian Heart Society, the Heart Success Foundation, and the Roland Hetzer International Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery Society. Partner societies can recommend experts for guideline task forces and nominate peer reviewers, ensuring diverse, real-world perspectives.

Together, 18 professional societies and 2 patient societies are advancing equitable, practical, and implementation-focused cardiovascular care. We also now welcome healthcare networks and hospitals to support wider guideline dissemination.

We invite current partners to help grow this global community. To join or refer a partner society, please contact Guidelines Director Veronica Dean: vdean@tmacademy.org

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact dporter@icardio.org

Thank you for your continued support!

With warmest wishes,
The iCARDIO Team

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