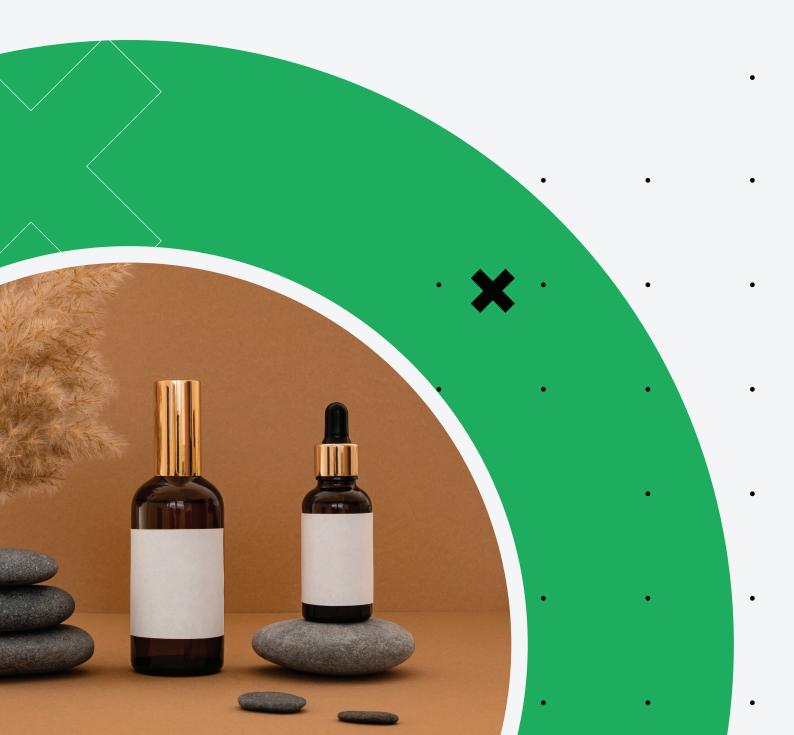


# FDA Labeling Requirements for

# Personal Care Products



#### **Outer Container**

#### Principal Display Panel (PDP)

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- Name of the Product
- Identity
- Warning
- Net quantity of ingredients

#### Information Panel (IP)

- Directions for safe use
- Warning
- Name and place of business
- Ingredient declaration
- Additional Information

#### **Inner Container**

#### Front Panel

Name of the Product

#### Information Panel (IP)

- Directions for safe use
- Warning
- Name and place of business
- Ingredient declaration
- Additional Information



# Prominence and Conspicuousness

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- Panel size large enough to display information
- Sufficient background contrasts
- No obscuring vignettes, graphics, designs, etc.

#### **Identity Labeling**

- Name of your product
- Nature of the cosmetic (use a common, usual, or descriptive name. Don't use a fanciful name unless the name is widely accepted)
- Reasonable type size
- Bold typeface
- Parallel to the PDP's resting base

#### **Identity Labeling**

- Preceding the address with terms like manufactured for, Distributed by, Packaged by, or other appropriate terms if the address is not the manufacturer's
- Corporate Name
- Street address
- City name
- State name
- Zip code



#### **Quantity of Contents**

- Location: Bottom 30% of the outer container's PD
- Parallel to the PDP's resting base



#### **Type Requirement**

- Spacing: Separated from other printed matter by a space equal to at least the height of the lettering used in the declaration and twice the width of the letter "N".
- □ Type Size: 1/16" (PDP < 5 sq. in.)</p>
- ☐ Type Size: 1/8" (PDP 5-25 sq. in.)
- ☐ Type Size: 3/16" (PDP 25-100 sq. in.)
- Bold typeface
- Aspect Ratio of height to width mustn't exceed 3:1

#### Units of weights and measures

- Fluid measures express volumes at 68 F
- Using the right weight measurements units: avoirdupois pound, and ounce
- Using the right fluid measurement units: U.S. gallon, quart, pint, and fluid ounce
- Preceding weight declarations with "net weight", "net wt."
- Preceding liquid declarations with "net contents", "net", or nothing

### **Warning Statements**

- Prominent compared to other statements
- □ Type size no less than 1/16"



## **Ingredient Declaration**

Type Requirements		
Prominent type		
Type size no less than 1/16" (1/32" if PDP area < 12 sq.in.)		
redients' name		
Ingredient name as established by the Commissioner/ listed in Compendium / generally recognised name / technical description		
der of Declaration		
List <b>active ingredients</b> (if the cosmetic is also a drug)		
Ingredients <b>higher than 1% concentration</b> declared in descending order of predominance		
Ingredients less than 1% concentration		
Color additive		
Fragrance		
Trade secret		

## Labeling Requirements for Leaflets

Ingredient declarations for all products	<
Includes instructions to ensure that retailers display the leaflet	S.
New leaflets are dated (only if formulation changes)	
Include federal law statement in type size no less than 3/16"	





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