464 patients enrolled for the study

258 patients eligible for the study

258 random division

129 intervention group

105 completed 18 months of yogic intervention with medication

Lost to follow up
- 18 completed less than 16% of yoga classes
- 2 died
- 4 transferred

129 control group

103 completed 18 months medication only

Lost to follow up
- 15 stopped medication
- 3 died
- 4 too busy
- 4 loss of contact

176 patients not eligible
- 39 not interested
- 26 eligible but did not participate due to transportation problems
- 23 autonomic function tests not completed

Figure 1 Flow-chart of the participants (patients with coronary artery disease, Lucknow, India) in the 18-month yogic intervention study showing progression of both intervention and control groups