October 2010

**TOTAL INCOMING CALLS** 8,960

**HUMAN EXPOSURES** 6,585

**ANIMAL EXPOSURES** 539

**INFORMATION CALLS** 1,836

**POISONINGS MANAGED AT HOME/ON-SITE** 87%

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**Top 10 Substances Involved in All Human Exposures**

- Cosmetics/Personal Care Products
- Analgesics (pain relievers)
- Household Cleaning Substances
- Foreign Body / Toys/Miscellaneous
- Topical Preparations
- Plants
- Antihistamines
- Cough and Cold Preparations
- Pesticides
- Vitamins

**Top 10 Substances Involved in All Pediatric Exposures (Ages ≤5)**

- Analgesics (pain relievers)
- Cosmetics/Personal Care Products
- Household Cleaning Substances
- Sedatives/ Hypnotics/Antipsychotics
- Bites and Envenomations
- Foreign Body / Toys/Miscellaneous
- Topical Preparations
- Antihistamines
- Antibiotics
- Pesticides

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**Exposures by Age Group**

- Birth - 5 Years: 50%
- 6 - 12 Years: 7%
- 13 - 19 Years: 8%
- 20 - 29 Years: 13%
- 30-49 Years: 13%
- 50+ Years: 10%
- Unknown: 5%

**Exposures by Call Origin**

- Non Health Care Facility: 77%
- Health Care Facility: 17%
- Other Health Care Facility: 5%
- Unknown: 1%