

Beware of fluoride; it can be harmful

Earlier this year, there was an article in the O-D, "Bottled water may rob you of fluoride." Many don't understand that fluoride is a poison that can accumulate and kill you.

Several well-controlled fluoride studies show little difference in cavity rates, with or without fluoride. But, there are documented illnesses and death from water supplies and fluoride treatments in dental offices. Toothpaste labels carry a warning for non-use under six years of age because of 11,000 calls per year to poison control centers.

The National Federation of Federal Employees, consisting of chemists, biologists, and toxicologists issued this warning: "We conclude that the Health and Welfare of the public is not served by the addition of fluoride to the water supply."

In spite of clear evidence, dentists and some doctors are still ignorant regarding the very unwise demanding of fluoridation of water. Fluoride affects the synthesis and repair of DNA and may contribute to the transformation normal cells to cancerous cells, as well as kidney damage, retina changes, allergic reactions and other illnesses. When coupled with chlorine, a proven carcinogen, under certain conditions, becomes doubly dangerous!

Water purification can be achieved by Ozone Technology, which has a history of proven safety and cost efficiency.

Why can't our city and county water engineers investigate and convert Utica Water System to a healthier and cheaper system. Which, when accomplished can be used to attract a new businesses and industries to the area, creating new jobs and prosperity. Time for a change, don't you think?

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