

# Tooth Fungus / Lion's mane *Hericium* *coralloides* / *americanum* / *erinaceus*

**Traits:** Bundles of spines pointing to the ground, hanging along branches converging towards stem; 10-25 cm diam., whitish, browning with age; white spores

**When:** occasional july → Sept.

**Where:** on live or dead hardwood throughout North America

**Risks:** ramarias and clavarias on the ground, with spine turned upward, often non-edible; *H. erinaceus* (no branch), *H. americanum* (longer spines), edibles



*Hericium coralloides*

