In January, the Georgia Poison Center handled 9,560 calls, of which 6,951 calls were related to human exposures, 702 calls related to animal exposures and 1,907 calls were related to general poison information.

The specialized staff at the Georgia Poison Center was able to effectively triage 83% of calls that were received from the general public at the site of exposure without referral to a health care facility by providing simple first aid instructions over the phone.