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## **Biography**

Dr. Michele Turek is an Associate Professor in the Faculty of Medicine at the University of Ottawa, staff cardiologist at the Ottawa Hospital and University of Ottawa Heart Institute. She was the co-chair of the 2000 Consensus Conference on Women and Ischemic heart disease for the Canadian Cardiovascular Society. Her expertise is in clinical cardiology, heart disease in women, echocardiography, preoperative assessment and cardio-oncology. She is a medical advisor for the Canadian Women's Heart Health Centre and the co-chair for the 2016, 2018 and 2020 Canadian Women's Heart Health Summit.