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As pcray said, the uranium is already in the ground. The fracking procedure just mobilizes it. See-
[Uranium in Groundwater? 'Fracking' Mobilizes Uranium in Marcellus Shale](#)

An excerpt-

Quote:

University at Buffalo researchers have now found that that process -- called hydraulic fracturing or "fracking"-- also causes uranium that is naturally trapped inside Marcellus shale to be released, raising additional environmental concerns.

Just one example of the misinformation on the dangers of fracking site.

For a list of the chemicals used in fracturing, see-

[List of 78 Chemicals Used in Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid in Pennsylvania](#)

Note, this is a list of all chemicals that may be used. It doesn't necessarily mean all of these are used each time a well is fracked.

As osprey said, let's take our time and do it safe. But misinformation hinders that process more than it helps.