

2020 Statistical Report: Queen Anne's County, MD

County accounted for 1% of human exposure calls to the Maryland Poison Center

Types of Calls

Call Types	Number of Cases
Total human exposures	304
< 12 months	12
1 year	60
2 years	48
3 years	23
4 years	6
5 years	8
6-12 years	24
13-19 years	14
20-59 years	62
> 60 years	41
Unknown age	6
Animal Exposures	14
Information Calls	42

Reasons for Exposure

Exposure	Number of Cases
Unintentional	281
General	160
Environmental	5
Occupational	5
Therapeutic Error	62
Misuse	42
Bite or Sting	4
Food Poisoning	3
Unknown	0
Intentional	15
Suspected Suicide	7
Misuse	7
Abuse	1
Unknown	0
Other	8
Contamination/Tampering	2
Malicious	0
Adverse Reaction/Drug	2
Adverse Reaction/Other	1
Other/Unknown	3

Management Site

Location	Number of Cases
On site/non Healthcare Facility	258
Healthcare Facility	44
Other	2
Refused Referral	0

Medical Outcome

Outcome	Number of Cases
No Effect	61
Minor Effect	232
Moderate Effect	8
Major Effect	1
Death	0
Other/Unknown	2

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Most common exposures, children under 6 years:

1. Cosmetics and personal care products
2. Analgesics (pain relievers)
3. Household cleaning products
4. (tie) Foreign bodies and toys; Vitamins

Most common exposures, children 6-19 years:

1. Analgesics (pain relievers)
2. (tie) Antihistamines; Sedatives and antipsychotics
4. (tie) Antidepressants; Cosmetics and personal care products; Household cleaning products

Most common exposures, adults 20-59 years:

1. (tie) Analgesics (pain relievers); Household cleaning products
3. (tie) Antidepressants; Heart medicines
5. Fumes, gases & vapors

Most common exposures, adults 60 years and older:

1. Heart medicines
2. Diuretics
3. (tie) Analgesics (pain relievers); Antidepressants; Antimicrobials