## **Poison Prevention Education**

Age Requirements No Age Requirement Available 24/7 Yes Other Eligibility Criteria No residency requirement. Family No Intake Contact Poison Information Intake Process Call 1-800-222-1222 in a poison emergency or with poison questions and you will be immediately connected with an expert who will tell you what to do or answer your question.

If you would like to request poison prevention information such as stickers, m Self Refer Yes National Capital Poison Center Main (202) 362-3867 Toll-Free (800) 222-1222 3201 New Mexico Ave., Ste. 310 20016 DC United States Fee Structure No Fee Languages Spoken

English

National Capital Poison Center offers poison prevention education through: 1) Distribution of teaching materials to area preschools and child care centers;

2) Distribution of prevention materials to more than 500,000 parents and children annually through pediatrician's offices, health clinics, hospitals, obstetrical units, health fairs, fire departments, children's shoe stores, public libraries, community and church groups, Safe Kids coalitions, PTAs, school nurses, and classes for babysitters and new parents; and

3) Media-based programs (press releases, interviews, public service announcements, radio and TV appearances).

Home Safety - People may write or phone for Poison Help stickers and poison prevention materials for the home. Call the business number, 202-362-3867, to request bulk materials. These poison prevention materials are available for residents of the Washington, DC metro area only. If you live elsewhere, contact your poison center. Poison Help Magnet - Place on your refrigerator, so the poison center's number is always available; Poison Help Sticker - Two stickers on a sheet. Place these on your phones.

{Languages: In emergencies, poison center will initiate conference call w/ an interpreter)}

Service Area(s) Alexandria City

Arlington County

Fairfax City

Fairfax County , Falls Church City , Loudoun County , Manassas City , Manassas Park City , Maryland , Montgomery County , Prince George County

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