

Table I. CHADS2-VASC stroke risk prediction algorithm

C	Congestive heart failure (or Left ventricular systolic dysfunction)	1
H	Hypertension : blood pressure consistently above 140/90 mmHg (or treated hypertension on medication)	1
A₂	Age ≥75 years	2
D	Diabetes Mellitus	1
S₂	Prior Stroke or TIA or thromboembolism	2
V	Vascular disease (e.g., peripheral artery disease, myocardial infarction, aortic plaque)	1
A	Age 65-74 years	1
Sc	Sex category (i.e. female sex)	1