

World Water Crisis

Thank you for what you do!

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- 2.2 billion people lack access to safe water
- 1.7 billion people (1 in 4) lack access to a toilet
- Women and children spend a combined 226 million hours per day collecting water
- The average person in rural Africa walks 3.7 miles per day to haul 5 gallons of water
- 1 million people each year die from waterborne diseases
 - Every 2 minutes, a child dies from water-related disease.

^{*}Statistics from World Vision and Water.org

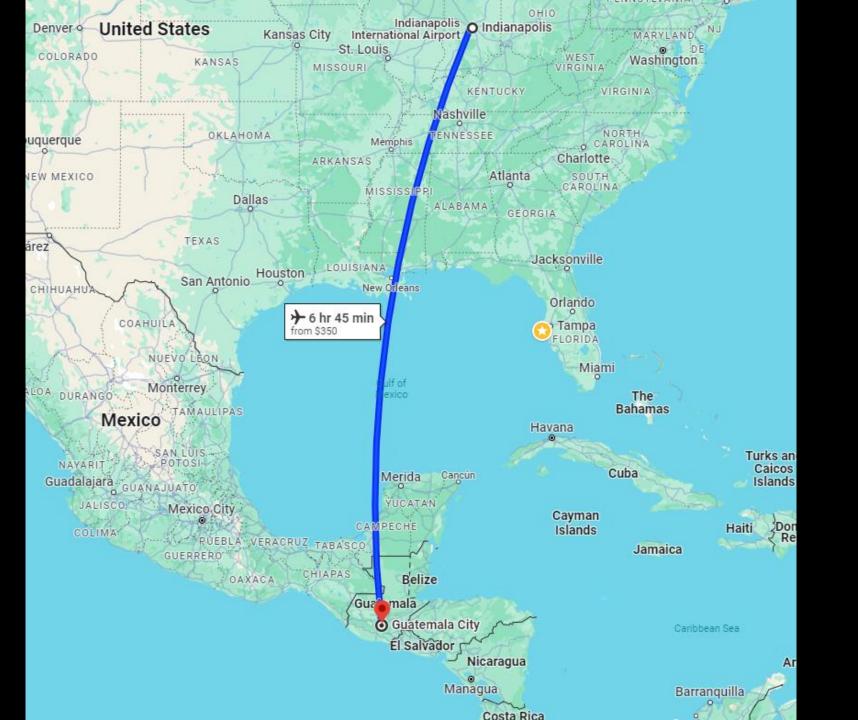


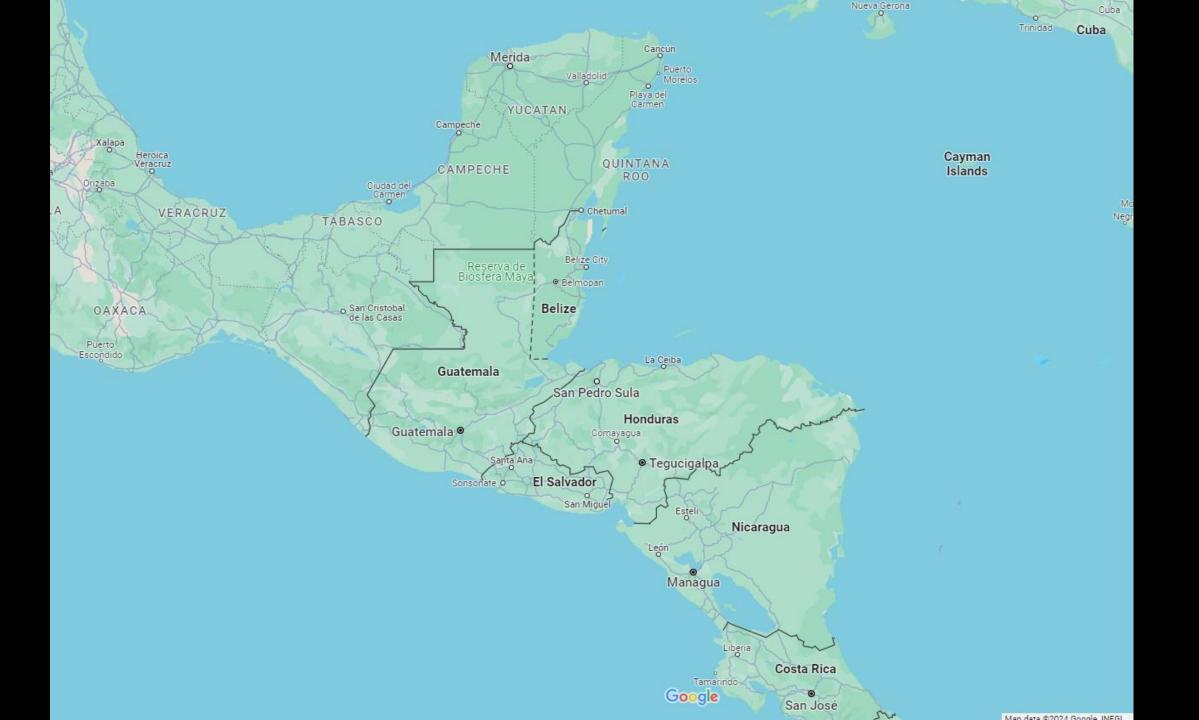


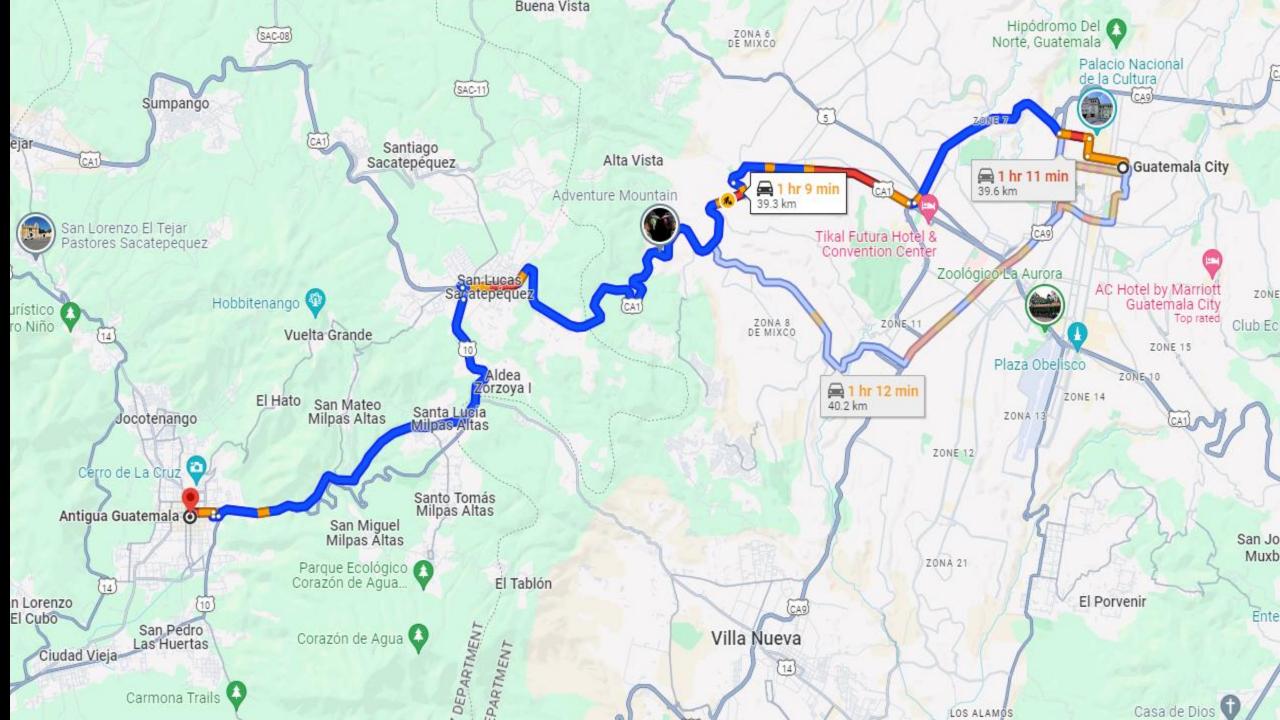


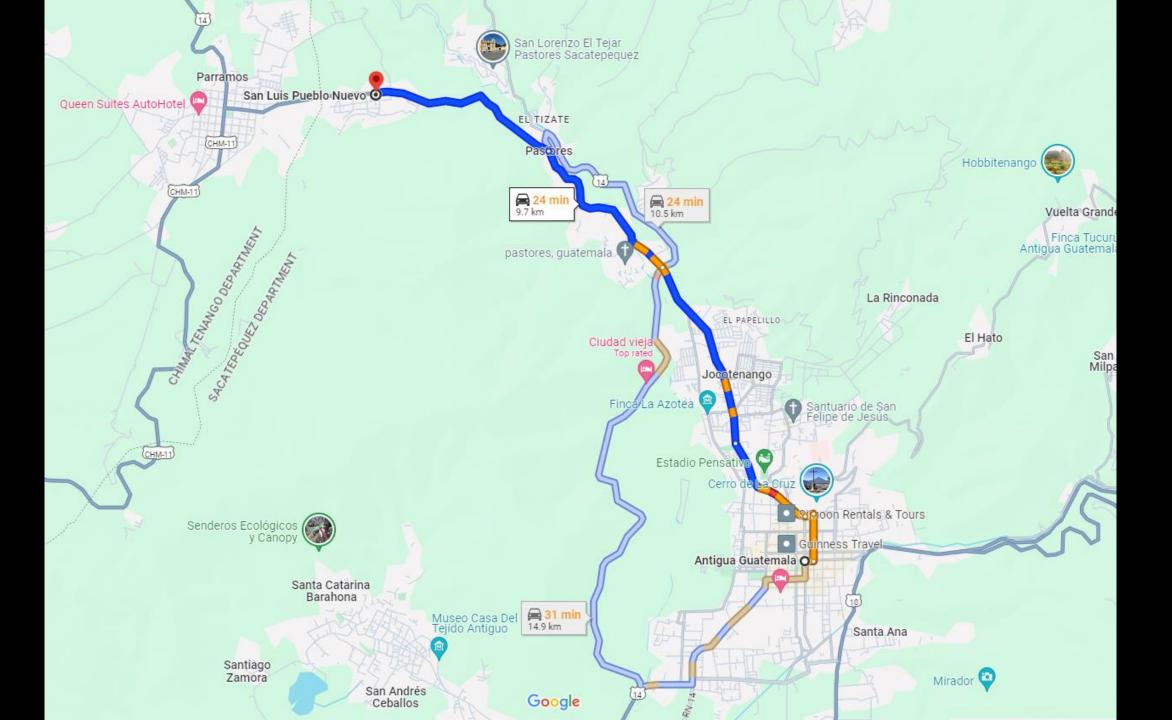














Let's take a look at the filter for a minute

We leverage the same technology used in kidney dialysis hollow fiber membranes.

"Hollow fiber membranes" sound sort of complicated, but they're actually quite simple—and remarkably effective.



Here's how they work:

Made to Filter

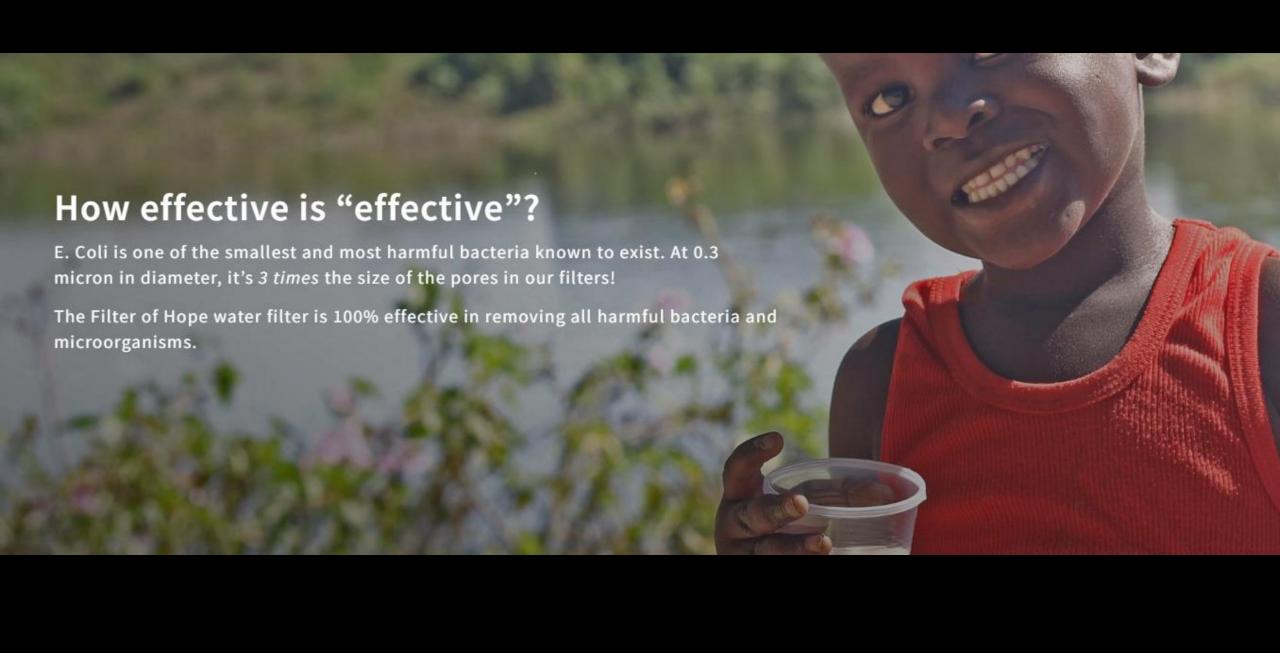
Each small filter is packed with tiny, hollow, perforated tubes. The perforations are just 0.1 micron in diameter.

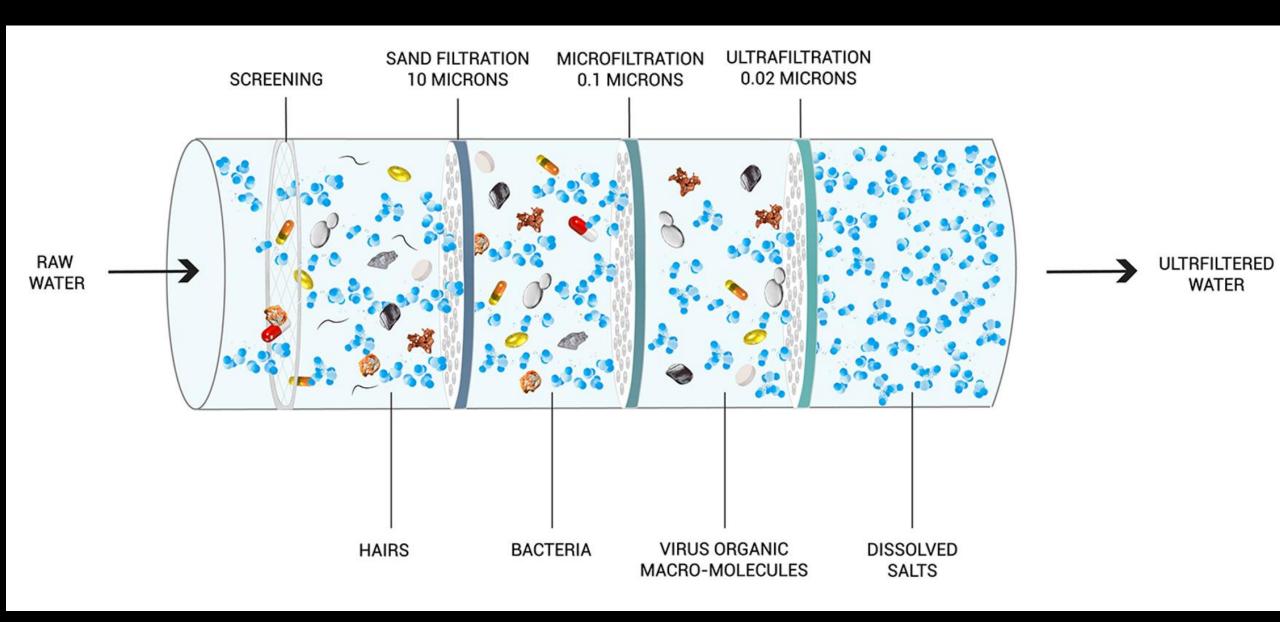
Cleans the Water

Dirty, contaminated water enters the tubes, passes through the holes, and exits the filter as crystal clear, clean water!

Removes Bacteria

Harmful bacteria and microorganisms are simply too large to fit through the holes, so they remain inside the filter casing and are then removed by routine back-flushing.















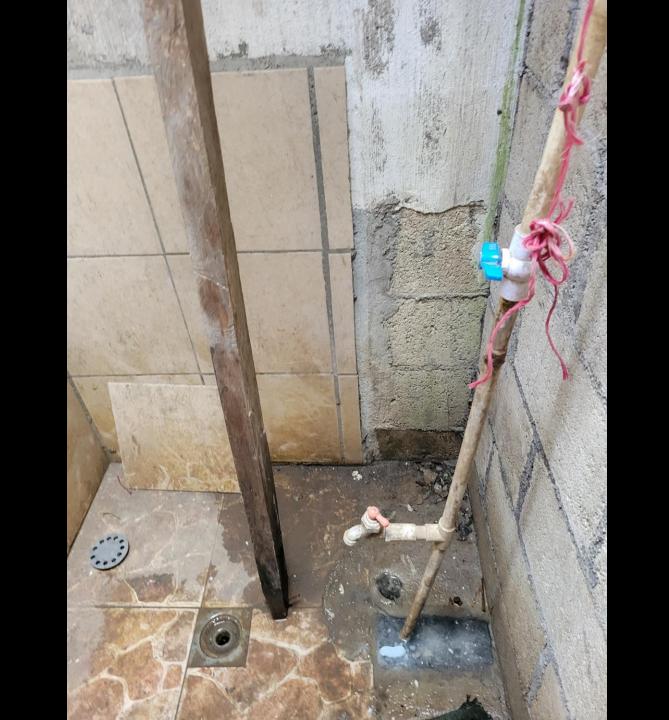




























Let's do a quick demonstration of how the filter works











Can you think of any reason to use this filter in the United States?













