

What happens when you call the Indiana Poison Center?

If you think someone's been poisoned, call the Indiana Poison Center at **1-800-222-1222** **immediately**. Take the container with you when you call so you can answer questions about what happened.

The Poison Information Specialist who answers the phone will ask you some questions:

What happened?

How much is missing?

If the person is a child – how much does he or she weigh?

When did it happen?

Is the person normally healthy – are there any health problems the specialist should know about?

Is the person having any symptoms?

What is the name of the product?

How old is the person?

What is a number that can be used to call you back (to check in and make sure everything is okay)?

What are the active ingredients in the product (listed on the label)?

The poison center can handle most poisonings over the phone. The specialist will quickly tell you if you have a true medical emergency and need to go to a hospital. If you do have to go to an emergency room, the poison specialist will call the hospital and tell them what has happened and what needs to be done when you arrive.

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