



## Dr L Srichandran

MD, DM (Cardiology) 15+ Years Experience

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## Overview

**Dr. A L Narayanan** is a senior and highly respected Cardiologist with over 40 years of experience, currently practicing at Apollo Speciality Hospital, Teynampet, Chennai. With an MD and DM in Cardiology, Dr. Narayanan brings unmatched depth of expertise and clinical acumen to the diagnosis and treatment of complex cardiac conditions.

Throughout his four-decade-long career, Dr. Narayanan has been at the forefront of cardiology, specializing in interventional procedures, cardiac diagnostics, and the management of critical heart diseases. His practice encompasses a wide range of cardiac interventions, including angioplasty, coronary artery disease management, heart failure treatment, and preventive cardiology.

Fluent in **English** and **Tamil**, Dr. Narayanan ensures clear communication and compassionate care for patients from varied linguistic and cultural backgrounds. His patient-first philosophy emphasizes careful evaluation, personalized treatment planning, and long-term cardiac wellness.

Beyond his clinical work, Dr. Narayanan is also involved in medical mentorship and academic exchange, frequently participating in national and international cardiology forums. His leadership and contributions have helped shape best practices in cardiovascular care across the region.

Known for his integrity, precision, and unwavering dedication, **Dr. A L Narayanan** stands as one of Chennai's most trusted names in cardiology—committed to delivering high-quality, evidence-based heart care to patients from across India and beyond.

## Experience

- **Senior Resident** – Internal Medicine & Cardiology, Vijaya Heart Foundation, Vijaya Hospital, Chennai (Aug 2003 – Mar 2004)
  - **Senior Registrar** – Internal Medicine & Cardiology, Vijaya Heart Foundation, Vijaya Hospital, Chennai (Dec 2007 – Jul 2008)
  - **Consultant Cardiologist** – Vijaya Hospital, Chennai (2011 – 2019)
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### Academic Activities

- Evaluated 100 patients with Pancytopenia at Sri Ramachandra Medical Centre (2004 – 2007)
- Evaluated established and novel risk factors for Coronary Artery Disease in South Indian population (both sexes under 55 years) (2008 – 2011)

### Clinical Experience

- Expertise in advanced interventional percutaneous procedures
- Skilled in high-risk complex angioplasties:
  - Bifurcation Stenting
  - Left Main Stenting
  - Intravascular Ultrasound (IVUS)
  - Optical Coherence Tomography (OCT)
  - Pressure Wire Studies (FFR – Fractional Flow Reserve)
  - Laser Atherectomy
  - Intravascular Lithotripsy
  - Rotablation
  - Vein Graft Stenting
- Proficient in invasive procedures:
  - Permanent Pacemaker Implantation

## Membership

- Life Member, Cardiology Society of India

- Fellow, European Society of Cardiology
- Fellow, Society for Cardiovascular Angiography and Interventions
- Life Member, Indian Medical Association

## Awards

- Best House Officer, Department of Accident & Emergency, Sri Ramachandra Medical Centre – 2003
- Certificate of Participation:
  - Heart Failure Program – Sep 2010, Sri Ramachandra Medical Centre
  - Cipla–AHA Scientific Sessions – The Vital Summit – 2010
  - Heart Failure & Arrhythmia Summit – Feb 2011, Fortis Malar Hospital
- Cleveland Clinic Cardiology Update – 2011 (Certified by Cleveland Clinic, USA)
- International Associate Member – American College of Cardiology (2015)

## Research and Publication

- **Oral Presentation:**
  - *Prevalence of Lipoprotein (a) in the South Indian Population* – 61st Annual Conference, Cardiological Society of India – Dec 2009, Kochi
- **Posters Presented:**
  - *Prevalence of Increased Vascular Stiffness in South India (with/without risk factors)* – 62nd Annual Conference, CSI – Dec 2010, Kolkata
  - *Prevalence of Dyslipidemia in Middle & Low-Middle Income Groups in South India* – 62nd Annual Conference, CSI – Dec 2010, Kolkata
  - *Prevalence of Lipoprotein (a) Pattern in South Indian Population* – 62nd Annual Conference, CSI – Dec 2010, Kolkata

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### Research Experience

#### Co-Investigator:

1. **FREEDOM Study** – Multicenter study comparing non-invasive pulmonary capillary wedge pressure with PA catheter
2. **SENSIBLE Heart Failure Study** – Multicenter study on primary pulmonary hypertension using Trepstinil (oral formulation)

## Frequently Asked Questions