

United States of America FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION Southwest Region

1999 Bryan St., Ste. 2150 Dallas, Texas 75201

June 3, 2020

WARNING LETTER

VIA EMAIL TO support@myersdetox.com

Myers Detox 1480 Colorado Boulevard, Suite 150 Los Angeles, California 90041

Re: Unsubstantiated Claims for Coronavirus Prevention or Treatment

To Whom It May Concern,

This is to advise you that FTC staff reviewed your website at <u>https://myersdetox.com/</u> on May 28, 2020. We have determined that you are unlawfully advertising that certain products prevent Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19).

Some examples of Coronavirus prevention claims on your website include:

In marketing materials titled "Coronavirus: How Worried Should We Be?" you claim:

- "How To Protect Yourself From The Coronavirus[.] Protection from Coronavirus boils down to:... Alkalize your body... Viruses thrive in an acidic environment; therefore, keeping your body as alkaline as possible is important to preventing viral infections... if you really want to make quick changes in your body's pH, I highly recommend using a therapeutic salt like <u>Healthy Salt</u> [link to <u>https://store.myersdetox.com/products/healthy-</u> <u>salt?_pos=1&_sid=b2fd593ca&_ss=r</u>]. I have never found a better mineral supplement";
- "Eat these foods to boost immunity, alkalize the body and fortify cell membranes to reduce viral penetration.... Eat organic raw unfiltered honey as it's negatively ion charged. I like <u>Manuka Health Manuka 550MGO</u> [link to <u>https://store.myersdetox.com/products/mgo-550-manuka-honey-25-8-8-oz? pos=1& sid=a6badfde7& ss=r</u>]. This is the strongest antimicrobial honey you can buy. Manuka honey is proven in this one study to be a potent antiviral";