

Dr. Jennifer H. Mieres (Cardiologist)

Director of Nuclear Cardiology

Jennifer H. Mieres, M.D., F.A.C.C., F.A.H.A, a native of Trinidad, West Indies, is the Director of Nuclear Cardiology and Assistant Professor at New York University School of Medicine. She is a nationally recognized expert in cardiovascular diseases in women and is routinely called upon by the media to comment on heart health. She has appeared in national and local media outlets including two recent documentaries for PBS.

A graduate of Bennington College and Boston University School of Medicine, she is a Fellow of the American College of Cardiology and the American College of Physicians and is board certified in cardiovascular diseases and nuclear cardiology. Her society memberships also include The American Heart Association, The Society of Nuclear Medicine, the Association of Black Cardiologists and she is a founding member of The American Society of Nuclear Cardiology (ASNC). As the Chair of ASNC's Task Force on Women and Coronary Artery Disease (2001-2002), Dr. Mieres supported women-specific, heart-healthy initiatives.

As a member and President of the Board of Directors of the Long Island region of the American Heart Association, Dr. Mieres is actively involved in community service and has been a guest speaker at several community functions. She is also the immediate past Chair of the Long Island American Heart Association Task Force on "Take Wellness to Heart": A campaign to increase the awareness of heart disease and stroke in women. She is a recipient of the 2002 New York State Governor's award for excellence and a recipient of the "Women Achievers Against The Odds" 2002 award from the Long Island Fund for Women and Girls. Dr. Mieres is a national spokesperson for the American Heart Association and is a member of the Committee on Cardiac Imaging of the Council on Clinical Cardiology of that organization. She also serves on the Scientific Advisory Board for Womenheart. Dr. Mieres as a producer of the PBS documentary "A Woman's Heart" was recently nominated for an Emmy for Best documentary in the Health Science category at the 46th Annual New York Emmy Awards held in March 2003. In August of 2003, Dr. Mieres was featured as an "Everyday Hero" in Newsday. In April 2004, Dr. Mieres was awarded the Womenheart Wenger Award for Healthcare, and in May 2004, Dr. Mieres received the award for service in Medicine from the Long Island Center for Business and Professional Women.