

Functions Of The

Vascular System

The arteries and veins are the blood vessels that carry blood throughout the body



The arteries carry oxygenated blood from the heart to other body parts



The veins carry deoxygenated blood from various body parts to the heart



Tiny capillaries supply oxygen-rich blood to the tissues in the body



The pulmonary blood vessels (arteries and veins) circulate blood between the heart and the lungs



The heart maintains the blood flow and continues blood circulation throughout a person's life

