

2019 Statistical Report Queen Anne's County, MD

County accounted for 0.9% of human exposure calls to the Maryland Poison Center

Types of Calls

Total human exposures	248
< 12 months	8
1 year	47
2 years	35
3 years	23
4 years	10
5 years	11
6-12 years	19
13-19 years	9
20-59 years	61
>60 years	23
Unknown age	2

Animal Exposures 11 Information Calls 37

Reason for exposure

Unintentional	224
General	129
Environmental	4
Occupational	4
Therapeutic Error	62
Misuse	19
Bite or Sting	5
Food Poisoning	1
Intentional	19
Suspected Suicide	8
Misuse	4
Abuse	6
Unknown	1
Other	5
Contamination/tampering	0
Malicious	0
Adverse Reaction/Drug	3
Adverse Reaction/Other	2

Management Site

On site/non Healthcare Facility	180
Healthcare Facility	49
Other/Unknown	15
Refused Referral	4

Medical Outcome

No Effect	63
Minor Effect	162
Moderate Effect	8
Major Effect	6
Death	0
Other/Unknown	9

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Most common exposures, children under 6 years:

- 1. Cosmetics and personal care products
- 2. *(tie)* Analgesics (pain relievers) Household cleaning products
- 4. Plants
- 5. *(tie)* Foreign bodies and toys Topical medicines (for the skin)

Most common exposures, children 6-19 years:

- 1. Analgesics (pain relievers)
- 2. *(tie)* Cold and cough medicines Plants
- (tie) Anticonvulsants Gastrointestinal medicines (for the stomach) Pesticides

Most common exposures, adults 20-59 years:

- 1. Antidepressants
- 2. Analgesics (pain relievers)
- 3. Sedatives and antipsychotics
- 4. *(tie)* Household cleaning products Stimulants and street drugs

Most common exposures, adults 60 years and older:

- 1. Heart medicines
- 2. *(tie)* Analgesics (pain relievers) Hormones (including antidiabetic and thyroid medicines)
- (tie) Cosmetics and personal care products Fire extinguishers Sedatives and antipsychotics Vitamins