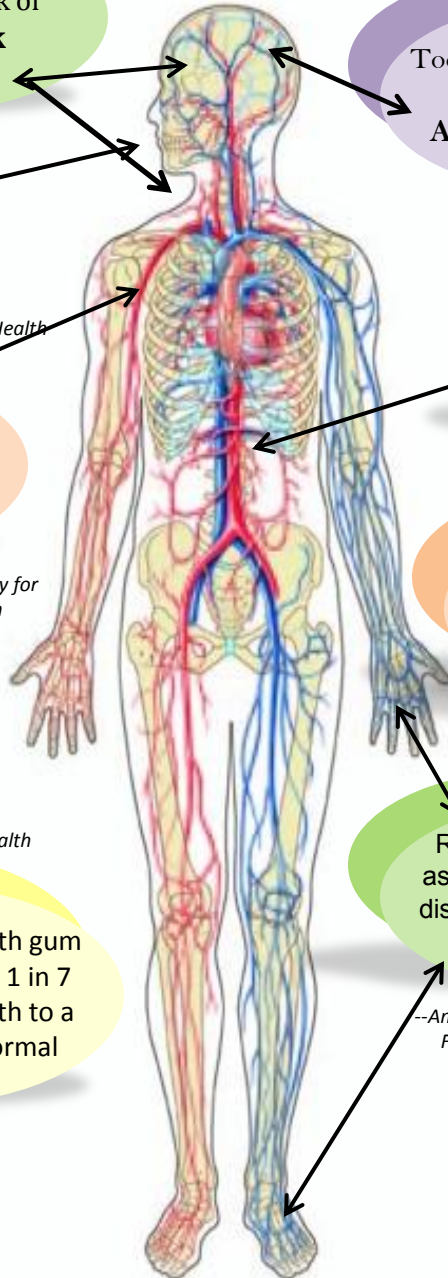


The facts are...

Your mouth "talks" to your body...

...and your body "talks" to your mouth!



Gum disease increases the risk of **head & neck cancer.**
--AAOSH

Tooth loss & gum disease increase the risk of **Alzheimer's disease.**
--Mayo Clinic

Cavities are caused by a germ that spreads while kissing & sharing food.
--American Academy for Oral Systemic Health

Gum disease increases **pancreatic & kidney cancer** risk by 62%.
-- Harvard

Bacteria in your mouth travel to other parts of your body in your **bloodstream.**
--American Academy for Oral Systemic Health

93% of people with gum disease are at risk for **diabetes.**
--AAOSH

Diabetes & bleeding gums increases your risk of **premature death** by 400 – 700 percent.
--American Academy for Oral Systemic Health

Pregnant women with gum disease have only a 1 in 7 chance of giving birth to a healthy child of normal size.
--AAOSH

Research has found an association between gum disease and **rheumatoid arthritis.**
--American Academy of Family Physicians

People with gum disease are twice as likely to die from **heart disease** & three times as likely to die from **stroke.**
--Mayo Clinic

The Surgeon General reports that at least 80% of American adults have gum disease.
--AAOSH

Bacteria that live in your mouth can cause

heart disease, high blood pressure & stroke.

