

# Only Kirkman® Offers Ultra Tested® Supplements

The Highest Standard for Purity  
Testing of Nutritional Supplements  
in the World!



Look for this  
seal for your  
assurance of  
purity!

## Why Should You Take Ultra Tested® Products?

Kirkman's Ultra Tested® nutritional supplements offer the highest standard of purity testing in the nutraceutical industry.

You will want assurance that the nutritional supplements that you take every day aren't contaminated with any ingredient that may be harmful to your health. Only Kirkman® tests every ingredient in every product\* for more than 950 environmental contaminants — no other nutritional company even comes close to his high standard of purity testing. So when selecting a nutritional supplement brand — Kirkman® is the clear choice.

\* except lotions, creams and oils

# KIRKMAN®

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For more than 60 years, healthcare practitioners  
and consumers all over the world have trusted  
the quality of Kirkman's products.

	FDA's Required Testing	Kirkman's Ultra Tested®
<b>Heavy Metals</b>	None. FDA suggests only, the testing of lead, mercury, arsenic and cadmium.	Kirkman® tests every raw material and every finished batch for 24 heavy metals.
<b>Bacteria, Mold &amp; Yeast</b>	FDA has some, but not well-defined guidelines regarding bacteria and mold contamination.	Kirkman® monitors both raw materials and finished goods for the presence of mold and yeast using microbiological testing.
<b>Pesticides</b>	None. FDA offers loose guidelines that primarily pertain to imported foods rather than nutritional supplements.	Kirkman® tests every raw material for hundreds of potentially harmful pesticides.
<b>Allergens</b>	None. Allergen labeling and consumer protection law requires material suppliers to list the presence of common allergens.	Kirkman® not only monitors raw materials for the absence of allergens but also tests all finished product for the absence of casein, gluten, soy, egg and peanuts (unless otherwise indicated on the label).
<b>Label Claim &amp; Stability</b>	FDA requires testing to insure that label claims regarding contents, ingredients and potencies are accurate.	Kirkman® complies with all FDA requirements regarding label claims and stability testing.

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# The Purest Vitamins in the World!



# KIRKMAN®

The Home of Ultra Tested® Products

**Yes, it's true!**

## **Kirkman® Offers the Purest Nutritional Supplements in the World!**

When we say we offer the “purest” nutritional supplements in the world — we mean it — in fact, no other supplement company even comes close to Kirkman’s standard of purity testing.

We test every raw ingredient in every product\* that we manufacture for more than 950 environmental contaminants. You won’t get that level of quality from any other supplement manufacturer.

In addition, our 66 years of experience in the business and servicing special needs individuals means that Kirkman® can ensure our customers effective products that meet their particular health needs.

Kirkman’s never-ending goal to offer the highest quality products possible, has led us to achieve higher levels of certification as part of our serious commitment to quality.

### **GMP+ Certification**

Kirkman® is certified as a cGMP manufacturer. To achieve this certification, Kirkman® must meet the stringent manufacturing and regulatory requirements of the



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U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the National Science Foundation (NSF). Once a year, Kirkman undergoes a rigorous inspection of its facilities and procedures inspection by a third-party auditor to maintain GMP certification. In addition to these standards, Kirkman® is also required to maintain key control measures in the production process including tracking, recall and ongoing monitoring as well as meet all ISO/9000 quality system requirements.

### **Emerson Quality Partner<sup>SM</sup>**

Kirkman® has achieved the highest certification possible, “EQP Gold Partner”, from Emerson Ecologics, one of the country’s largest wholesalers of nutraceuticals to naturopaths and medical doctors.

As a gold partner, Kirkman® is required to comply with Emerson’s highest standards of quality, which include on-site inspections by Emerson’s auditors. Emerson’s EQP partnership is only granted to select companies based on strict standards for compliance with current good manufacturing practices; qualifications of raw material suppliers; testing procedures for identity and purity to validate label claims and third-party certificates of analyses; appropriate testing methodologies; potency testing for adulterants and contaminants; testing every batch for identity, potency (label claim); microbiological and other applicable contaminants; stability program protocol and demonstrated evidence of research and product development; clinical trial support; and sustainable environmental practices.



### **Ultra Tested®**

Our Ultra Tested® trademark ensures healthcare providers as well as their patients that every ingredient in every product\* that Kirkman® manufactures has been tested for more than 950 environmental contaminants. No other nutritional supplement company in the world has a higher standard of purity testing — or even comes close.

Ultra Tested®, a propriety trademark of Kirkman®, designates



the highest standard of purity testing in the nutraceutical industry that includes testing for 24 heavy metals, bacteria, yeast, mold, common allergens, pesticides (including insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, biocides), endocrine disruptors and other harmful chemicals.

### **Allergen Free**

Kirkman® also produces nutritional supplements that meet the needs of patients with food allergies or special dietary requirements. To serve this population, Kirkman’s products are both gluten and casein free and free of most other common allergens including nuts, soy, sugar and dairy. (See the “free of” sections on each label for specific allergens that are not in a particular supplement.) Many products are also available in hypoallergenic formulations.

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