

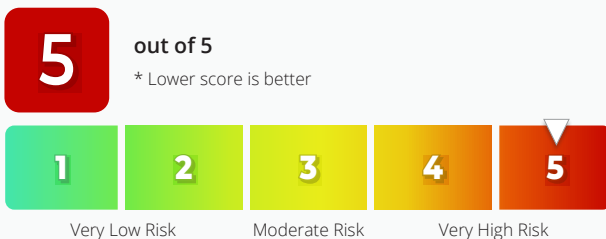
Oral Disease and You


There are three major oral diseases:

- Tooth decay
- Gum disease
- Oral Cancer

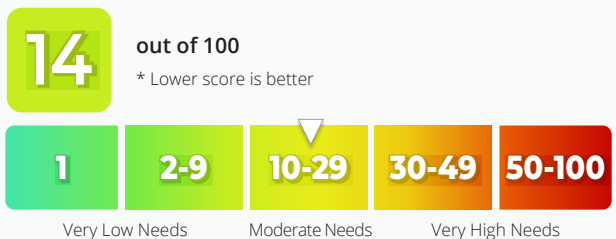
Your dental professional is your first line of defense in helping to ensure a lifetime of oral health. With emerging research showing that the health of your mouth may have an impact on your overall health, good oral care is no longer just about a beautiful smile.

Tooth Decay Risk Score



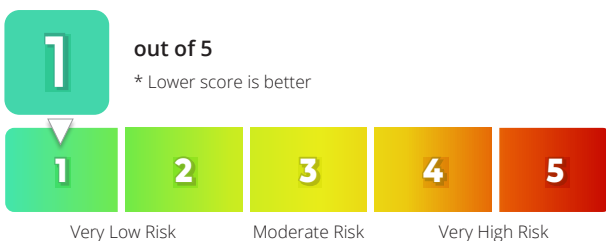
 The tooth decay risk score describes the likelihood that without appropriate home and professional care, the health of your teeth may worsen, resulting in tooth decay or breakdown of existing restorations.


Restorative Needs Score



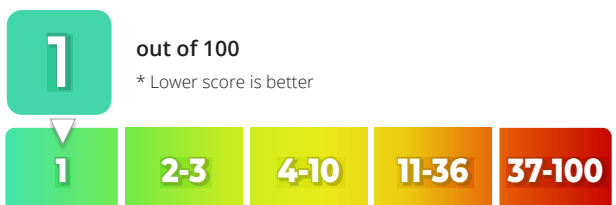
Your score indicates that you have some active tooth decay or some existing restorations that may be failing. Your dental professional can advise you on the best strategy to correct this situation.


Gum Disease Risk Score



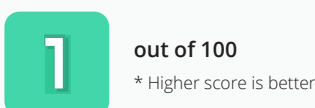
 The gum disease risk score describes the likelihood that without appropriate home and professional care, the health of your gums may worsen resulting in infection and inflammation of your gums and the possible loss of teeth.


Gum Disease Score



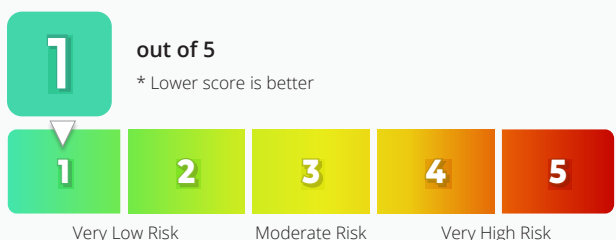
 Congratulations! Your score indicates your gums are healthy.


Gum Health Stability Score



 The gum health stability score informs whether or not your gum health is stable (unchanged [stable] or worsened condition). The first gum health assessment always results in a score of zero (0). As your gum health is assessed over time, the score will increase by 10 points for every year of gum health stability, reaching a maximum of a score of 100 indicating 10 years of stability. If your gum health worsens, the score will return to a score of zero (0).

Oral Cancer Risk Score



 The oral cancer risk score describes the probability of developing mouth cancer as a result of your individual risk factors. These can include inherited factors as well as lifestyle factors.