

## The Best Ingredients

Sometimes, our customers and IBOs wonder if we use organic ingredients.

Organic food is produced without using most conventional pesticides, synthetic fertilizers, bioengineering, or ionizing radiation. A government agency must inspect and certify the farm before the food can be labeled "organic."



**Our products primarily use herbs and plants that grow in the wild in their natural environment. I believe nature is the best "farmer"—man cannot successfully duplicate many of nature's best creations. That's why we use ingredients grown by nature rather than organic farms.**

**As a manufacturer of health foods, I am especially concerned about the environment. Because of pollution, many foods, even organic foods, may contain unacceptable levels of heavy metals. We monitor the heavy metal content of our herbs and often reject hundreds of pounds of herbs that do not meet our strict standards.**



**In addition to the heavy metal content, I also care about how our foods are handled. All herbs and plants, whether grown in the wild, in an organic farm, or in a traditional farm, have dirt, pests, and other contaminants. We take the extra steps of cleaning the herbs by hand and machine rather than grinding and/or irradiating the herbs along with their contaminants.**

**We also use a trade-secret manufacturing process to extract and concentrate the beneficial essences from our herbs. This makes the final product much more powerful and effective than just mixing the herbs on the ingredient listing.**

**I want all of you to have confidence that Sunrider uses the best ingredients and makes the best products.**

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