

MONTANA POISON CENTER ANNUAL REPORT JULY 1, 2022 – JUNE 30, 2023



9,212 Human Exposures
532 Information Calls
15,588 Inbound Calls / 2,373 Outbound Calls



2,030 HEALTHCARE FACILITY CASES



5,953 POISONING CASES MANAGED
ONSITE, SAVING TIME AND COST OF
AN EMERGENCY ROOM VISIT



FOR EVERY \$1 SPENT ON POISON CENTER
SERVICES \$13.59 IS SAVED IN MEDICAL EXPENSES
RESULTING IN \$3,050,000 SAVINGS TO
MONTANA

Poisoning is the leading cause of unintentional death due to injury in the US.



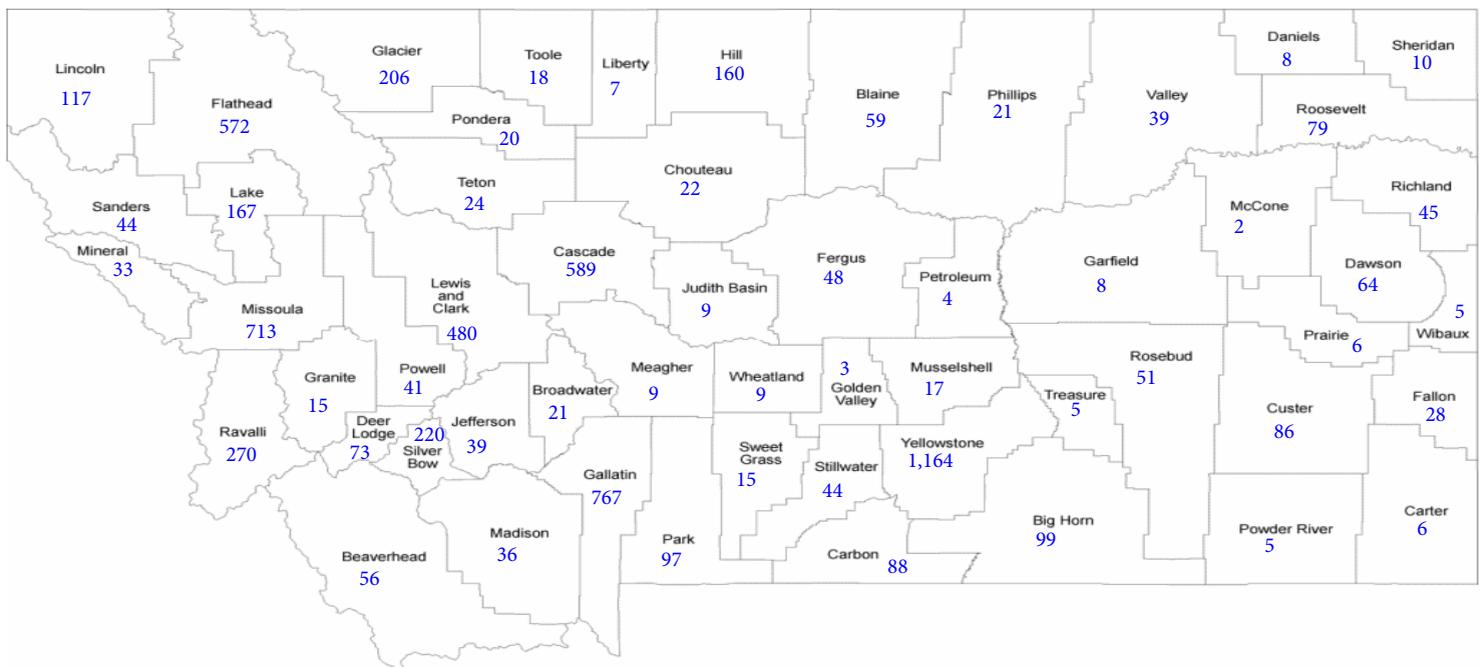
3,926 TOTAL MEDICATION EXPOSURES
10,077 TOTAL CASES
1,286 ANALGESIC EXPOSURES
1,098 TOTAL EXPOSURE TO CLEANING PRODUCTS & COSMETICS



5,560 EXPOSURES AGE 19 AND UNDER

CALLS BY COUNTY TO THE MONTANA POISON CENTER

These mapped calls are for callers who identified a Montana zip code as their call location



PUBLIC EDUCATION

The Montana Poison Center ships Poison Center brochures, stickers, magnets and other educational materials (in English and Spanish) to the MT Dept. of Health throughout the year. **Become a Poison Prevention Educator! Sign up (for free) here:** <https://training.rmpds.org/>

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

The Montana Poison Center is able to provide on-site appearances for professional / public education. If you are interested in having a presenter at your even please visit our website and click on "email".

<https://www.mtpoisoncenter.org/>

WHO CALLS THE POISON CENTER?

Anyone can experience a poison emergency. The public and healthcare professionals call for help for people of all ages in over 150 languages

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