THE CALIFORNIA BABY NO-NO LIST (PARTIAL)

- Ethoxylated ingredients
- Ethylhexylglycerin
- Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid (EDTA)
- Chemical sunscreen actives – oxybenzone, butyloctyl salicylate
- Behentrimonium Chloride
- BHA and BHT
- Benzyl Acetate
- Animal derived ingredients (ultra-purified)

The California Baby manufacturing plant is a pharmaceutical grade facility. Because of our commitment to environmental sustainability, we have invested in a manufacturing protocol for our skincare/cosmetics that we use for our over-the-counter products. Currently, we do not use ozone to treat any of our water input for production or manufacturing. On average, 99.9% of our energy at our headquarters comes from renewable sources. Other brands use conventional electricity, which is derived from fossil fuels. The California Baby and our headquarters are proudly an EPA Green Power Partner. We are using 75% of our energy from renewable sources (wind and solar). Because of this, we are able to reduce our carbon emissions. We are currently working on reducing our carbon emissions enough to reach a 100% carbon neutral status. This is important because of the associated risks with climate change. We are proud to say that we have zero ingestion of ozone for our water treatment processes. There is no evidence that any ozone was used to treat any of our water for California Baby products. We have taken steps to prevent any cross contamination from other brands’ products, there is no cross contamination from other brands. The Natural Advisory Council is a non-profit organization that addresses food allergy issues. Because our list is too long to describe here, we encourage you to visit their website and see our full list. Currently, it's easy for brands to "greenwash" their products by marketing them as more organic and natural than their true ingredients actually are.

OUR INGREDIENT PROCESSING

Because no current FDA definition for "natural" currently exists within the context of cosmetics, we define "natural" as ingredients that come or are made from a renewable resource found in nature without petroleum compounds. Natural ingredients may be made only by allowed processes in the above referenced standards. These standards differ substantially because of the lack of a definition from the FDA. Because of this, there is no cross contamination from other brands’ products, there is no cross contamination from outside formulas.

ALLOWED NON-NATURALLY DERIVED SYNTHETICS:

- Stearic Acid (sustainable palm)
- Squalane (olive oil)
- Polyglyceryl-3 Diisostearate (sustainable coconut / palm kernel oil)
- Polyglyceryl-2 Dipolyhydroxystearate (sustainable coconut / palm kernel oil / castor oil)
- Lecithin (safflower oil)
- Lauryl glucoside (sustainable coconut / palm)
- L-Arginine (sugar)
- Decyl Glucoside (sustainable palm kernel oil)
- Coco-Caprylate (sustainable coconut & palm)
- Cetyl Alcohol (sustainable coconut)
- Cetearyl alcohol (sustainable coconut)
- Caprylic / Capric Triglycerides (sustainable coconut & palm)
- (waxes from the cabbage plant family)
- Brassicyl Isoleucinate Esylate and Brassica Alcohol
- Magnesium Stearate
- Zinc Oxide
- Titanium Dioxide
- Sodium Bicarbonate
- Tapioca starch
- Rice Starch
- Quinoa (hydrolyzed)
- French Lavender
- Coconut Oil (Cocos Nucifera)
- Carthamus Tinctorius (Safflower) Oleosomes
- Candelilla (Euphorbia cerifera) Wax
- Anise seed extract (Pimpinella Anisum (Anise) Seed Extract)

BOTANICAL INGREDIENTS (PARTIAL LISTING)

Because our list is too long to describe here, we encourage you to visit their website and see our full list. We constantly seek new botanically derived or organic alternatives to non-naturally derived synthetics and work closely with our suppliers to create new, innovative plant ingredients. We may use permitted synthetic ingredients when natural or organic alternatives are not available. We may use a permitted synthetic ingredient.

CRUDE GLYCERIN 90% CONCENTRATION

- EVAPORATION UNDER VACUUM
- STEAM DISTILLATION
- COLORLESS GLYCERIN
- PURE GLYCERIN
- FREE FATTY ACIDS
- FILTER

MANUAL NARROW GLASS RECOVERY

- ADD TEST TRAY
- ADD AGITATING CURTAIN
- ADD ACTIVATED CHARCOAL 0.01%