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It is my opinion that FDA should not in any way attempt to regulate accessibility to dietary supplements. The use of these substances should not be restricted and the makers of them should not be required to adhere to FDA regulations that would make them less available to the general public. Persons using supplements generally take it upon themselves to do so responsibly. There are many documented health benefits to the proper use of supplements and the health care system and FDA should not interfere.