

ReishiMax GLp®

Immune System Tonic

OPTIMAL IMMUNE SYSTEM SUPPORT

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Positioning Statement

ReishiMax GLp® is a standardised Reishi mushroom extract that incorporates cracked spores, a proprietary technology that releases Reishi's active ingredient, providing innovative immune tonic not found in other Reishi products.

Concept

Part of the body's complex immune system includes a formidable arsenal of cells called Natural Killer Cells that recognise a seemingly infinite number of organisms considered foreign to the body and directly attack and destroy them. They also destroy damaged or compromised cells that occur naturally within the body as part of the cellular regeneration process.

For more than 2,000 years the people of Asia have utilised the health-promoting benefits of the rare, deep-forest Reishi mushroom. In old Chinese medical texts, Reishi is the most highly praised herb and has traditionally been used to address a variety of health conditions. ReishiMax GLp® supports your body's own natural immune system. Locked deep inside the mushroom are tiny spores that are particularly beneficial for the body. Through Pharmanex's proprietary cracked spore technology, these potent ingredients are now more bioavailable than ever before in ReishiMax GLp®. Pharmanex has also developed an exclusive multi-step extraction process that increases the yield and concentration of active ingredients. The resulting product, ReishiMax GLp®, is standardised to 6% triterpenes and 13.5% polysaccharides, which are the highest levels of actives currently available in a Reishi product.

Primary Benefits

- Supports healthy immune system function
- Supports healthy liver function
- Supports normal healthy heart function

- Promotes the proliferation and activity of your body's own defensive immune cells
- Improves vigour and focus
- Supports normal and restful sleep
- Provides temporary relief of allergies and coughs
- Helps the body to fight mild infections & reduce their symptoms

What Makes This Product Unique?

- Proprietary cracked spore technology frees more immune-supporting Reishi actives, making ReishiMax GLp® an effective Reishi product
- A high concentration of actives makes ReishiMax GLp® a powerful Reishi product
- Grown in a controlled environment free of pollutants or pesticides
- Pharmanex® uses the red Reishi in ReishiMax GLp® because it yields the highest quality extract and has been subjected to extensive scientific evaluation

Who Should Use This Product?

ReishiMax GLp® is for adults interested in supporting their immune system, heart and liver function. Adults who smoke or who are frequently exposed to environmental pollutants can also derive significant benefits from ReishiMax GLp® supplementation.

Did You Know?

- There are 62 different varieties of the Reishi mushroom
- The six most common types of Reishi are the red, black, white, purple, yellow, and blue Reishi
- Red Reishi, the kind used in ReishiMax GLp®, is the highest quality and the most studied of the Reishi varieties
- The active constituents in Reishi are protected by a hard shell that makes them less bioavailable, a problem that was solved when Pharmanex developed cracked spore technology

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Frequently Asked Questions

How is ReishiMax GLp® different from other Reishi products?

ReishiMax GLp® is a proprietary Reishi extract containing one of the highest levels of active ingredients currently on the market. This standardised product also incorporates cracked spores, a novel technology that releases Reishi's active ingredients, providing unique immune activity not found in other Reishi products. Pharmanex has developed an exclusive multi-step extraction process that increases the yield and concentration of active ingredients. Most Reishi products only use one extraction process, which results in a product with lower concentrations of active ingredients, and often lack the triterpene compounds. The exclusive Pharmanex® technology detaches additional polysaccharides from the cell walls, providing ReishiMax GLp® with one of the highest levels of active ingredients currently available in a Reishi product.

How is ReishiMax GLp® processed?

ReishiMax GLp® is produced through solid wood log cultivation, which requires a 120 to 200 day cultivation period. This method is preferred over sawdust and liquid cultivation because it yields both polysaccharides and triterpenes from the fruiting body. In addition, other cultivation methods are prone to contamination and are difficult to control. Pharmanex has chosen to use red Reishi because it produces the highest quality extract and has been subject to the most scientific evaluation. Our manufacturers go through a detailed selection and certification process to ensure compliance with the Good Manufacturing Process (GMP) standards set by the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA), the Australian Therapeutic Goods Association (TGA) and the New Zealand Medicines and Medical Devices Safety Authority (MEDSAFE).

Are there scientific studies validating ReishiMax GLp®?

Reishi has been shown in clinical studies to support the immune system in both animal and vitro clinical studies. An unpublished, comparative study conducted by the Medical Institute at National Taiwan University found that ReishiMax GLp® supported immune function when compared to a placebo. A study comparing Reishi products from China, Taiwan, and the U.S. found ReishiMax GLp® to be the most potent and effective Reishi product available.

For details of these clinical studies visit our website.

Key Scientific Studies

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2. Yuan-Yuan Wang, et al. Studies on the immuno-modulating and antitumor activities of *Ganoderma lucidum* (Reishi) polysaccharides: functional and proteomic analyses of a fucose-containing glycoprotein fraction responsible for the activities. *Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry*, 2002; 10:1057-1062.

Supplement Facts

	Amount Per Capsule
Ganoderma lucidum (reishi mushroom) extract equiv. to dry mushroom	9.9 g
Ganoderma lucidum (reishi mushroom) dry spore	5 mg

Other Ingredients: Gelatin, Stearic Acid, Glycerol, Water.

Directions For Use

As a dietary supplement, take one to two (1-2) capsules twice daily with food and drink.

Packaging

60 capsules (15-30 day supply)

Warnings

Keep out of reach of children. If you are pregnant or lactating, or taking a prescription medication, consult a doctor before using this product.

Consult a doctor if you are currently using anticoagulants, receiving immunosuppressive therapies or have an immune disorder.

Individuals with known fungal allergies should be cautious when taking Reishi products.

