

CVS Store Brand Restricted Substances List

The following ingredients are restricted from select CVS Store Brand Baby & Child, Beauty, Personal Care, Foods, Suncare, Household, and Bottled Spring Water Products. This list is updated annually, in May.

Baby & Child Products (non-medicated products, e.g., shampoos, lotions, wipes)

California Proposition 65 Banned Chemicals (e.g., Toluene, Styrene, BPA) ⁱⁱ		Multiple
Formaldehyde and donors	Formaldehyde	50-00-0
	Dimethyl-dimethyl (DMDM) Hydantoin	6440-58-0
	Imidazolidinyl Urea	39236-46-9
	Diazolidinyl Urea	78491-02-8
	Sodium Hydroxymethylglycinate	70161-44-3
	2-bromo-2-nitropropane-1,3-diol (Bronopol)	52-51-7
	Quaternium-15	4080-31-3
	Glyoxal	107-22-2
	Polyoxymethylene Urea	68611-64-3
	5-Bromo-5-Nitro-1,3 Dioxane (Bronidox)	30007-47-7
	Methylene glycol (methanediol)	463-57-0
	Methenamine	100-97-0
Parabens	Ethylparaben	120-47-8
	Butylparaben	94-26-8
	Methylparaben	99-76-3
	Propylparaben	94-13-3
	Heptylparaben	1085-12-7
	Isobutylparaben	4247-02-3
	Isopropylparaben	4191-73-5
	Benzylparaben	94-18-8
	Octylparaben	1219-38-1
	Pentylparaben	6521-29-5
	Phenylparaben	17696-62-7
	Isodecylparaben	2664-60-0
	Calcium Paraben	69959-44-0
	Potassium Paraben	16782-08-4

	Sodium Parabens	5026-62-0 35285-69-9 35285-68-8 36457-20-2
	Hexamidine Paraben	Not Found
	Hexamidine Diparaben	93841-83-9
	Undecylenoyl PEG 5 Paraben	Not Found
	Phenoxyethylparaben	55468-88-7
	4-Hydroxybenzoic acid	99-96-7
Phthalates	Di-2-ethylhexyl phthalate (DEHP)	117-81-7
	Benzyl butyl phthalate (BBP)	85-68-7
	Di-n-butyl phthalate (DBP)	84-74-2
	Diisodecyl phthalate (DIDP)	26761-40-0
	Di-n-hexyl phthalate (DnHP)	84-75-3
	Diisononyl phthalate (DINP)	28553-12-0
	Di-n-octyl phthalate (DNOP)	117-84-0
	Diethyl phthalate (DEP)	84-66-2
	Diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP)	84-69-5
	Di-n-pentyl phthalate (DPENP)	131-18-0
	Dicyclohexyl phthalate (DCHP)	84-61-7
	Methylisothiazolinone (MI)	2682-20-4
	Methylchloroisothiazolinone (MCI)	26172-55-4
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	Phenoxyethanol	122-99-6
	Polyethylene Microbeads (≤5mm in diameter)	9002-88-4
	<i>(Beauty and Personal Care products with polyethylene microbeads)</i>	
Non-Responsibly Sourced Palm Oil and its derivatives	Palm Oil	8002-75-3
	Palm Kernel Oil	8023-79-8
	Hydrogenated Palm Oil	84540-04-5
		8033-29-2 68514-74-9
	Hydrogenated Palm Glycerides	91744-66-0
	Hydrogenated Palm Kernel Glycerides	93334-20-4
	Palm Stearin	98106-68-4
	Palmitic Acid	57-10-3
Palm Olein	93334-39-5	
Non GRAS ¹ Antiseptic ingredients	Cloflucarban	369-77-7
	Fluorosalan	4776-06-1
	Hexachlorophene	70-30-4
	Hexylresorcinol	136-77-6
	Iodophors (Iodine-containing ingredients)	39392-86-4

	Iodine complex (ammonium ether sulfate and polyoxyethylene sorbitan monolaurate)	Not Found
	Iodine complex (phosphate ester of alkylaryloxy polyethylene glycol)	52623-95-7
	Nonylphenoxypoly (ethyleneoxy) ethanoliodine	11096-42-7 35860-86-7 9006-36-4
	Poloxamer--iodine complex	9003-11-6 106392-12-5
	Povidone-iodine	25655-41-8
	Undecoylium chloride iodine complex	1338-54-1
	Methylbenzethonium chloride	25155-18-4
	Phenol (greater than 1.5 percent or less than 1.5 percent)	108-95-2
	Secondary amylicresols	8063-33-0
	Sodium oxychlorosene	52906-84-0
	Tribromsalan	87-10-5 98518-05-9 1322-38-9
	Triclocarban	101-20-2
	Triclosan	3380-34-5
	Triple dye	39389-84-9 92-62-6

Beauty Products (e.g., make-up, hair care, skin care)

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	<p>Polyethylene Microbeads (≤5mm in diameter)</p> <p><i>(Beauty and Personal Care products with polyethylene microbeads)</i></p>	9002-88-4
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Palm Olein	93334-39-5	
	Cloflucarban	369-77-7

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Personal Care Products (e.g., moisturizers, sanitizers, cleansers)

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	Di-n-pentyl phthalate (DPENP)	131-18-0
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Partially Hydrogenated Oils (PHO)		N/A
(Artificial Trans Fat)		
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Suncare Products (e.g., lotions, sprays, lip balms, sticks and gels)

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	Retinyl Palmitate	79-81-2
	Oxybenzone	131-57-7
	Octinoxate	5466-77-3

Household Products (e.g., pesticides, household cleaners)

Glyphosate	1071-83-6
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Bottled Spring Water Productsⁱⁱⁱ

Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS)	335-67-1 1763-23-1 Other known PFAS
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ⁱ GRAS = Generally Recognized as Safe

ⁱⁱ Clear and Reasonable Proposition 65 Warning Labeling is applied in instances when the chemical is being transitioned out or there was no reasonable alternative available

ⁱⁱⁱ All Store Brand bottled spring water products must meet all federal, state and local laws, regulations and ordinances, including all regulatory and legal limits on PFAS in drinking water.