

# NEW BEAUTY<sup>®</sup>

## A Talc-Free Powder That Does Everything



Talc is having a pretty bad week. In an unprecedented case, a Missouri court has ordered Johnson & Johnson to pay \$72 million to a woman who claimed that the talc in her baby powder caused fatal ovarian cancer.

Whether you believe it's a bad ingredient or not, [Farmaesthetics High Cotton Body Dust](#) (\$27) does so many amazing—and multitasking—things...plus, it's talc-free to boot (it also doesn't have zinc stearate, which doesn't harm skin if topically applied, but can be harmful if inhaled). Founder (and seventh-generation farmer) Brenda Brock created the formula for her grandmother to use in the humid Texas heat to keep her "high and dry."

The herbal portion has a really soft, clean, feminine scent and is powered by ground-up lavender buds, thyme flowers and sage, all of which pack natural antimicrobial, antifungal and antiperspirant properties. It also works really well as a body-dusting powder to keep skin dry, an underarm deodorant and even a foot powder. It's so easy to use (there's no clouds of powder going everywhere) that you can discreetly reapply during the day or post-workout.