

Aspartame Docket #02P-0317

Is there any relationship between aspartame and multiple sclerosis?

No. The Multiple Sclerosis Foundation stated, "There is no evidence that aspartame in any way causes, provokes, mimics or worsens MS." Further, an article published by the National Multiple Sclerosis (MS) Society states:

"Several websites and documents circulating on the Internet are making unsubstantiated claims about aspartame, an artificial sweetener used in many diet soft drinks and other foods."

For more on the Multiple Sclerosis Foundation and its assessment of the safety of aspartame, please visit: http://www.msfocus.org/publications/pub_articles_aspart.html.

For more on the National MS Society and its assessment of the safety of aspartame, please visit: <http://www.nationalmssociety.org/headlines-aspartame.asp>.

For your reference and convenience this information has been attached in PDF form.

Respectfully submitted,

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