

COVID-19 Poison Safety For Families

Cleaning hands and household surfaces is an important part of staying safe today, but the Georgia Poison Center has noticed an increase in poisonings related to these efforts. Misuse of cleaners, accidents with hand sanitizers and increased dosage of supplements can lead to serious poisonings in children or adults.

- Only use products as directed. Higher concentrations of cleaners are *not* more effective, and may be dangerous.
- Use one cleaner at a time to avoid chemical reactions between products.
- Do not “mega-dose” with supplements or vitamins to avoid side effects and drug interactions with important medications.

Use Caution With:

Disinfectants

Bleach

Household Cleaners

Pain/Fever Medicine

Dietary Supplements

Vitamins

Hand Sanitizer

Hydrogen Peroxide

Rubbing Alcohol

Call 1-800-222-1222 with questions about any type of poisoning, 24/7. Poison specialists provide immediate, confidential help, even for emergencies!



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