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MOUTH BODY

Tooth decay is an **infectious** chronic disease; it is also 100% preventable.

🦷 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention 🦷

More than 42,000 cases of **oral cancer** will be diagnosed this year.

🦷 National Cancer Institute 🦷

More than 500 **medications** negatively affect the oral cavity.

🦷 Special Care Dentistry Association 🦷

Poor dental health increases the risk of **bacterial pneumonia** for seniors and those in long-term care.

🦷 National Institutes of Health 🦷

Research has indicated that periodontal (gum) disease increases the risk of heart disease.

American Academy of Periodontology

Periodontitis is associated with pre-term birth and low birthweight **babies**.

🦷 American Academy of Family Physicians 🦷

Periodontal disease is associated with poor **blood sugar** control for those living with diabetes.

🦷 American Diabetes Association 🦷

Employed adults lose more than **164 million hours of work** each year due to oral health problems...

🦷 U.S. Surgeon General 🦷

If left untreated, tooth decay can have serious consequences, including **death**.

🦷 National Children's Oral Health Foundation 🦷

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