



FDA ADVISORY

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TO: ALL HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC

SUBJECT: Public Health Warning Against the Purchase and Consumption of the Unregistered Food Supplement "SUPER NUTRITION Bignay Antidesma Bunius Herbal Supplement - No Approved Therapeutic Claim"

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) warns all healthcare professionals and the general public **NOT TO PURCHASE AND CONSUME** the unregistered food supplement:

Bignay Herbal Capsules - Lowers Cholesterol - Maintains Healthy Heart - 100 Capsules - 500mg

4.8 ★★★★★ 121 Ratings 420 Sold Report

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Product Description

Bignay Herbal Capsules - Lowers Cholesterol - Maintains Healthy Heart - 100 Capsules - 500mg

BIGNAY

Bignay's scientific name is Antidesma Bunius. It is an evergreen plant and may be shrubby or tall. It is traditionally grown and used as herbal medicine in Southeast Asia and Northern Australia. Bignay offer various health benefits such as improves digestive system, boosts immune system, improves eye health, reduces blood pressure, enhances bone stronger, and many more.

HEALTH BENEFITS

- Bignay has anticancer properties.
- Bignay helps to prevent anemia.
- Bignay helps to detoxify the body.
- Bignay helps to cure snake bites.
- Bignay helps to improve digestive health.
- Bignay helps to improve immune system.
- Bignay helps to improve eye health.
- Bignay helps to improve bones health.
- Bignay helps to improve cardiovascular health.
- Bignay helps to reduce blood pressure levels.

- Antioxidants
- Treatment for syphilis
- Cures UTI
- Controls blood pressure
- Antidote for snake bites
- Helps lose weight
- Remedy for constipation
- Good for the colon
- Good for the liver
- Boosts immune system.

RECOMMENDATION

Bignay herbal medicine is not safe to use when pregnant and breast-feeding. However, 14-year old and above are safe to use this herbal medicine.

Figure 1. Unregistered SUPER NUTRITION Bignay Antidesma Bunius Herbal Supplement - No Approved Therapeutic Claim



The FDA verified through online monitoring or post-marketing surveillance that the abovementioned food supplement is not registered and no corresponding Certificate of Product Registration (CPR) has been issued. Pursuant to the Republic Act No. 9711, otherwise known as the “Food and Drug Administration Act of 2009”, the manufacture, importation, exportation, sale, offering for sale, distribution, transfer, non-consumer use, promotion, advertising or sponsorship of health products without the proper authorization is prohibited.

Since this food supplement has not gone through evaluation process of the FDA, the agency cannot assure its quality and safety.

All concerned establishments are warned not to distribute, advertise, or sell the said violative food supplement until CPR is issued, otherwise, regulatory actions and sanctions shall be strictly pursued. Always check if a product is registered with the FDA by using the **FDA Verification Portal feature** accessible at <https://verification.fda.gov.ph>. You may also look for the FDA Registration number on the product label, if available or simply type the name of the product.

All Law Enforcement Agencies and Local Government Unit are requested to ensure that this product is not sold or made available in the market or areas of jurisdiction.

The Bureau of Customs is urged to restrain the entry of the unregistered imported products.

For more information and inquiries about this advisory, kindly contact the FDA Center for Food Regulation Office and Research through email cfrr@fda.gov.ph indicating on the subject, the concerned Advisory, or call **(02)8857-1900** local **8105** and **8112**.

To report any sale or distribution of unregistered food supplement, kindly email us at ereport@fda.gov.ph.

Dissemination of this advisory to all concerned is hereby requested.


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