

Drinking water filters vs bottled water

Bottled water may seem like a better option, but when you factor in the cost and consider that it is essentially the same as tap water, you will soon realize that this may be the biggest benefit of water filters.

Drinking filtered or purified clean water, it protects the body from disease and can lead to greater health. In addition, water filters provide healthy and clean water for cooking and ice as well.

It costs way less than you think. First off, let's tackle bottled water. The cost of bottled water goes way beyond what you pay to buy it (which itself adds up after only a little while). It also takes an estimated 17 million barrels of oil per year to make the plastic bottles (according to onegreenplanet.org) and takes even more energy to have it transported throughout the world. Take into account that 80% of bottled water ends up in landfills and you see the problem. Water filters on the other hand are pennies per gallon and readily available in all sizes and configurations. Note filters provide filtration down to a submicron and RO Reverse Osmosis systems purify the water thru a semipremeable membrane leaving nothing but pure H₂O provides up to 99% reduction of all contaminants in water supplies.