

## **Fluoride**

Approximately 10% (by population) of drinking water supplies in England and Wales are artificially fluoridated. The purpose of fluoridation is to reduce dental decay, especially in young children.

Water companies have to ensure they do not exceed the standard set for fluoride in the Water Supply (Water Quality) Regulations 2010 of 1.5mg/l.

**Dee Valley Water does not artificially fluoridate any of its supply.**