TO ORAL PATHOGENS



SIMPLY PERIO™

Most patients won't recognize they have some form of Gum Disease.

- Alzheimer Disease
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- Heart Disease/Attack

 Aa Pg Tf Td Fn Fa Pi Co Eo Sm Ca V
- Stroke Aa Pg Tf Td Fn Fa Pi Cr Sm Ca
- Diabetes Aa Pg Tf Td Fa Sm Ca
- Cancer (Aa) (Pg) (Tf) (Fn) (Fa) (V)
- Kidney Disease
 Pg Tf Td
- Rheumatoid Arthritis
 Aa Pa
- Aa) Pg Tf Td Fn Fa Pi Ec Sm Adverse Pregnancy Outcomes High Blood Pressure
 Aa Pg Tf Td Fn Ec

- Liver Disease
 Aa
 Pg
 Td
 Fn
 V
- Multiple Sclerosis
- Women's Health

- Gut Health Pg Fa Fn V



WHY TEST?

Periodontal disease (also called gum disease) is a polymicrobial biofilm infection. This inflammatory disease has two stages: gingivitis and periodontitis. Triggered by pathogenic bacteria, it leads to the damage of the soft tissue and bone supporting the teeth.

90% of the population has a form of gum disease.1 In some it may be easy to spot, however, in the vast majority these dangerous and damaging periodontal pathogens can't be identified by a perio probe or a visual exam. Testing delivers evidence and identifies the causative bacterial burden using DNA analysis.

Gum disease is the most undiagnosed & untreated disease with the highest impact on so many bodily systems & functions. Testing drives more patients into the necessary periodontal therapy they need with a commitment to better home care regimens.

- 1. Many healthcare providers miss the critical link between oral health and a patient's dramatic increase in major disease risk.
- 2. Testing drives clinical insights for an informed hand off and medical diagnosis opportunity.
- 3. Provides yearly oral cancer screening opportunity.
- 4. Empowers holistic patient understanding and offers true life-saving treatment adding practice value, driving patient loyalty, & delivering the highest level of patient care.

of the population **HAS A FORM** OF GUM DISEASE

Gum disease is a polymicrobial biofilm infection. Gone unchecked, pathogens and their toxins can easily move through the bloodstream with far reaching and catastrophic affects on items like the heart, arteries and central nervous system.1

OF THOSE WITH DIABETES also have gum disease lowering glycemic control

> **MORE LIKELY TO DEVELOP ALZHEIMER'S**

if suffering more than 10 years from gum disease

HEART ATTACKS & STROKES ARE

triggered by oral bacteria^{2,3,4}

GREATER RISK OF CANCER

with gum disease5

WHO TO TEST?

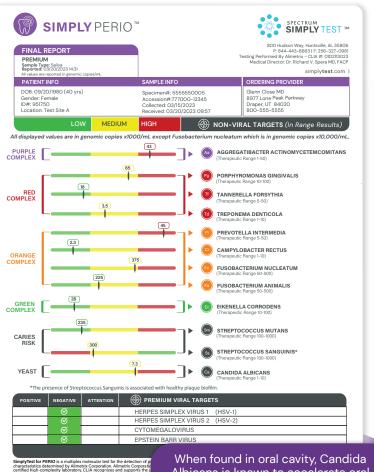
- Test everyone! Periodontal disease is the most undiagnosed & untreated 1. disease with the highest impact to so many bodily systems and functions.
- Patients with bleeding (Gingivitis) while charting or cleaning and those with mild, moderate, or severe Periodontitis.
- Those patients with unexplained inflammatory biomarkers such as hsCRP. 3.
- All patients pre and post restorative care procedures (braces, extraction, root canals, implants).
- 5. Those currently pregnant or actively pursuing pregnancy.
- All patients at current risk of any systemic health disease.

Periodontal Pocket = Bacterial Infection Increased Risk for Other +Tooth Loss = Medical Complications Plaque +Bone Level Inflammation Calculus Reduction (Biofilm) STAGE 2 STAGE 3 STAGE 4 STAGE 1 Mild Very Severe Moderate Severe **Periodontitis Periodontitis Periodontitis** Periodontitis

Plaque inflamed gums that bleed easily when charting or cleaning.

The beginning of bone and tissue loss around the tooth. More bone and tissue destruction.

Extensive bone and tissue loss. Teeth may become loose.



HOW D TEST?

Only noninvasive saliva collection with patented preservation solution that freezes oral bloom pathogen activity at the point of collection for the most accurate patient-specific disease state understanding.

- 1. Collect 1 mL of patient saliva, place in postage paid box, & send sample off to the lab.
- Review results in 24-48 hours on secure HIPAA compliant portal including option to share with patients.
- Evaluate actionable clinical insights and determine next steps or provider hand-off collaborative treatment plan.
- 4. Retest to monitor successful outcomes.



Source Infographic: The American Academy for Oral Systemic Health (AAOSHI)
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Albicans is known to accelerate oral

disease growth and progression.

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