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Film Review

Fluoride: Poison on Tap

A new DVD documentary shines a bright light on the fluoridation scheme:
why it started, how it affects us all and what we can do about it.

In 2012 the documentary *The Great Culling: Our Water*¹ took a “big picture” approach of the sinister reasons underlying water fluoridation and why it remains as policy in very few countries.

That film's top-down perspective was a challenging one to many people and as a result, some viewers new to the subject were not able to take it all in. The new film has been completely reworked for a wider audience.

*Fluoride: Poison on Tap*² is quite different to *The Great Culling: Our Water* with lots of new footage. Most importantly, the context of “the big picture” has changed to that of a “grassroots” perspective that is readily accessible to viewers “who have the ears to hear”.

The DVD cover is appropriately yellow, the colour of fluorine gas, though the gas is highly reactive and doesn't normally exist in nature. The yellow also conveys the new film's bright and optimistic outlook. Although the documentary deals with the shady past, it is based firmly on the encouraging assertion that fluoridation's days are numbered, especially as more and more people discover what's been hidden from them and what fluoride's many harmful effects are.

History

Fluoridation: Poison on Tap begins with a fast-paced brief historical overview, including fluoride's strong association with the development of the atomic bomb, as documented in investigative reporter Christopher Bryson's book *“The Fluoride Deception”*.³ Bryson had published his book in 2004 after ten years of research, and included formerly classified US government Manhattan Project documents showing the military's major preoccupation with the possible costs of damage to the health of humans,

Victory in Northern Victoria!

The former Mayor of Indigo Shire has failed in his attempt to force diluted industrial fluoride wastes on the towns of Beechworth, Rutherglen and Yackandandah.

Cr Gaffney had signalled his intention on the 29th Sept to fluoridate (*The Border Mail*, 1st Oct 2015). But the local community has shouted this down and the Council has voted against it (Oct 27). The former Mayor may struggle to be re-elected to Council. Congratulations to all involved! Remain vigilant, find out more and share with others.

animals, crops and general environment from the massive amount of fluorides used to manufacture the atomic bomb. Hence the military's efforts to cover up fluoride's injurious effects on people working on the bomb project.

The Donora Death Fog in industrial Pennsylvania in 1948 is covered, along with the hiring of PR spin doctor Dr Edward Bernays by the collective interest groups of corporations and governments, who stand to gain by the introduction of fluoridation. Bernays later remarked to Chris Bryson that this fluoride promotion was “child's play”. The spotlight also briefly illuminates the advertising industry.

The film reviews the “Love Canal” environmental disaster at Niagara Falls. The Hooker Chemical Corporation (a subsidiary of Occidental Chemical), had dumped millions of tonnes of toxic waste on their land and later sold the land to the local school district for one dollar to build a housing estate. By the late 1970s, the chemicals were seeping into basements and causing health issues. Jimmy Carter was President of the USA at

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the time, and said “*there must never be, in our country, another 'Love Canal'*”. But the multi-billion dollar company only paid a \$200 million penalty, barely a slap on the wrist.

Present Day

Only a small number of countries significantly dose their people with fluorides. A graphic demonstrates the eight main countries that still fluoridate, though Israel has removed fluoridation since the filming.

The film visits Gary Pittman in Florida (familiar to viewers of the earlier film as an Occidental Chemical Company Phosphate Mining supervisor) and he explores more deeply the human costs of encountering fluorides. Examined are the types of (industrial) fluorides used and what the warnings are on the MSDS (material safety data sheet) labels. Earlier we'd seen some packaging warnings for fluorides which included the obligatory skull and cross bones. Then we encounter just some of the main health effects (thyroid, pineal gland, joint pain and arthritis, skeletal and dental fluorosis), and the effects on babies drinking formula made with fluoridated tap water.

The links between fluoride and cancer are mentioned a few times but not covered in any depth, with only a few small mentions of the names of Drs Burk and Yiamouyiannis.

These two giants in the fluoridation research field showed a definitive statistical link between cancer and fluoridated water supplies. They showed in their huge study of 20 million people (data from the US Department of Health) that there is a 5-10% increase in cancer in fluoridated areas. Fluoridation promoters admitted this under cross examination in courts of law (e.g. Pittsburgh). Burk and Yiamouyiannis' work still stands, though the Cancer Industry (a subdivision of Big Pharma, Big Chemical and Big Medical) would much rather this research is not mentioned. The film raises many questions, with this cancer link being a big one, and it is up to the viewer to further research these areas. For example, see “The Blaylock Interview” in *The Australian Fluoridation News* (April-June 2011),⁴ and Dr John Yiamouyiannis' book, “*Fluoride: The Ageing Factor*”.⁵

Further information follows about fluorides as a drug (as the element has pharmacological effects); its inclusion in toothpaste; and how pervasive fluorides are in the food chain – once it gets into tap water, it gets into most foods and is hard to get out of the body as it accumulates. The mounting evidence of damage to the brain, with a steadily increasing number of studies showing reductions in IQ levels, affecting individuals and whole countries such as the USA and Australia.

The striking and memorable title of the film is similar to that of the late Glen Walker's book, “*Fluoridation: Poison on Tap*”.⁶ Glen preferred the use of the term “fluoridation” as it's the artificial process that makes it “poison on tap”, over just the name of element “fluoride”. Both titles bring home the consequences of allowing “authorities” to add industrial effluent to water supplies, with the result that human beings become, as Glen observed, “walking waste-disposal units” for various industries.

The Environment and “super” Phosphate

The camera drone's aerial footage of the Florida phosphate mining wastelands is insightful, and shows the source of the fluoride mining operations, and the environmental destruction

and lingering threats that result, including the disposal of some of the waste water into local waterways.

As a side note, it's remarkable how ineffective and uninformed the environmental movement is about fluoride generally. This film shows significant environmental harms and indicates that more disasters are yet to come, such as sinkholes developing in weaknesses in the limestone underneath the massive (acidic and toxic) waste water pools and thus draining into the region's water table.

We'd add that the super-phosphate products themselves cause harm to the environment and to human health, particularly as they contain three to four percent fluoride. The effects include poor health and cancer, as former Australian farmer Percy Weston documented in his book “*Cancer: Cause and Cure*”,⁷ though he attributed it more to the phosphorous and the lack of other important minerals in the super-phosphate.

Dr David Kennedy, who appears throughout the film, says in an interview for the previous film, that so much phosphate causes the plant to soak up water and so boost crop weight (for market), but it's deficient in minerals and has no taste.⁸

The use of superphosphates drives large-scale agri-business, as the plants are less disease tolerant, and so they also require herbicides and pesticides. Phosphate fertilisers are far from being “super” as claimed. In the past, one company sold “de-fluoridated” super-phosphate.

Solutions

The Solutions section is nicely put together, watching that chapter a number of times is worthwhile. The earlier film has further suggestions, though note that distilled water did not get the same positive review that it does in this new film.

The Australian Fluoridation News has not fully investigated the merits of distilled water compared to water supplies with a naturally occurring mineral content (provided of course the water is free from fluorides, either artificially added or, in rare instances, naturally occurring). But we can make a few comments. In general, distilled water is beneficial. But it's not best for everybody. For example, anyone with significant toxicity who starts on distilled water will go through detox reactions, so it may be better to start on filtered water first. It's up to individuals to research, consult with healthcare practitioners, and ultimately make their own choices.

Most water filters do not remove fluorides, as they usually only use ceramic or carbon filters. Ceramic filters just remove large particles. Carbon filters are more effective and remove chlorine and some bacteria, but not fluoride. Filters and processes which can be good for removing fluoride include distillers, reverse osmosis (RO) and even some ion exchange units (if they're well-designed and tested). Each type has its pros and cons. See our *Water Filter Type Guide* online.

Many doctors and scientists recommend distilled water, including Dr John Yiamouyiannis in his book *Fluoride: The Ageing Factor*.⁵ Also see the big list of “doctors and experts” at aquariusthewaterbearer.com⁹ and General Practitioner Hans Moolenburgh's piece on water in *The Australian Fluoridation News*.¹⁰ We'll cover this important subject of water more fully in an upcoming edition.

Once fluoride has been added to water, it is not easy to filter it out. How much simpler it would be for governments to just switch off the fluoride tap!

It's similar when we consider showering. Mike Adams, editor of NaturalNews.com, says in the film "Don't shower in tap water, that's so toxic." Adams suggests showering from rainwater [tanks] or well water. Researching tanks would be a pre-requisite, as plastic tanks leach chemicals, and we also need awareness that special care is required for maintaining all types of tanks. Well water needs analysing for mineral content.

David Kennedy notes that it's not easy to get fluoride out of your body, and that pain is a key symptom of osteofluorosis.⁸ He suggests detoxing using calcium, magnesium, vitamin C, selenium and iodine.² Some foods can help too. We suggest taking responsibility for your own health and consulting healthcare practitioner(s) who get good results.

More solutions are presented on the DVD. Ultimately it is for readers to assess the film's *Solutions* chapter as to which solutions they will research further and/or implement.

An important solution is activism, in whatever way(s) you can. As Dr Rota says, "It's time for the silent majority to stand up". Demand clean water!

Production

Fluoride: Poison on Tap has very high production values. The editing is very good and more subtle than its predecessor, though the new film includes some subtle ideas and imagery, such as an unexpected little capstone and pyramid! That's a pointer toward the earlier film and the bigger picture question of why the "powers-that-think-they-be" keep trying to force fluoridation on people who don't want it.

Those interviewed on camera are clear and direct, sometimes with disarming humour, and the film poses many questions which fluoride proponents have never been able to answer satisfactorily.

The writers and script editors have done a brilliant job in condensing the subject material, which flows neatly and is highly accessible for those examining fluoridation for the first time, as well as for those who have known for years or even decades.

When fluoride promoters watch this compelling film, they might even take steps to protect their own families, if they haven't done so already.

The narration takes the documentary to a new level of professionalism and as a result looks and sounds like something you'd see on broadcast television. Although it might not be on mainstream TV this week or next. Imagine it being broadcast to your TV at 7pm tonight and this may put a smile on your face! There'll be a time when all this info is common knowledge.

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A special note for our members – pay attention to the credits and you'll see under "Funding Partners" the name of the Australian Anti-Fluoridation Association. Feel good that you have contributed to this superb and important film.

Jimmy Carter Joins the Out on the Limb Club



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Conclusions

This may well be the best feature-length documentary on fluorides and fluoridation, it's a great place to start.

The film is edited tightly so we recommend watching it again. We also suggest you watch the 2012 film, "The Great Culling: Our Water"¹. Another good follow-up is Chris Bryson's extraordinary book of top-class journalism.³ A further and vital outcome is to be in action in your community at a new level. Make use of this great new DVD resource.

For those new to the subject, it may not be easy to deal with the surprise of discovering that they've bought into the corporate spin of the fluoride waste disposal industry and their associated downstream vested interests.

Note that governments don't necessarily have our best interests in mind and that everyone is being affected by fluorides, whether they realise it or not, and that it is up to "people power" to take the actions to both minimise fluoride's effects and to turn off the policy of fluoridation.

The DVD's back cover says "copy and share" this film. Do both of those and we suggest that you buy your own copy (or copies) and help this powerful and revealing movie find new audiences, which will in turn help to eradicate this scourge from our countries.

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Australia's Double Standard Democracy

A further attempt to force medication on Australian children is the recommendation by the Australian Senate's standing committee on community affairs to "with-hold childcare rebates from the families of unvaccinated children". (Sydney Morning Herald, 13Nov2015)

"Under the proposed law, children who are not vaccinated would not be eligible for a range of childcare subsidies."

While this may be a well-intentioned proposal to reduce the spread of disease, the proposal ignores well-demonstrated examples of damage to health of some children from vaccinations, which can occur some months after the vaccinations, similarly with damage caused by thalidomide.

The proposal smacks of some Senate Committee members having been more influenced by corporate lobbyists than considering the democratic rights of parents. But it's okay for numerous deaths to occur in hospitals due to infections and medical errors, which studies have shown that nearly 50% of medical staff fail to take the simple preventative of washing their hands after treating hospital patients.

In 1946 the Australian people (in all states) voted to change the Australian Constitution to add to Section 51 a new subsection, 23A. The top of Section 51 reads:

"The Parliament shall, subject to this Constitution, have power to make laws for the peace, order, and good government of the Commonwealth with respect to: "

The added subsection 23A reads:

*"(xxiiiA) the provision of maternity allowances, widows' pensions, child endowment, unemployment, pharmaceutical, sickness and hospital benefits, **medical and dental services (but not so as to authorize any form of civil conscription)**, benefits to students and family allowances; "*

The Australian Constitution is our rule book for protecting the Australian people from government (our public servants).

Note our Constitution is more powerful than any Statute law from Canberra, and can only be changed by a Referendum.

So from our Constitution, the "medical service" of vaccination and the "dental service" of fluoridation CANNOT be forced on anyone as a "form of civil conscription".

Further, Article 7 of the "International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights" (within the Australian Human Rights Commission Act 1986, Schedule 2) declares that:

*"No one shall be subjected to torture or to cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment. **In particular, no one shall be subjected without his free consent to medical or scientific experimentation.**"*

Do we have free consent? Not with forced medication, no matter what any worm-tongued politician might say.

If we remain silent, where does this end? It's a dark future indeed. One perspective is that we are being tested. When will we collectively be aware enough and speak up to end the medical tyranny and corporate corruption?

We have the fundamental right to say no. When poison promoters try to insist we take their poison, and we don't want to, we effectively become political protesters.

The Crimes Act (1914, Commonwealth) deals with anyone who tries to suppress a political protester (by violence, threat or intimidation), with a three year jail term. (Section 28)

How far will our public servants go to try to force totalitarian medicine? Could a parliamentarian's next three year term be not in a parliamentary office, but in jail?

This applies to anyone suppressing a political protester, not just politicians. **Know what you want, stand for it and take action.**

See www.knowyourrightsgroup.com/radio-shows/ for further information (podcast #57). See "court cases" (or "vaccination") tabs for resources, including a 'vaccination warranty form' & letter.

Brief Reviews

New Short Film: "Our Daily Dose"

US film-maker Jeremy Seifert has produced a refreshing and even delightful 20 minute film on fluoridation.

The film presents us with brief snapshots of the latest science and what the effects are, featuring a range of knowledgeable scientists and experts. It encourages us to re-examine the events that began 70 years ago this year – the first atomic bomb and fluoridation. (See *The Australian Fluoridation News*, April-June 2015, which discusses this connection).

Fluoride is the most widely distributed drug in the USA. (This is also true in Australia). Fluoride is a poison, and it's not just the dose, but the timing of it – so it affects children and babies especially. It's drugging without informed consent.

Kathleen Thiessen PhD, a co-author of the US National Research Council report (NRC 2006), is interviewed. Fluoride is an endocrine disruptor and implicated in low thyroid conditions affecting one in eight women in the USA.

According to the US Centers for Disease Control (CDC) 41% of people have dental fluorosis. Fluoride also affects IQ and memory, even at 1.0 ppm (parts per million). So dental fluorosis is an indicator of IQ loss in those kids who have grown up in fluoridated communities.

A key theme of the film is the effects on our kids. In the background, we are asked how we can allow the fluoride drug (an endocrine disruptor and damaging neurotoxin with no safe level) to be given to these or indeed any children?

But there's been "institutional reluctance" to move on from the "fluoridation science" of 1950 and into the 21st century.

This compelling film is short and sweet, informative and positive. Artificial fluoridation's days are numbered.

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