Toxic chemicals are in your home

PFCs (perfluorinated compounds)
- Used in:
  - clothing
  - coolware
  - food containers
  - carpets

BPA (bisphenol A)
- Used in:
  - food can linings
  - baby bottles
  - receipt paper
  - CDs and DVDs

Formaldehyde
- Used in:
  - carpets
  - soaps and detergents
  - cabinetry
  - glues and adhesives

Phthalates
- Used in:
  - air fresheners
  - paper
  - vinyl tile
  - wood varnishes and lacquers

Toluene
- Used in:
  - paints
  - flooring adhesives
  - plumbing adhesives
  - adhesive removers

PBDEs (polychlorinated diphenyl ethers)
- Used as flame retardants:
  - moisture
  - electrical equipment
  - TVs and computers

Toxic chemicals are in your body

- BPA is found in 9 out of 10 Americans
- PFCs, PBDEs, and phthalates are in 99% of pregnant women
- 232 toxic chemicals were found in umbilical cord blood from U.S. newborns

They’re putting your health at risk

- Fertility problems are linked to PFCs, PBDEs, and phthalates, up 40% between 1988 and 2002
- Asthma is linked to toluene and formaldehyde, 2x higher since 1980
- Parkinson’s disease is linked to trichloroethylene and other chemicals, 100% increase expected by 2030

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