First Aid for Poisoning

Poison in the Mouth



- Call the Poison Center whether the product was swallowed or if you're not sure.
- Never make the person vomit!
 Only give something to eat or drink if the Poison Center tells you to.

Poison on the Skin



- Take off clothes that have poison on them.
- Rinse the skin very well with water. Then wash the skin with soap and water.
- If symptoms continue, call the Poison Center for more information.

Poison in the Eye



- Remove contact lenses (if worn)
- Rinse the eyes with warm water for 15 minutes
- Keep eyes open as much as possible during rinsing.
- Call the Poison Center for all eye exposures, after rinsing for 15 minutes.

Poison in the Air



- Open windows and doors to let in fresh air.
- Leave the area and move to a place where you can breathe fresh air.
- Help others leave the area, but be careful not to breathe the poison yourself.
- If symptoms continue, call the Poison Center for more information.

If you suspect a poisoning, don't take a chance.

Call 1-800-222-1222



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