

Gear Up For Safety!

Poison Safety

1. Keep the toll-free nationwide poison control center number 1-800-222-1222 near every phone.
2. Lock up potential poisons out of sight and reach of kids. This includes makeup, medicine, plants, cleaning products, pesticides, art supplies, and beer, wine and liquor.
3. Read labels to find out what is poisonous. Know which plants in and around your home can be poisonous.
4. Buy child-resistant packages when available.
5. Install carbon monoxide alarms in all bedrooms and all levels of the home. Test the alarm batteries monthly.
6. In homes built before 1978, test for lead-based paint and get kids tested for lead exposure.



Visit www.usa.safekids.org for more information!