

PARENTING TIPS FOR POISON PREVENTION

- ✓ **Store all drugs and chemicals out of children's reach.**
- ✓ **Use safety latches on cabinets.**
- ✓ **Never put chemicals in food containers.**
- ✓ **Keep all products in the original containers.**
- ✓ **Choose products with safety caps.**
- ✓ **Read the product label on how to use and store.**
- ✓ **Never call medicine "candy."**
- ✓ **Ask for help if you are not sure how to use or store a product.**
- ✓ **Keep separate from each other: household, yard and car products; food; and prescription and over-the-counter medications.**
- ✓ **Flush out-of-date medications down the toilet.**
- ✓ **Know the names of all plants inside and outside your home.**
- ✓ **Call your Poison Center if you suspect a poisoning or have questions about poisonings.**

Store Poisons Safely in Your —

- ✓ **House**
- ✓ **Garage**
- ✓ **Barn**
- ✓ **Yard**
- ✓ **Diaper Bag**
- ✓ **Purse**
- ✓ **Car**



POISONING

Always Be Prepared!

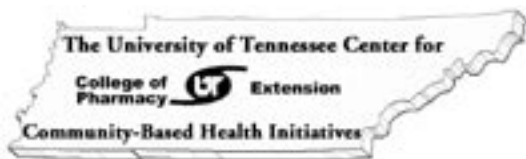
- ✓ Have the number of your Poison Center posted near all of your phones.
- ✓ Call for a telephone sticker from the Poison Center

If Poisoning Occurs —

- ✓ Remain calm.
- ✓ If the person is unconscious, having convulsions or difficulty breathing, call 911.
- ✓ Otherwise, call your Poison Center.



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