Fluoride is an unregulated, unapproved drug

"Fluoride and its salts" is a drug (www.napra.org).

- Schedule I drug at doses greater than 1 mg requires a prescription.
- Schedule III drug at doses at or less than 1 mg per dose can only be bought at pharmacies.

"Fluoride and its salts" is put on the "high risk" carcinogen list by the "State's Qualified Experts" (Carcinogen Identification Committee), based on "scientifically valid testing according to generally accepted principles", Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment, California Environmental Protection Agency, under Proposition 65 (Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986). http://www.oehha.ca.gov/prop65/CRNR notices/state http://state.listing/prioritization_notices/1204priornote.html]

Available evidence for "Fluoride and its salts" satisfies the 2005 US EPA guidelines as a "possible Human Carcinogen". As such, the Maximum Contaminant Level Goal should be zero. http://cfpub.epa.gov/ncea/cfm/recordisplay.cfm?deid=116283

European Court Justice ruling (Warenvertirebs-Orthica vs Germany)

Under a new European Court Justice Union ruling, fluoridated water, as a "functional drink" with pharmaceutical properties, **must be regulated as a drug.** It may not be used in the preparation of any food or beverage, nor may such food or beverages made with fluoridated water be exported to the European Union until it undergoes proper pharmaceutical scrutiny and is regulated as a medicinal product in the European Union.

"The Food and Drug Administration Office of Prescription Drug Compliance has confirmed, to my surprise, that there are no studies to

demonstrate either the safety or effectiveness of these drugs which FDA classifies as unapproved new drugs." Letter from Dr. David Kessler, M.D., Commissioner, United States Food and Drug Administration, June 3, 1993 to Congressman Kenneth Calvert, Chairman, Subcommittee on Energy and Environment, Committee on Science, Washington, D.C.

"Health Canada does not recommend the use of fluoride supplements (drops or tablets)."

