

Blood and Cardiovascular Medical

Roots

Angi/o: vessel (blood)

Aort/o: aorta

Arteri/o: artery

Atri/o : atrium

Cardi/o: heart

Coron/o:

Ven/o: vein

Phlel/o:

Plasm/o: plasma

Spleen/o: spleen

Thym/o: thymus

Valv/o: valve

Valvul/o:

Ventricul/o: ventricle

Ather/o: fatty plague

Bacteri/o: bacteria

Ech/o: sound

Electr/o: electricity

Isch/o: deficiency, blockage

Sphygm/o: pulse

Steth/o: chest

Therm/o: heat

Thronb/o: clotting

Embol/o: embolus

Hem/o: blood

Hemat/o

Prefixes

brady: slow

tachy; fast

end: lining

Suffixes:

-ac: pertaining to

- apheresis: removal

- stenosis: narrowing

- megaly: enlargement

- spasm: tightening, cramping

- crit: to separate

- graph: instrument to record

-odynia; pain

- penia: decrease in number

- poiesis: formation

- sclerosis: hardening

- crasia: mixture or blending

- lytic: to destroy

- stasis: to control, stop