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# Cardiorenal Differences Among NSAIDs and Coxibs: Real-World Experience

This supplement to *The American Journal of Managed Care* contains information on the cardiorenal differences among NSAIDs and Coxibs. The supplement has been peer reviewed by an expert in the field.

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#### **GOAL**

To provide current information on anticoagulation therapy for the treatment of atrial fibrillation.

## **TARGET AUDIENCE**

This activity is intended for physicians, medical directors, pharmacists, pharmacy directors, P&T committee members, primary care physicians, and specialists in hematology and internal medicine.

## **EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES**

After participating in this activity, participants should be better able to:

- Explain the epidemiology and initial management of new-onset atrial fibrillation.
- Discuss the randomized trial evidence for the efficacy and safety of anticoagulants.
- Describe the impact of anticoagulation therapy on costs, stroke risk, and quality of life.
- Identify the new antithrombotic drugs currently under study and review their impact on treating atrial fibrillation.

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