Recent studies have shown oral pathogens and inflammation create *systemic* disorders.





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Oral Inflammation affects more than your mouth.

## Are you at risk?

Patients with periodontal disease are *3 times* more likely to suffer a heart attack or stroke.

| Do you have diabetes?   | Υ | N |
|-------------------------|---|---|
| Do you smoke?           | Υ | N |
| Family history of       |   |   |
| cardiovascular disease? | Υ | N |
| Do you have high        |   |   |
| blood pressure?         | Υ | N |
| Family history of       |   |   |
| periodontal disease?    | Υ | N |
|                         |   |   |

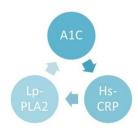
If you answered **YES** to any of these, you are at an *increased risk*.

The research on oralsystemic health is clear.

Oral inflammation increases your risk of a cardiovascular event.

Treat the inflammation and reduce your risk.

By checking inflammation markers, your provider can give you a picture of where you are on the spectrum of risk.



The Heart Smart Screen ® is a finger-stick test done in the dental office.



## Why is this test panel important to me?

If you are diabetic, smoke, or have a history of cardiovascular or periodontal disease, you are at an increased risk of suffering a heart attack or stroke. By testing TODAY we can begin the process of getting baseline numbers and show you where you are on the spectrum of risk.



## How is the test administered?

About 5 drops of blood is needed and is collected via finger-stick and stored and shipped on a patented dry blood spot card.









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