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Current peer-reviewed studies have shown that exposure to PFAS increases the risk of some cancers, including prostate, kidney, and testicular cancers. Exposure to PFAS also decreases human immune response and the body's ability to respond to vaccinations. Exposure also interferes with human hormones and has other negative health effects. This information is present on the EPA.gov website (archive link: <https://web.archive.org/web/20250306042845/https://www.epa.gov/pfas/our-current-understanding-human-health-and-environmental-risks-pfas>). Based on this information, I support strong legislation to regulate the use of these chemicals.