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Averting a Crisis in Hypertension Management

- 1. Management of Hypertension according to the latest local and international guidelines.
- 2. Highlight the use of Single Pill Combination (SPC) as first line anti hypertensive therapy.
- 3. The rationale of using combination of Angiotensin Receptor Blocker (ARB) and Calcium Channel Blocker (CCB) as recommended by ESC/ESH guidelines 2018 & EHRA guidelines 2020.
- 4. The combination of Telmesartan and Amlodipine will be discussed in detail. Differentiate between ARBs and highlight on SPC Telmesartan and Amlodipine which is a truly once daily dosing with 24 hours BP protection and cardiovascular protection.
- 5. Share clinical case studies to illustrate the potential risk of hypertensive crisis if there is an abrupt and severe increase blood pressure (hypertensive emergency).
- 6. Discuss on how to prevent hypertensive crisis (treatment adherence and tight BP control)
- 7. Discuss on the benefits of Telmesartan and Amlodipine in terms of cardiovascular protection as well as long 24hr half-life, and how it can benefit different patient profiles to avert hypertensive crisis.