

Michigan Study - Grand Rapids

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TO : Chief, Disease Control Branch
: Division of Dental
Public Health and Resources

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Refer to: DPR-DC

FROM : Sanitary Engineer Director
Division of Dental Public Health and Resources

SUBJECT: Optimum Fluoride Levels

Dr. Russell told me today that negroes in Grand Rapids had twice as much fluorosis as others - (indicat^{es}~~es~~ of 0.15 vs 0.35). In a community with a larger number of negroes (say in DeKalb County, Georgia) would this tend to change our optimum fluoride levels? Would this observatin indicate more studies in case opponents use this finding?

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