

Title (en)

METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR TREATING HEART FAILURE WITH VIBRATIONAL ENERGY

Title (de)

VERFAHREN UND SYSTEME ZUR BEHANDLUNG VON HERZINSUFFIZIENZ MIT VIBRATIONSENERGIE

Title (fr)

PROCEDES ET SYSTEMES POUR LE TRAITEMENT DE L'INSUFFISANCE CARDIAQUE AVEC L'ENERGIE VIBRATOIRE

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO2004112895A1] Methods and systems for pacing the heart include a vibrational transducer (14), which directs vibrational energy at the heart, usually including at least one ventricle, to pace the heart to promote synchronized contraction of the ventricles. Optionally, additional vibrational and/or electrical stimulation (12) may be provided.

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