

## Minneapolis Heart Institute Foundation® Cardiovascular Grand Rounds

**Title:** Left atrial appendage closure for atrial fibrillation patients: updates on surgical and transcatheter device options

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**Date:** September 16, 2019

**Time:** 7:00 - 8:00 AM

**Location:** ANW Education Building, Watson Room



### OBJECTIVES

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

1. Describe the epidemiology of atrial fibrillation and stroke.
2. Describe the guidelines indications and limitations for anticoagulation.
3. Identify the data, devices and indications for left atrial appendage closure.

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