

Artificial Water Fluoridation and Increased Premature Births

Fluoridation is associated with more premature births, one of the top causes of infant death in USA.

This is the finding of the State University of New York researchers from data spanning 1993 to 2002.(1)

Research in Chile in the 1970s also showed fluoridation caused an increase in infant death rates. Chile stopped fluoridation as a result.

2010 research demonstrates how the withdrawal of fluoride from the diet lead to decreased anaemia in pregnancy. Anaemia is a serious public health problem leading to



Low birth weight babies leads to increased incidence of disabled and mentally challenged children

To ensure fluoridation was the culprit, and not some other factor, the researchers recorded fluoridation residence status (under or over 1 ppm) and adjusted for age, race/ethnicity, neighbourhood poverty level, hypertension and diabetes. The research was conducted within the university's Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, School of Public Health. (1)

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2. Effective interventional approach to control anaemia in pregnant women . Susheela AK, Mondal NK, Gupta R, Ganesh K, Brahmankar S, Bhasin S, Gupta G. Current Science 2010; 98(10):1320-30.