

Kansas Fluoride Information Newsletter

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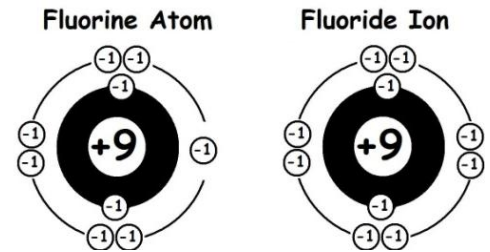
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Up to this point the KFIN Newsletters have focused mostly on the elephant-in-the-room so to speak, i.e., the fact that on July 20, 2012 the **Harvard School of Public Health** concluded that artificially fluoridated water lowers IQ in children. See [the report](#) and the [follow-up report](#) dated February 11, 2013, which clarified the facts.

Unfortunately the average IQ deficit in children exposed to increased levels of fluoride in drinking water was found to correspond to an IQ loss of about 7-points – enough to make an “A” student permanently perform as a “B” student, etc. A lack of awareness of this finding is causing many Kansas communities to continue artificial water fluoridation today.

Speaking to a worldwide audience, not just to Kansas, the FLUORIDE ACTION NETWORK said:

“...Legislators who continue to mandate the addition of fluoride to public water without fully apprising themselves of this research [Harvard and other research which shows fluoride’s effect on the human brain] are doing a profound disservice to the health and welfare of their constituents.” See the [link in context](#).

While the reduction in IQ alone should logically end all fluoridation programs in the country, a loss in IQ is not the only horrific side effect of artificial water fluoridation.

For many years **cancer** has also been a concern. Because of fluoride’s tendency to attach itself to calcium, and since both bone and teeth

contain large amounts of calcium, **osteosarcoma** or **bone cancer** and **dental fluorosis** have been at the center of the [fluoride debate](#) since at least 1990.

However, now, [new evidence](#) suggests that fluoride may also be the root cause of some non-bone related cancers, and a contributing factor in most, if not nearly **all cancer** in humans.

(Note - this new evidence is not yet “proof” of cause and effect. KFIN has no intention of overstating scientific facts.)

One strong new example of the fluoridation-cancer connection is a [March 2013 report](#) by the Irish scientist, **Declan Waugh**, who did a two-year study for submission to the **World Health Organization (WHO)** and two other government entities, which compared the fluoridated Republic of Ireland, with the non-fluoridated Northern Ireland.

The [Executive Summary of Health Review Findings](#) for **Declan Waugh’s** 159-page report sums it up this way:

“Taken together, the evidence suggests that chemical intolerance and increased exposure to fluorides through fluoridation of public water supplies may be viewed as one of the largest single causes of preventable death and health inequality in the Republic of Ireland.”

We will have more on the fluoride-cancer connection in our next issue. ###