

About Dr. Charles Simonton

Divisional vice president, Medical Affairs, chief medical officer, Abbott Vascular

Dr. Simonton's role with Abbott Vascular includes evaluating and testing new internal devices in development; advising pre-market clinical research across clinical science, legal and regulatory groups; defining the global strategy and structure of all post-market clinical research; assessing new business development opportunities; medical oversight of commercial product performance and safety; and continuing his interest in the education of interventional vascular physicians by establishing a diversified medical sciences department. He is active in all strategic aspects of Abbott Vascular's mission to bring the best therapeutic devices to patients through innovative technology development and comprehensive clinical research.