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## BOTTLED WATER IS BAD FOR YOUR HEALTH:

- Plastic bottles contain the chemical BPA, linked to a variety of disorders, including obesity and breast cancer.
- When Pet or Pete #1 bottles are reused, they can leach chemicals such as DEHA, a possible human carcinogen, and BBP, a potential hormone disrupter.
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- Production also burns massive quantities of fossil fuels through its transportation, creating more than 2.5 million tons of CO<sub>2</sub> per year.

### UN-BOTTLE IT!

- **Don't buy plastic bottled water.** Use re-usable containers and/or a NSF certified-filter for your tap water: [backtothetap.com](http://backtothetap.com) [nsf.org](http://nsf.org)
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