

## Speaker Biography

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### **Jeffrey Friedman, MD**

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Jeffrey Friedman, MD, is Vice President Therapeutic Head, Cardiovascular, at Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals, USA, having joined the company in 2003.

Dr. Friedman completed his medical degree at Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx, New York in 1973 and took up research posts at The New York Hospital Cornell, gaining a Fellowship in Paediatric Nephrology and then at The Children's Hospital Boston and Harvard Medical School, where he gained a Research Fellowship in Nephrology.

Between 1978-1981, Dr. Friedman was Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at Cornell University Medical College – The New York Hospital and then from 1981-1983, Clinical Affiliate at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia.

Prior to his position at Boehringer Ingelheim, Dr Friedman held positions at a number of leading pharmaceutical companies including Senior Director, Cardiovascular / Internal Medicine at Knoll Pharmaceutical Company, Division of BASF Corporation and Vice President, Development at Collateral Therapeutics inc.