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MARKETING PLAN

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Eat Real Food or Else is pertinent and topical.

Eat Real Food or Else presents a comprehensive system for lifelong health, with tools to make informed food choices. It is both a cookbook and a nutrition manual: each recipe is accompanied by interesting and lively nutritional information. The book also contains a science section and an appendix with technical references for those who want to go further.

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Seminars and interviews - Co-author Dr. Mike Nichols is running a series of seminars on health topics. This activity is intended to raise awareness of *Quantitative Medicine* (another book he co-authored) and the "companion" nutrition/cookbook *Eat Real Food or Else*.

Podcasts - The first is done, and is an overview of *Quantitative Medicine*. The audio can be heard online at QuantitativeMedicine.net/audio/. This is well received so far, and more are planned, including topics covered in *Eat Real Food or Else*.

Videos - Dr. Nichols is taping all his seminars. This will form the basis of a series of videos, which will be posted on YouTube, Facebook and our websites.

Ask Dr. Mike - An hour-long weekly Internet radio show is being explored. It would become a basis for the podcast series.

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