Summary for lecture:

This lecture would cover the up-to-date recommended protocols for performing a fetal echocardiogram in the Maternal fetal medicine practice.

Normal views will be demonstrated and discussed as well as common congenital cardiac defects that may be seen during gestation.

Current recommendations for measurements and peak velocities will be discussed. Separation of Cyanotic lesions from non-cyantic heart disease will be discussed so that the distinction can be made

between critical cardiac disease which could be significant for fetal outcome at time of delivery from other less concerning disorders that can be followed up with a cardiologist in the postnatal period.