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## FLUORIDATION Faulty Science

Do "teeth do better on Fluoride"? ("Border Mail 19th March, 2007").

- How effective is compulsory fluoridation. We still have 25% adult tooth decay. This in spite of an increase of more than 85% in the number of dentists, dental hospitals and improved living conditions.
- The Report claims, "significantly better dental health?" But at the same time the Report admits "25% of Australian adults have untreated dental decay." (Those with treated decay not mentioned). Is this significantly better dental health?
- How can you compare decay rates at present with those 77 years ago.

The Australian Institute of Health and Welfare's new report 2007 claims "their results provide the first evidence within Australian population that drinking fluoridated water during childhood translates into significantly better dental health in adulthood", stated by author Professor Gary Slade.

The author's state-

"People born between 1970 and 1990 had an average of 4.5 teeth affected by decay, compared with more than 24 teeth for those born before 1930" (Between 1970 and 1990 most of Australia was fluoridated)

That is comparing population groups with a difference of 77 years and more, which makes their number claim unacceptable scientifically.

To compare individual dental health before 1930 with people in 1999 is unacceptable as statistical rules demand such comparisons must be with similar places and the same time and in each case the relative data be as close as possible.

People living in 1930 and before, know there can be no comparison made on the dental health of those people who were attempting to live in the world's worst depression. Times were so different, it destroys these new claims about fluoridation. In those days, young girls about to be married, frequently had all their teeth removed to save future dental costs.

My memory of pre 1930's is of the large number of children who had never owned or used a toothbrush because their family could not afford such items. Indeed the number of children in the 1920's attending school in bare feet is similarly hidden from today's so call scientists, with their faulty dental comparisons.

The Australian Institute of Health and Welfare present a case of absolute contradiction of their own claims. They claim to have established that the use of fluoridation on children, "translates into significantly better dental health in adulthood". Then follows their next statement of "FACTS" —

- 1. "In general, about 25% of Australian adults have UNTREATED decay."
- "About one in five Australian adults have moderate to severe forms of gum disease" (20% of adult population = 3 million Australians)

The 25% of Australian adults equals 3,500,000 Australian adults with "untreated decay" but over 85% of the Australian population forced to drink only fluoridated water delivered by the Governments of Australia through their kitchen taps with guarantees the fluoride will stop tooth decay.

This strange BIG PUSH in Australia to force fluoridation is the flavour of the month and openly pushed by Federal Parliament Minister of Health, and all their followers but with no scientific evidence of safety or effectiveness. This peculiar Australian enterprise not only conflicts with world science, but also ignores the fact that only 4% of the world's population uses fluoridation, meaning 96% of the world population does not use fluoridation and still have good teeth!

All the advance scientific countries of Europe, also China, Russia, Japan to name those who do not use fluoridation and understand artificial fluoridation's mythical and unscientific claims.

Professor Albert Schatz, the discoverer of the antibiotic Streptomycin, that saved millions of lives of those suffering tuberculosis stated in 1982:

"Indeed fluoridation is the greatest and potentially the most dangerous medical hoax not only of the present century but of all times. In other words, it is the greatest fraud that has ever been perpetrated on more people than any other fraud has."

Fluoridation promoters state that the reason for the high rate of dental decay is that we do not have enough dentists, proving that fluoridation has failed.

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When faulty Fluoridation science is given unlimited media space and time to push false propaganda, we must pay to publish the TRUTH.

Fluoridation is a belief system perpetuated by commercial interests, faulty science and politics. The condition of children's teeth does not account in any way in the final equation of fluoridation.