

## Heart Problems and Treatments

### Task 1

Each box below is a problem that can happen with the heart.

Underneath each box, drag the consequence of the problem to the correct position.

Narrowed  
coronary arteries

High cholesterol  
levels in blood

Faulty valve  
in the heart

Heart muscle  
failure

Drag these boxes into the empty ones above:

Heart stops  
pumping blood

Tiredness/ out of  
breath

Less  
oxygen/glucose  
gets to heart  
muscle

Build up of fatty  
deposits / plaque in  
arteries

### Task 2

Match the treatment with the description of how the treatment helps.

Treatment

Description of how the treatment  
helps

STATINS

Allows blood to be pumped while  
waiting for a heart transplant

STENT

Lowers blood cholesterol

VALVE REPLACEMENT

Replaces faulty heart with one that is  
healthy

ARTIFICIAL HEART

Widens narrowed arteries

HEART TRANSPLANT

Restores full blood flow in the heart