

	CHA2DS2-VASC RISK SCORE (ISCHAEMIC STROKE)	DEFINITIONS	POINTS Awarded
SCORE CALCULATION	Congestive heart failure	Clinical heart failure or LVEF <40%	+1
	Hypertension	Hypertension or on anti-hypertensive medications	+1
	Age ≥75 years		+2
	Diabetes mellitus	On hypoglycaemic drugs and/or insulin, or fasting glucose >7mmol/L (>125mg/dL)	+1
	Stroke	History of any stroke*, TIA, or thromboembolism	+2
	Vascular disease	Previous MI (heart attack), PAD, or aortic plaque	+1
	Age 65-74		+1
	Sex category	Female	+1
PATIENT'S TOTAL SCORE			
CONSIDERATIONS		Oral anticoagulation recommended at CHA_2DS_2 -VASc score ≥ 1 for men, ≥ 2 for women	
ELECTRONIC Calculator		www.chadsvasc.org	

LVEF: left ventricular ejection fraction; MI: myocardial infarction; PAD: peripheral artery disease; TIA: transient ischaemic attack;

^{*}any stroke includes intracranial haemorrhage