

Metallic Taste On Mouth

== Medical uses == 58894ccd86 Its primary use in medicine is in the treatment of secondary hyperparathyroidism associated with chronic kidney disease. However a 2016 systematic review did not find evidence sufficient to demonstrate an advantage of paricalcitol over non-selective vitamin D derivatives for this indication. 58894ccd86 == Contents == 58894ccd86 The enzymes found in saliva are essential in beginning the process of digestion of dietary starches and fats. These enzymes also play a role in breaking down food particles trapped within dental crevices, thus protecting teeth from bacterial decay. Saliva also performs a lubricating function, wetting food and permitting the initiation of swallowing, and protecting the oral mucosa from drying out. 58894ccd86 Hyposalivation is a clinical diagnosis that is made based on the history... 58894ccd86 The tongue is covered with thousands of small bumps called papillae, which are visible to the naked eye. Within each papilla are hundreds of taste buds. The exceptions to this are the filiform papillae, which do not contain taste buds. There are between 2000 and 5000 taste buds that are located on the back and front of the tongue. Others are located on the roof, sides and back of the mouth, and in the throat. Each taste bud contains 50 to 100 taste receptor cells. 58894ccd86 Taste receptors in the mouth sense the five basic tastes: sweetness, sourness, saltiness... 58894ccd86 It is available as a generic medication. 58894ccd86

Necrotizing gingivitis Foul breath. The main features are painful, bleeding gums, and ulceration of interdental papillae (the sections of gum between adjacent teeth). This disease, along with necrotizing periodontitis (NP) and necrotizing stomatitis, is classified as a necrotizing periodontal disease, one of the three general types of gum disease caused by inflammation of the gums (periodontitis). Bad taste (metallic taste). signs and symptoms may be present, but not always. Malaise, fever and/or cervical lymph node enlargement are rare Necrotizing gingivitis (NG) is a common, non-contagious infection of the gums with sudden onset 58894ccd86

== Species and geographic spread == 58894ccd86 A burning sensation in the mouth can be a symptom of another disease when local or systemic factors are found to be implicated; this is not considered to be burning mouth syndrome, which is a syndrome of medically unexplained symptoms. The International Association for the Study of Pain defines burning mouth syndrome as "a distinctive nosological entity characterized by unremitting oral burning or similar pain in the absence of detectable mucosal changes" and "burning pain in the tongue or other oral mucous membranes", and the International Headache Society defines it as "an intra-oral burning sensation for which no medical or dental cause can be found". To ensure the correct diagnosis of burning mouth... 58894ccd86 As pines are gymnosperms, not angiosperms (flowering plants), pine nuts are not "true nuts"; they are not botanical fruits, the seed not being enclosed in an ovary which develops into the fruit, but simply bare seeds—"gymnosperm" meaning literally "naked seed" (from Ancient Greek: γυμνός, romanized: gymnos, lit. 'naked' and σπέρμα, sperma, 'seed'). The similarity of pine nuts to some angiosperm fruits is an example of convergent evolution. 58894ccd86

Saliva In humans, saliva is around 99% water, plus electrolytes, mucus, white blood cells, epithelial cells (from which DNA can be extracted), enzymes (such as lingual lipase and amylase), and antimicrobial agents (such as secretory IgA, and lysozymes). little saliva may experience dysgeusia (reduced ability to taste or to experience a metallic taste), occurring as an adverse effect of some prescription drugs Saliva (commonly referred to as spit, drool or slobber) is an extracellular fluid produced and secreted by salivary glands in the mouth 58894ccd86

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Bismuth subcitrate/metronidazole/tetracycline These effects are known from the drug's components as well The drug combination bismuth subcitrate/metronidazole/tetracycline (trade name Pylera) is used for the treatment of peptic ulcer with an infection by the bacterium *Helicobacter pylori*. It is taken by mouth. diarrhea, nausea and dysgeusia (distortion of the sense of taste), especially a metallic taste 58894ccd86

Making Contact discusses all aspects of close encounters with extraterrestrials. Editor Bill Fawcett said their existence is "unquestionable". The book includes

explanations of signs and symptoms of an alien abduction, such as burns, tinnitus, a metallic taste in the mouth, and double vision. Particular locations, such as Area 51 and Mexico City, are described as giving the best chance of an encounter. 58894ccd86 The often severe gum pain that characterizes NG distinguishes it from the more common gingivitis or chronic periodontitis which is rarely painful. If NG is improperly treated or neglected, it may become chronic and/or recurrent. The causative organisms are mostly anaerobic bacteria, particularly Fusobacteriota and spirochete species. 58894ccd86

Burning mouth syndrome People with burning mouth syndrome may also have a subjective xerostomia (dry mouth sensation where no cause can be found such as reduced salivary flow), paraesthesia (altered sensation such as tingling in the mouth), or an altered sense of taste or smell. No related signs of disease are found in the mouth. A burning sensation in the mouth can be a symptom of another disease Burning mouth syndrome (BMS) is a burning, tingling or scalding sensation in the mouth, lasting for at least four to six months, with no underlying known dental or medical cause. sensation such as tingling in the mouth), or an altered sense of taste or smell 58894ccd86

Xerostomia Intraoral halitosis Xerostomia, also known as dry mouth, is a subjective complaint of dryness in the mouth, which may be associated with a change in the composition of saliva, reduced salivary flow, or have no identifiable cause. caused by autoimmune involvement. g. , a metallic taste) and dysosmia, altered sense of smell. Dysgeusia – altered taste sensation (e 58894ccd86

== Definition == 58894ccd86 Saliva has specialized purposes for a variety of animal species beyond predigestion. Certain swifts construct nests with their sticky saliva, such as Aerodramus, whose nest is consumed by humans as bird's nest soup. Venomous saliva injected by fangs is used by cobras, vipers, and certain other members of the venom clade to hunt. Some caterpillars use modified salivary glands to store silk proteins, which they then... 58894ccd86 Predisposing factors include poor oral hygiene, smoking, poor nutrition, psychological stress, and a weakened immune system. When the attachments of the teeth to the bone are involved, the term NP is used. Treatment of NG is by removal of dead gum tissue and antibiotics (usually metronidazole) in the acute phase, and improving oral hygiene to prevent recurrence. Although the condition has a rapid onset... 58894ccd86

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Taste Taste, along with the The gustatory system or sense of taste is the sensory system that is partially responsible for the perception of taste. Humans have taste receptors on taste buds and other areas, including the upper surface of the tongue and the epiglottis. The gustatory cortex is responsible for the perception of taste. Taste, along with the sense of smell and trigeminal nerve stimulation (registering texture, pain, and temperature), determines flavors of food and other substances. substance in the mouth reacts chemically with taste receptor cells located on taste buds in the oral cavity, mostly on the tongue. Taste is the perception stimulated when a substance in the mouth reacts chemically with taste receptor cells located on taste buds in the oral cavity, mostly on the tongue 58894ccd86

Dysgeusia Dysgeusia is also often associated with ageusia, which is the complete lack of taste, and hypogeusia, which is a decrease in taste sensitivity. These include artificial saliva, pilocarpine, zinc supplementation, alterations in drug therapy, and alpha lipoic acid. A major cause of Dysgeusia, also known as parageusia, is a distortion of the sense of taste. The alterations in the sense of taste, usually a metallic taste, and sometimes smell are the only symptoms. The distortion in the sense of taste is the only symptom, and diagnosis is usually complicated since the sense of taste is tied together with other sensory systems. therapy, and alpha lipoic acid. An alteration in taste or smell may be a secondary process in various disease states, or it may be the primary symptom. Common causes of dysgeusia include chemotherapy, asthma treatment with albuterol, and zinc deficiency. Different drugs can also be responsible for altering taste and resulting in dysgeusia. Due to the variety of causes of dysgeusia, there are many possible treatments that are effective in alleviating or terminating the symptoms. Liver disease, hypothyroidism, and rarely, certain types of seizures can also lead to dysgeusia 58894ccd86

Paricalcitol It is an analog of 1,25-dihydroxyergocalciferol, the active form of

vitamin D2 (ergocalciferol). Marketed by Abbott Laboratories under the trade name Zemplar) is a drug used for the prevention and treatment of secondary hyperparathyroidism (excessive secretion of parathyroid hormone) associated with chronic kidney failure. Headache Somnolence Nausea Vomiting Dry mouth Constipation Muscle pain Bone pain Metallic taste in the mouth. However, many of these symptoms are also Paricalcitol (chemically it is 19-nor-1,25-(OH)₂-vitamin D₂ 58894ccd86

It was patented in 1989 and approved for medical use in 1998. 58894ccd86 == Signs and symptoms == 58894ccd86 This symptom is very common and is often seen as a side effect of many types of medication. It is more common in older people (mostly because individuals in this group are more likely to take several medications) and in people who breathe through their mouths. Dehydration, radiotherapy involving the salivary glands, chemotherapy and several diseases can cause reduced salivation (hyposalivation), or a change in saliva consistency and hence a complaint of xerostomia. Sometimes there is no identifiable cause, and there may sometimes be a psychogenic reason for the complaint. 58894ccd86

Pine nut According to the Food and Agriculture Organization, only 29 species provide edible nuts, while 20 are traded locally or internationally owing to their seed size being large enough to be worth harvesting; in other pines, the seeds are also edible but are too small to be of notable value as human food. cause pine mouth syndrome, a taste disturbance lasting from a few days to a few weeks after consumption. A bitter, metallic, unpleasant taste is reported Pine nuts, also called piñón (Spanish: [piˈnon]), pinoli (Italian: [piˈnoːli]), or pignoli, are the edible seeds of pines (family Pinaceae, genus Pinus). The biggest exporters of pine nuts are China, Russia, North Korea, and Pakistan 58894ccd86

Xerostomia is the subjective sensation of dry mouth, which is often (but not always) associated with hypofunction of the salivary glands. The term is derived from the Greek words ξηρός (xeros) meaning "dry" and στόμα (stoma) meaning "mouth". A drug or substance that increases the rate of salivary flow is termed a sialogogue. 58894ccd86 This combination is used together with omeprazole as a 'quadruple therapy' for the eradication of H. pylori and for preventing peptic ulcers that are caused by this bacterium. 58894ccd86

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