UL helps the dietary supplements industry deliver quality and safety



Identity, purity, potency and quality are deliverables that dietary supplement consumers demand. Increased overseas sourcing, along with heightened media and regulatory attention, have heightened the need to have a robust quality assurance program in place.

UL has brought together the services necessary to enable dietary supplement manufacturers to manage their complex supply chains and make smarter decisions. Through our cGMP certification audit programs, regulatory compliance testing and global market access programs, UL can help you maximize your business efficiencies and meet consumer expectations.



## UL is uniquely positioned to help as:



A trusted consumer brand with heritage and equity in safety science



A testing, validation, and certification/audit services provider with a deep understanding of the dietary supplement market



A recognized supply chain data management solutions platform

## UL offers a variety of quality assurance solutions

Our quality assurance solutions include testing the identity, purity, strength and potency of raw ingredients and finished products, independent and accredited Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP) audits, and quality inspections to help you achieve and maintain current Good Manufacturing Practice (cGMP) compliance. This includes:

- · Registering and validating supplements
- · Product specification development
- Independent and accredited GMP assessments
- Standard operating procedure development and implementation
- · Microbiological quality assessment
- · Stability studies for expiration dating
- · Impurity detecting services
- Sensory evaluations and consumer panels
- · Supplement testing for identity, purity, potency and contaminants for regulatory compliance
- · Regulatory label and packaging reviews
- · Regulatory consultation
- Release testing and label reviews
- Technically Advanced Quality Assurance Program (TAQA) testing (comparative testing to a national or competitor brand)

## **CBD** in Dietary Supplements

The rise in popularity of hemp-derived CBD products has sparked an unfamiliar challenge in the industry. The uncertainty of rules and lack of regulatory standards combined with record levels of new manufacturers entering this space has led to significant concerns regarding identity, purity, potency and contaminants, putting the health and safety of the consumers at risk. Dietary supplements containing CBD are among those products requiring testing for ingredient verification. UL's state-of-the-art laboratory has complete analytical, microbiological, physical, shelf-life and performance testing capabilities for CBD. We use recognized test methods to help verify that your CBD products are compliant with applicable regulations.

For more information, please contact us at https://crs.ul.com/en/contact-us/



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