

## **Mad Hatters or Health Professionals**

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Imagine a world where most people are implanted with the third most toxic metal known to science. A metal which is specifically toxic to nerve tissue and developing brains. This metal will cross the placenta and breast milk and poison the developing foetus. (Another group of people come and inject the newborn baby with more of the same metal at levels which may be 60 times higher than the Food and Drug Administration recommend for this body weight.)

When the child is anywhere from 4 – 6 years of age he/she will also get some of these metal implants and possibly a goodly dose of formaldehyde and nickel.

The adult will have these toxic metal implants replaced about every 10 years.

A unique property of this toxic metal is that it turns to vapour at room temperature and rapidly vaporises at body temperature. It is absorbed easily into the body and stored in the fatty tissues including the myelin sheath around the nerves. It crosses the protective blood brain barrier with ease.

In this same world many people will be told that not only is it OK, but it is in fact a great idea to leave dead, infected and gangrenous tissue in the body. The infection supposedly will not spread and the gasses, which are released from the gangrenous tissue, cannot harm you. These gasses by the way are chemically similar to 'mustard gas' - a known carcinogen and nerve toxin.

Mixtures of metals will then be placed in the adult mouth which promote a greater release of the nerve metal and also will generate electric currents in the order of a 1000 times greater than the circuitry in the brain. Other chemicals will be added to the adult body including zinc oxide which causes calcification in organs, more nickel to further affect the immune system, possibly some gold and titanium for the wealthier and a host of other metals for the rest. Formaldehyde may also be slowly dripped into the body at random times.

These practices will be supported by governments that add rat poison to ALL drinking water. The rat poison is a toxic waste product of the aluminium industry. The rat poison will cause hip fractures and heart attacks and possibly leukaemia. The rat poison will also make both adults and children dumb and apathetic.

When death finally comes and the body is cremated the toxic metals will be released from crematoria chimney at a rate of about 11kg per chimney per year. This pollution will poison the people who are exposed to it and of course the environment.

Each person will pay financially for this abuse at each stage.

No this is not Hitler's torture camps. This is modern, socially acceptable, 'good dentistry'.

To sidestep the danger of mercury poisoning from dental amalgam, the dental associations and unfortunately many professors call on a different big stick. Amalgam is the strongest and thus supposedly the best filling material for back teeth. Since when has a mechanical argument ever taken priority over much published detrimental health effects? Perhaps thalidomide should still be used to stop morning sickness.

The deans, professors and dental associations promote the mechanical argument even in the face of the following statement by Dr. Harold Loe, the Director of the National Institute of Dental Research (NIDR), who, in the September 1993 edition of "Dental Products Report" wrote:

"That first filling is a critical step in the life of a tooth. Using amalgam for the first filling requires removing a lot of the tooth substance, not only diseased tooth substance but healthy tooth substance as well. So, in making the undercut you sacrifice a lot, and this results in a weakened tooth. The next thing you know the tooth breaks off, and you need a crown. Then you need to repair the crown...and so it continues to the stage where there is no more to repair and you pull the tooth. With the first filling you should do something that can either restore the tooth or retain more healthy tooth substance. Use new materials – composites - or materials you can bond to the surface without undercuts. You can do this with little removal of the tooth substance so that the core of the tooth is still there."

It is well known that mercury from amalgam is implicated in the development of Alzheimer's disease, Parkinson's disease, autism and other learning disabilities in children. Mercury from amalgam will cause infertility, birth defects and miscarriage. The amount of mercury in the body of a foetus is directly proportional to the number of amalgam fillings in the mother's mouth.

How many have heard the words - "that tooth will need a Root Canal Therapy". Any objection to this proposition is usually answered with "you must keep the tooth at any cost". The costs we are informed of, are the \$'s needed to do the root treatment and then the \$'s needed to crown the tooth. Dentists are not taught that root therapied teeth can cause cancer

and a host of other chronic degenerative diseases. Dentistry uses the words Root Therapy to conceal the fact that you will be keeping dead infected and gangrenous tissue buried in your jaw. The dental professors blindly state that the concept of Focal Infection died in the 1940's soon after the demise of one of the world's greatest researchers Dr Weston Price. In the 1920's Price demonstrated the spread of infection from dead teeth to the rest of the body. The development of arthritic changes and many other health effects, including cancer, were clearly shown. Bacteria and their toxins can migrate with ease from a dead tooth and spread throughout the body. One of the foundations in medical thinking is, in fact, that focal infection is a major concern to your health. Dentistry blatantly asserts that this is not possible and thus denigrates the science, which is even published in their own journals. In 1997 the Journal of Periodontology devoted a whole issue to the relationship between gum disease and cardiac disorders, diabetes and a number of other chronic degenerative diseases. Literally thousands of references exist demonstrating focal infection from dead teeth.

Many root filling cements contain or breakdown to formaldehyde and many other toxic substances. The formaldehyde will spread to all parts of the body. Apart from being carcinogenic, a host of diseases are reported which relate to formaldehyde exposure.

Is there a Pedodontist (specialist for children's teeth) who can tell us the minimum amount of Formaldehyde, which does NOT cause mutagenic change in a four year old? Silly question? Not at all. These people and many GP dentists regularly place formaldehyde into baby teeth. The procedure is called a 'Pulpotomy'. As if this level of physical abuse is not enough, these pulpotomised teeth are then regularly covered with a stainless steel crown – stainless steel releases high levels of nickel, with devastating effects on the immune system.

The professors and dental association even have the audacity to disagree with legally binding court decisions. On 7<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2003 the Superior Court in San Francisco approved the wording of the following warnings to be displayed in Californian dental surgeries in compliance with proposition 65:

"Dental Amalgam, used in many dental fillings, causes exposure to mercury, a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects and other reproductive harm

Root canal treatments and restorations including fillings, crowns and bridges, use chemicals known to the state of California to cause cancer."

Don't despair just yet. Australia has plans to fluoridate ALL drinking water and no one will ever have decay again – or so we are told! Didn't the Australian government read the news reports?

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Basel to stop fluoridation of drinking water

The city of Basle in Switzerland is preparing to end the fluoridation of municipal drinking water in the autumn. The local parliament has voted to stop the practice, due to high costs and lack of evidence that fluoride cuts tooth decay.”

Some of the well-known effects of fluoride include an increase in bone fragility and thus hip fractures, increased rates of heart disease, and a statistical association between fluoridated areas and leukaemia. A massive epidemiological study of thousands of children in China clearly demonstrated that those in a fluoridated area had substantially lower IQ's than children from non-fluoridated areas. Fluoride makes you dumb. Mercury makes you dumb. Formaldehyde is carcinogenic. Leaves a few questions!

So what's the difference between this insanity and holistic or Bio-Compatible Dentistry?

In the words of the late Edward Arana, D.D.S.;

“Biological Dentistry can be categorized as dentistry with a consciousness. A consciousness of how the treatments of the teeth and jaws will affect the health of the individual and how it will affect the immune system. Will it be congruent and health enhancing or will the treatments be health stressors to the individual. In the past only lip service was paid to the biocompatibility of materials used in dentistry. The material's compatibility was judged on a general basis and not on an individual basis that is required for biocompatibility.

“The most tragic example of misstated biocompatibility is organized dentistry's position of advocating a known poison - MERCURY- in amalgam fillings just because it has been used for 150 years! In doing so, dentistry has been misled and the truth obfuscated concerning the fact that mercury does indeed cause ill effects when placed as an implant in the body even to the point of denying that a filling in a prepared tooth cavity is not an implant. Mercury and other heavy metals from dental fillings contribute to all chronic disease states as do multiple chemical sensitizing exposures. From environmentally ill patients there is clinical evidence that the heavy metals from dental fillings and multiple chemical exposures act synergistically to intoxicate and stress the patient, thus causing disease.”

The teaching of Neural Therapy shows us the connections of the teeth to the rest of the body. Dead teeth and electrical interference from metals

may affect the body's regulatory mechanisms and thereby cause disease states in other parts of the body, often associated with the acupuncture meridian that the offending tooth is on. This German research changes the way we must think about disease. I have lost count of the number of women who have informed me that their breast lumps disappeared within a week of extracting these teeth.

Of course the criticism is that this is purely anecdotal evidence, and not controlled by double blind studies. Sadly, the word 'anecdote' is used to denigrate 'clinical observation'. Many clinical observations are published in reputable journals and still the professors ignore them.

The fabrication of mercury dental amalgam in 1812 changed the face of dentistry worldwide. By the 1850's the American and Swedish Dental Societies had insisted that their members sign a pledge to never place this toxic poison in a persons mouth. The dentists refused as they finally had a material, other than molten lead, with which to fill teeth. Consequently these societies collapsed and the dentists formed new associations, which still regulate the practice of dentistry in almost all countries.

Dental associations, including the Australian Dental Association, are trade organisations. They are NOT scientific organisations. Do they have vested interests? The American Dental Association still owns two patents (since 1978), on the most popular formulation of dental amalgam. Manufacturers pay incredible sums of money to have their products endorsed by the dental associations. These 'endorsements' are merely financial arrangements – they are not a mark of safety or efficacy. In a legal case in 1992 the American Dental Association offered the following statements in their defence against being sued for mercury poisoning from amalgam; "...The ADA did not manufacture, distribute or install the amalgam fillings. ...The ADA has no legal duty of care to protect the public from allegedly harmful dental materials..."

These trade organisations also act as the voice of dentistry. In this country it is the Australian Dental Association who is asked for comments regarding dental practices.

The ploy used by authority figures when there is no scientific argument to support an illegitimate position follows a set formula. Firstly discredit the messenger and then tell the same lie over and over again. Eventually it is believed. This formula has been tried and tested throughout history and is still as effective today. In the last issue of Informed Choice the Australian Dental Association did not present one scientific argument to support their position. They merely went for the messenger (Dr Hal Huggins) and gave a blanket statement that amalgam is safe.

Lets forget the ADA - it is time for the Deans of Dentistry to be questioned. They are after all, the ones responsible for teaching the dentists!

DO NOT allow mercury amalgam to be placed in your mouth  
DO NOT have root therapy - it is much healthier to remove dead, infected, gangrenous tissue  
DO NOT allow fluoride - rat poison- to be placed in your children's or your mouth.

Information and references are available at [www.bcd.com.au](http://www.bcd.com.au).  
Visit [www.quecksilber.net](http://www.quecksilber.net) to purchase the one hour documentary 'Quecksilber - The Strange Story of Dental Amalgam'.