

PLANTS AND POISON

- Never eat part of any plant or mushroom with which you are unfamiliar.
- Teach children to never put leaves, bark, stems, seeds, nuts, or berries from plants into their mouths.
- Learn to identify the names of all the plants in your home and yard in case you need to report a poisoning to the Poison Control Center.
- If you don't know the name of a plant in your home or yard, have it identified at a landscape or gardening center.
- Don't assume a plant is not poisonous because birds or other wildlife are eating it.
- Don't assume that cooking destroys toxic chemicals in plants.

Toxic Plants

The following plants contain a wide variety of poisons, so symptoms can vary from a mild stomach irritation, rash, throat and mouth swelling to involvement of the kidneys, heart and other vital organs.

Acorn	Foxglove	Mushroom
Anemone	Hedge Apples	Narcissus
Angel Trumpet Tree	Hemlock, poison	Nephthytis
Apple Seeds	Holly Berries	Nightshade
Apricot Pit Kernels	Horsetail Reed	Oleander
Arrowhead	Hyacinth (Bulbs)	Peach Seeds
Avocado Leaves	Hydrangea	Periwinkle
Azaleas	Iris	Philodendron
Betel Nut Palm	Ivy (Boston, English)	Poison Ivy
Bittersweet	Jack-In-The-Pulpit	Poison Oak
Buckeye	Jequirty Bean/Pea	Poppy (except Cal.)
Buttercups	Jerusalem Cherry	Pokeweed
Caladium	Jessamine (Jasmine)	Potato Sprouts
Calla Lily	Jimson Weed (Thorn	Primrose
Castor Bean	Apple)	Ranunculus
Chinese Lantern	Jonquil	Rhododendron
Creeping Charlie (Ground	Lantana Camara	Rhubarb Blade
Ivy/glechoma hedercea)	Larkspur	Rosary Pea
Crocus, Autumn	Laurels	Star-Of-Bethlehem
Daffodil	Lily-Of-The Valley	Sweet Pea
Daphne	Lobelia	Tobacco
Delphinium		



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Devil's Ivy
Dieffenbachia (Dumb Cane)
Elderberry
Elephant Ear
English Ivy
Four O'Clock

Marijuana
Mayapple
Mescal (Peyote)
Mistletoe
Moonseed
Monkshood
Morning Glory

Tomato Vines
Tulip
Water Hemlock
Wisteria
Yew

If you have an emergency call: 1-800-222-1222

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