PFOS Drinking Water Health Advisories are Protective of Public Health

Health advisories are set at levels that consider animal studies, human studies, vulnerable populations, and other exposures that people may have in their environment. This information is used to establish an advisory level that provides a wide margin of protection because it is set far below levels that cause health effects.

The chart information is based on daily consumption of drinking water. Levels are rounded for illustration purposes. This figure was created by NYSDOH using EPA reference dose and health advisory numbers.