LAWS THAT DIRECTLY IMPACT DIETARY SUPPLEMENTS

- DSHEA: Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act
- NLEA: Nutrition Labeling and Education Act
- FFDCA: Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act
- Fair Packaging and Labeling Act
- Bioterrorism Act
- Food Allergen Labeling Act
- Dietary Supplement and Nonprescription Drug Consumer Protection Act

The United States Pharmacopeia (USP) sets official standards for dietary supplements. For products carrying the USP mark, USP has tested and verified ingredients, potency, and manufacturing processes. A supplement must conform to the specifications of an official compendium, if so represented. Otherwise, a supplement must meet the identity, strength, purity and composition as represented (DSHEA Sec. 7(a)).