

2010 Statistical Report Kent County, MD

County accounted for 0.6% of human exposure calls to the Maryland Poison Center

Types of Calls

Total human exposures	218	Animal Exposures	15
< 12 months	6		
1 year	28	Information Calls	65
2 years	24		
3 years	12		
4 years	7		
5 years	9		
6-12 years	14		
13-19 years	22		
20-59 years	69		
>60 years	23		
Unknown age	4		

Reason for exposure

156
88
4
3
30
27
3
1
52
40
3
8
1
10
4
1
3
1
1

Management Site

On site/non Healthcare Facility	136
Healthcare Facility	77
Other	5
Refused Referral	0
Medical Outcome	
No Effect	55
Minor Effect	132
Moderate Effect	25
Major Effect	1
Death	0
Other/Unknown	5

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Most common exposures, children under 6 years:

- 1. Cosmetics and personal care products
- 2. Analgesics (pain relievers)
- 3. Foreign bodies
- 4. *(tie)* Antihistamines Plants
- 6. Pesticides
- 7. Antimicrobials

Most common exposures, children 6-19 years:

- 1. Sleep medicines and antipsychotics
- 2. Analgesics (pain relievers)
- 3. *(tie)* Anticonvulsants
 Stimulants and street drugs
- 5. (tie) Adhesives/glues
 Antidepressants
 Antihistamines
 Building/construction products
 Vitamins

Most common exposures, adults 20 years and older:

- 1. Sleep medicines and antipsychotics
- 2. Analgesics (pain relievers)
- 3. Alcohols
- 4. Household cleaning products
- 5. Heart medicines
- 6. Antidepressants
- 7. *(tie)* Anticonvulsants Antihistamines

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