

America's Most Promising Companies Editor's Pick: Best of the Best

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Deborah Maragopoulos/ MN FNP, a Board Certified Intuitive Integrative Nurse Practitioner was on her way to a career in conventional medicine when she decided she didn't want to study the human body from the perspective of disease, but rather from the state of wellness.

She began an Intuitive Integrative Medicine practice in 1987. Her Full Circle Family Health program blends the art of healing with the science and technology of medicine.

As a specialist in the hypothalamus, Deborah's practice grew to include many endocrine disorders — diabetes, thyroid disease, adrenal deficiency, growth hormone deficiency and infertility. Her devotion to understanding human glandular function has led to her affectionate nickname as the "Hormone Queen." With her emphasis on intuitive and spiritual treatments, and a product line called Genesis Gold, Deborah helps her patients reach their greatest potential by creating joyous transformations—body, mind, and soul. She came into my life when I needed her the most. I just did not know, like so many other women, that she has the most unique and comprehensive approach to health. Deborah is exemplary and revolutionary. She is here to stay helping all of us become our healthiest selves possible. And that indeed is an honorable cause.

www.genesisgold.com



Sometimes the products we take for granted, the ones that have always been around, are the ones we think can't be improved upon.

That's not the case with beef jerky. Driven by dissatisfaction with locally available jerky products, Dusty Jaquins decided to create something tastier. A veteran of the food industry, Jaquins did some research and found there was nothing on the market that was tender, tasteful and of high quality. With son-in-law Luke Sellers, the team created a recipe using only premium ingredients and all-natural USDA Choice & Select beef brisket sourced from American steer. This year, Chops Snacks, in addition to its presence in local natural retailers, is poised to enter 10-15 major retailers, signifying a major growth curve for the company. I personally snack on this amazingly tender beef, which feels like a steak dinner each time, but without the fat. And they have various flavors! Very low calorie intake (80 per pack) and extraordinary in quality. The difference between the extraordinary and the ordinary is that little extra! Chops Snacks has that!

www.chopssnacks.com



It seems almost contradictory to use a black product to produce whiter teeth, but that's what My Magic Mud toothpaste does.

Like a lot of great products, My Magic Mud toothpaste was created out of passion. When extraordinary and gorgeous musician, Jessica Arman's daughter, Allie, developed a susceptibility to cavities and tooth sensitivity Jessica began doing research and tinkering with home remedies using sea salt, baking soda and other ingredients. What she came up with was a dentifrice using activated charcoal that, while black, worked wonders in cleaning teeth, producing significantly whiter teeth in just 21 days. My Magic Mud products use the highest quality natural and organic ingredients like coconut oil and bentonite clay. Kids also like the flavors like wintergreen, cinnamon clove and spearmint. As for adults, the results are not only amazing in a very organic way, but those of us with an acidic stomach that regular toothpaste can trigger, this is the ultimate solution.

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