Volume Overload and Renal Function of Congestive Heart Failure

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Upon completion of the educational activity, the participant will be better able to:

• Articulate the pathophysiology of volume overload in heart failure, renal function in heart failure, and the relationship between hyponatremia and heart failure.
• Identify clinical scenarios in which the use of biomarkers may contribute to an early diagnosis of cardiorenal syndrome and to a timely therapeutic intervention.
• Utilize current and emerging techniques of fluid status assessment in the course of patient diagnosis.
• Develop appropriate treatment and management regimens for congestive heart failure that will not contribute to the worsening of renal dysfunction.

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