



Across

3. Difficulty breathing when lying flat, a symptom of heart failure.
6. The excretion of sodium in urine, often targeted in heart failure treatment.
8. The process by which the heart pumps blood out to the body.
9. A rapid heart rate, which can be a symptom of heart failure.
10. An enzyme released by the kidneys in response to low blood flow.

Down

1. A sudden, recurrent attack of symptoms, such as nocturnal dyspnea.
2. A valve in the heart that can become leaky or narrowed, causing heart failure.
4. Scarring of the heart muscle, often a result of heart failure.
5. Insufficient blood flow to the heart muscle, often leading to heart failure.
7. Swelling often seen in the legs and feet due to fluid retention.