

Sent: Friday, July 18, 2003 6:58 PM

Subject: NEW STANDARDS WILL IMPROVE HEALTH...GEE NO KIDDING

Dear Aquathin Dealer OnLine, Splash NewsBulletin and Allergic Reaction NewsBulletin Members;

*You know a crucial understanding in our education of the Customer is **"the water we were told was safe to drink 10 and 20 years ago was not safe by today's standards"**.*

The quick read below tremendously exemplifies how on target our Educational Program for our Customers is. You will be amazed at the admission of drinking water's deadly risk below.

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Warmest regards to all...as well, your comments are always welcome and very much appreciated.

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EPA: New crypto, DBP standards will improve health

WASHINGTON — **To further reduce the risk of illness from drinking water**, the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has introduced rules that would require drinking water systems to monitor for and increase protection against *cryptosporidium*, while expanding the monitoring and control of disinfection byproducts (DBP).

The EPA reported on its website that it is building upon rules

now in effect. The Long Term 2 Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule (LT2) and the Stage 2 Disinfection Byproduct Rule are required by the Safe Drinking Water Act and were developed in partnership with a wide range of interests including water systems, environmental groups and state and local health officials.

"These drinking water rules are important steps in protecting Americans' health," said former EPA Acting Administrator Linda Fisher. "These rules take the right approach toward minimizing and balancing the risks from microbial contamination and disinfection byproducts. **They represent the culmination of more than a decade of analysis, research and partnership focused on making the nation's drinking water safer.**"

The EPA estimates that full implementation of the LT2 rule will reduce over 1 million cases of cryptosporidiosis per year, with an associated reduction of up to 140 premature deaths. The economic benefit ranges up to \$1.4 billion annually. Annual costs of the LT2 rule are estimated to range from approximately \$73.5 to \$111 million.