

TRICLOSAN

- The United States Food and Drug Administration (USFDA) considers the urgent removal or control of triclosan use because, once metabolized, dioxin can produce a substance that causes cancer and hepatitis. With frequent exposure, pregnancy complications (birth defects) can result with potential sex hormone abnormalities and a weakened, deficient immune system.
- An anti-bacterial substance used to prevent bad “morning breath” also destroys both good and bad bacteria; the substance can sometimes be found in insecticides.

