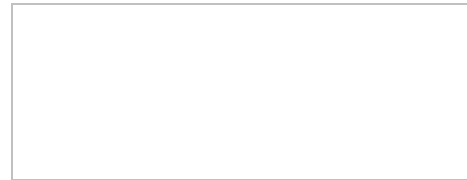




California Safe Cosmetics Program (CSCP)



CSCP 2024 Year in Review

We are proud to share these program milestones CSCP achieved last year:

- We partnered with [Clearya](#) to evaluate and promote compliance with California reporting laws. We found over 15,000 unreported products containing ingredients on designated hazard lists, and we will follow up with cosmetics companies for reporting in 2025.
- Our social media campaign featuring highlights from [our latest data report](#) was [ranked #5](#) in the top 10 most popular posts on CDPH's social media pages ([Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), and [Twitter/X](#)).
- The [California Safe Cosmetics Products Database](#) and information from our data report were featured in a [Bloomberg](#) article that discusses health hazards associated with reported fragrance ingredients and ongoing challenges for consumers trying to choose safer cosmetics.
- We added over 190 new cosmetics company accounts and received over 15,000 product reports.
- We observed a high rate of reformulations reported to the Database for products containing [Lilial](#), [Styrene](#), [Linalool](#) and [Acetaldehyde](#), so we contacted companies to confirm that the products were indeed reformulated to remove these ingredients. Most companies

responded and confirmed the products were either reformulated or discontinued. This is evidence of a trend away from the use of these potentially hazardous ingredients. Lialil was banned for use in cosmetics in the EU and will be banned in California in 2027.

- Because fragrance allergies can be serious, and most ingredients reported to the Database since the 2022 implementation of the Cosmetic Fragrance and Flavor Ingredient Right to Know Act (CFFIRKA) are fragrance allergens, we published [a fact sheet on fragrance allergens in cosmetics](#).
- We gave 7 different educational presentations to cosmetics industry representatives, advocates for safer cosmetics, salon owners, local health departments, researchers and other interested parties.
- Last, but not least, the CSCP team is now fully staffed! We added an administrative staff person and an industrial hygienist, setting us up for an even more productive 2025.



Image from CSCP's new "Fragrance Allergens in Cosmetics" fact sheet.

Thank you to our partners, CDPH leadership and legal counsel, safe cosmetics advocates, and industry leaders who contributed to these efforts. We look forward to sharing more achievements with you in the coming year.

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