

# Kansas Fluoride Information Newsletter

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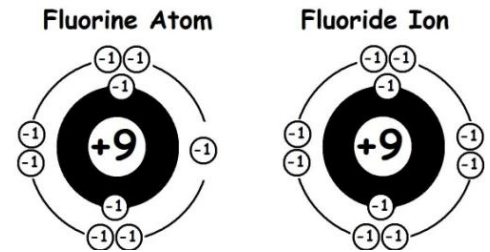
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The last KFIN issue introduced the newest scientific evidence of the correlation between ingested fluoride and cancer. The Irish scientist, **Declan Waugh**, led a [two-year study](#) published in March of 2013 that was submitted to the **World Health Organization (WHO)** and two other European government entities. The study contains disturbing new evidence that came to light while investigating the epidemiological data on disease and mortality in Ireland related to water fluoridation and fluoride exposure.

This study confirms the correlation between fluoride and brain-damage shown in other studies, as documented in KFIN Issue-02.

The reason that Kansans should be interested in this Irish study is that **Declan Waugh** and his team had something available to them, that scientists in the USA do not have; that is, a near-perfect laboratory setting for testing the health effects of water fluoridation. The **Republic of Ireland** has been largely fluoridated since the 1960s while **Northern Ireland** is and has been a strictly non-fluoridated neighboring country.

This unique situation gives scientists two distinct populations that are genetically similar, geographically similar, eat a similar diet, and are similar in virtually every scientifically significant way, except that one population is fluoridated, while the other is not. This ideal setting makes real scientific progress toward settling the 40-year plus, fluoride-cancer correlation debate possible!

In 1971, a US biochemist, **Dr. M. Dean Burk PhD** (1904–1988), who served 34 years at the

**US National Cancer Institute (NCI)**, conducted a study of the effects of fluoride in drinking water in the United States. **Dr. Burke** said: **"In point of fact, fluoride causes more human cancer death, and causes it faster than any other chemical."** See [CANCER AND FLUORIDATION](#). Ironically, while **Dr. Burke's** work was a major factor in persuading most all of the non-English-speaking countries of Europe to remain or become non-fluoridated, his point of view did not prevail in the USA.

Today it might be the work of a European Scientist, **Declan Waugh**, whose astonishing recent information tips the scales against artificial water fluoridation in the USA.

It should be noted that the incentive for this [Irish Study](#) originally came from a 2006 [U.S. National Research Council \(NRC\) Report](#) which reviewed toxicological, epidemiologic and clinical data on fluoride and exposure data on orally ingested fluoride from drinking water and other sources and which examined the adverse effects on various organs systems, and genotoxic and carcinogenic potential of fluoride on human health. This NRC Report led to a lowering of the 1962 recommended concentration of fluoride in US drinking water in 2010 - **nearly cutting the recommended level in half** to a maximum of .7 PPM (*parts per million*); it had been a range of .7 to 1.2 PPM.

The Irish findings clearly support the [published findings](#) of the NRC scientific committee, but it does not end there.

The next issue of KFIN will display a chart of various human health problems affected by community water fluoridation in Ireland. ##