DID YOU KNOW? US tap water is regulated to be 6.5-9.5 on pH scale.

Drinking More Water Made Easy

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Drinking more water helps you lose weight, slow skin aging, speeds immune system & kidney function and helps you feel better. Studies and testimonials both prove it. But **HOW** do you get the right kind, temperature, and timing of drinking water. God did not mean drinking water to be so complicated.

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And God said, Let the waters under the heaven be gathered together unto one place, and let the dry [land] appear: and it was so. Gen 1:9 KJV

HERE ARE YOUR MOST COMMON QUESTIONS ABOUT DRINKING WATER

QUESTION ANSWER	
I heard alkaline water is better for my health.	Your body regulates pH of blood tightly or you would die.
	IF you want to spend thousands of dollars on an alkaline
	water machine & can afford it you can- but it is not
What can an activated carbon filter like Brita	necessary or more healthy
	Trihalomethanes (THM), pesticides, industrial solvents
or Pur faucet filter remove?	(halogenated hydrocarbons), polychlorinated biphenyls
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What can an activated carbon filter NOT remove?	Microbes, sodium, nitrates, fluoride, and hardness.
What are Trihalomethanes (THM)?	THMs are a byproduct of the chlorination process used for
	disinfection. EPA does not allow more than 100 parts per
	billion (ppb) in their treated water. They are Cancer Group
	B carcinogens (shown to cause cancer in laboratory
	animals).
Do studies show drinking hot water helps you	There are no scientific studies proving this. THE BEST
lose weight faster?	TEMPERATURE OF WATER TO DRINK IS THE ONE
	YOU LIKE
I read on the internet that drinking cold water	Don't let the internet pseudo-science or anyone cause
causes cancer?	confusion about the simple act of drinking water. THE
	BEST TEMPERATURE OF WATER TO DRINK IS THE
	ONE YOU LIKE
How much water should I drink per day?	Minimum 1 ounce per pound you weigh. Drink more in hot
	weather or after exercise. If you are thirsty, you are already
	dehydrated. (Ex. 150 lb. person needs 1.2 gallons per day)
Are flavored waters ok? I get tired of drinking	Do you mean artificially constructed additives to healthy
plain water sometimes with my meals.	water? "Natural flavors" are a trade secret. Try infusing
	fresh fruits or lemon with your water for a change. DRINK
	WATER BETWEEN MEALS ONLY
Will my plastic water bottle cause cancer or	I prefer glass or PP (polypropylene; #5). Silicone coated
sickness I re-use it?	water bottles are available. PET (polyethylene
	terephthalate; #1) is FDA approved for re-use if
	immediately washed with soap & warm water to prevent
	bacteria growth. I would not re-use thin-walled PET bottles
	only thicker ones (like Gatorade bottle).
Who regulates water safety in the US?	The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the
	Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) are both
	responsible for the safety of drinking water. EPA regulates
	public drinking water (tap water), while FDA regulates
	bottled drinking water.

Mineral Water

- Comes from an underground source protected from pollution
- Natural high mineral content
- Packaged close to source
- May claim medicinal benefits

Spring Water

- Comes from a specific underground source
- No community water treatment systems allowed
- Packaged close to source

Prepared Water

- Comes from any source including municipal water
- Changes
 original water to
 comply with
 water safety
 standards

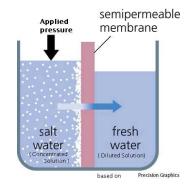
Water Treatment Methods

- Activated Carbon Filter
- Chemical disinfection
 - camping water treatment tablets
 - water treatment plants
- Reverse Osmosis *, **
- Distillation *
- Deionization *
- *This process removes minerals
- **Removes fluoride too



PUR and Brita activated carbon filters are made from coconut shells, which are "heat treated" with steam





ARTESIAN	LEAD
BENZENE	LIFE
BOTTLED	MINERAL
CARBON	PET
CHLORAMINES	PLASTIC
CHLORINE	PURIFIED
COPPER	REVERSE OSMOSIS
DEIONIZED	SPARKLING
DISINFECT	SPRING
DISTILLED	STREAMS
FDA	TAPWATER
FILTERS	TRIHALOMETHANES
GLASS	WIEGHTLOSS





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5 REAL WORLD REASONS TO DRINK WATER BETWEEN MEALS ONLY

- 1. More room for real food- or dessert
- 2. Better tasting food-hydrated
- 3. Fewer snacking binges- eat less
- 4. Smaller waistline-less bloating
- 5. Tastier food + less sodium needed