

Definition: Ventricular Septum

The Ventricular Septum is a wall that divides the left and right side of the heart.

It separates the bottom two chambers of the heart, called the ventricles.

Some health conditions that affect the ventricular septum include:

Ventricular septal defect (VSD) which is a hole in the wall between the two ventricles.

And Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy, where the septum thickens over time causing the heart to not pump as well as it should.

Want to know more about the ventricular septum? Talk with your care team. They are here to help.