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POISON EMERGENCY
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Let's Prevent Poisoning

Each year, over 50% of poisonings happen to children under the age of five. You can keep children safe by following these basic poison prevention tips:

DO'S

- Store cleaning supplies in a locked cabinet.
- Lock up prescription and over-the-counter medications.
- Teach children to ask first before tasting anything new.
- Keep children away from poisonous plants.
- Keep children in sight at all times.
- Keep the Poison Control Hotline number handy.

DON'TS

- ✗ Don't call medicine "candy."
- ✗ Don't take medicine in front of children.
- ✗ Don't leave children alone.
- ✗ Don't leave cosmetics and medicines open.
- ✗ Don't keep household cleaning supplies under the sink.
- ✗ Don't keep plants within easy reach of children.
- ✗ Don't leave dirty ashtrays around children.

Call the Poison Control Center IMMEDIATELY if a child eats, drinks, or touches something harmful. Poison specialists will instruct you step by step.

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