

# Symposiums

**SS4.2****Recent Advances in Acute Ischaemic Stroke Management****09:00 Theatre 2****Mechanical Thrombectomy in Acute Stroke – Radiologist’s Perspective***Lee R**Department of Radiology, Queen Mary Hospital, Hong Kong*

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Intra-arterial thrombectomy is currently an option for treatment of acute ischemic stroke within six hours of symptom onset (Class 1; Level A). How to implement this service is indeed a great challenge.

Who should lead the team? Who should perform the procedure? Drip and ship to comprehensive stroke centre or treated in the hospital where patient admitted? Posterior circulation ischaemic stroke? In-hospital stroke? Computed tomography on brain, angiography alone or do we need additional imaging modalities? General anaesthesia or monitoring anaesthetic care? Should we treat in octogenarian? Hardware arrangement?