



# ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

## EWG REVIEWED™ FOR INGREDIENTS

To be eligible to apply to the Reviewed Ingredient program, ingredients must meet these eligibility criteria:

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- Ingredients must be included on EWG's Ingredients Eligible for Reviewed List prior to application.
- Ingredients must be intended for use in personal care products.
- Ingredients must be identified using both their tradename and INCI name
- Tradename ingredient mixtures are eligible for the program if all INCI components are included on EWG's Ingredients Eligible for Reviewed List.

### Documentation & Disclosure

Suppliers must provide documentation on ingredient identity and Verified restriction substantiation, which may include:

- Full composition disclosures incl. known byproducts, residuals & impurities
- Safety data sheets
- Signed affidavits
- Certificates of analysis or laboratory reports
- Other supporting materials as requested by EWG to complete the review

### Contract & Renewal

- Upon meeting all criteria, suppliers may receive a certificate and use the EWG Reviewed logo for a period of one year.
- At the end of the one-year term, suppliers may renew their participation in the program by resubmitting the product for review and paying the evaluation and licensing fee.
- If new restrictions have been added since the original approval, the ingredient will be reviewed against the updated criteria. If no changes apply, no additional review is required.



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