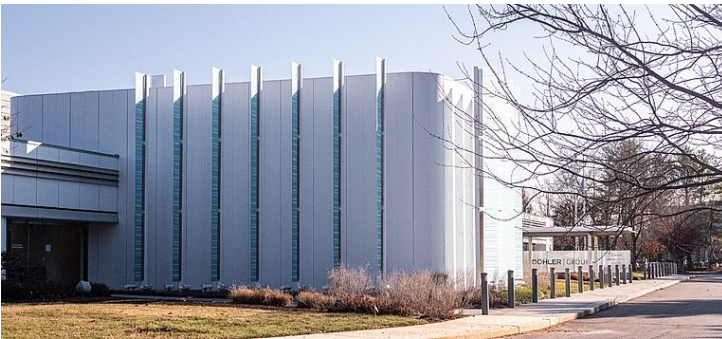


Danisco and VitaWorks partner to drive innovation in health and nutrition across North America

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Danisco, a global leader in natural ingredients, ingredient systems, and integrated solutions for the food, beverage, and life science & nutrition industries, and VitaWorks LLC, a leading U.S.-based, family-owned manufacturer specialising in innovative formulation and turnkey nutraceutical production, have announced a strategic partnership to expand innovation and manufacturing capabilities in the health and nutrition industry across North America.

By combining their complementary strengths, customers will benefit from accelerated innovation and next-generation nutrition solutions through enhanced formulation, blending, and packaging capabilities. VitaWorks operates two state-of-the-art facilities in Fairfield, New Jersey, and Tempe, Arizona, delivering best-in-class development and production for the growing health and nutrition market.

As part of the agreement, Danisco is partnering with VitaWorks in a state-of-the-art blending and processing facility focused on novel flavour and powdered delivery systems. This initiative significantly expands on-site development capacity and accelerates product innovation for customers across North America. The partnership will also establish a West Coast Development Lab, creating a collaborative hub for concept-to-market product creation.

By combining Danisco's global expertise in natural speciality ingredients, including flavours, colours, botanical extracts, and functional ingredients, with VitaWorks's extensive manufacturing and formulation capabilities, the companies will deliver agile, science-backed, clean-label nutrition solutions designed to meet growing consumer demand for effective, natural, and transparent nutrition.

VitaWorks and its affiliated manufacturing companies, including Gummy Works (nutritional gummies) and Celmark Labs (liquid ingestibles and natural personal care) are owned and led by Keith Frankel, a recognised pioneer in the dietary supplement and functional nutrition industry.

Over his four-decade career, Frankel has built one of the most comprehensive networks of health and wellness manufacturing operations in North America, supplying leading national brands and retailers with innovative, high-quality products. His

commitment to product integrity, speed to market, and cross-category innovation has helped define modern nutraceutical manufacturing from capsules and powders to advanced gummies and clean-label liquids.