1. Record Nr. UNINA9910300096803321 Cardiac Drugs in Pregnancy / / edited by Karen Sliwa, John Anthony Titolo London:,: Springer London:,: Imprint: Springer,, 2014 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-4471-5472-X Edizione [1st ed. 2014.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (141 p.) Collana Current Cardiovascular Therapy Disciplina 616.1061 Soggetti Cardiology **Obstetrics** Maternal and child health services Pharmacotherapy Obstetrics/Perinatology/Midwifery Maternal and Child Health Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Nota di contenuto Introduction -- General principles and guidelines -- Management of Hypertension -- Management of Heart Failure -- Management of coronary artery disease & Arrhythmia -- Anticoagulation in Pregnancy -- Obstetric drugs in management if Cardiovascular disease -- Pregnancy anaesthesia in patients with cardiovascular disease. In the western world, the risk of cardiovascular disease in pregnancy Sommario/riassunto has grown due to the increasing age at the first pregnancy and the worldwide obesity epidemic leading to early diabetes and hypertension. As a result more women are requiring drug therapy during pregnancy and some data has shown an altered pharmacodynamic profile in pregnant women when compared to the non-pregnant population. Cardiac Drugs in Pregnancy presents up-to-date research for the treatment of cardiovascular disease during pregnancy, and discusses the most important indications of drug usage in pregnancy and postpartum. The book aims to assess the potential risk of drugs and their possible benefit against each other, making it an essential read for a wide range of health professionals involved in cardiac drug therapy in pregnancy.