

Keep household products and small objects out of children's reach and sight.

Did you know?

Every day, **65 children** are seen in the emergency room (ER) due to exposure to **household cleaning products.**¹

Products to be mindful of include soaps, detergents and bleaches.

Every day, **130 children** are seen in the ER after getting into **medicine** when their caregivers weren't watching, and **23 are hospitalized**.²

Medicines meant to treat pain, heart conditions and allergies are most often involved.

Every day, **9 children** are seen in the ER after getting into cosmetics and/or **personal care products**.¹

Every day, **173 children** are seen in the ER after swallowing or choking on a **small object** and **19 are hospitalized**.¹

Products to be mindful of include hand sanitizers, creams/ lotions, makeup, dental care products and deodorants.

 Source: Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC), National Electronic Injury Surveillance System (NEISS). Data is for ages 0-4 and is based on estimates for year 2019.

2 Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), NEISS-Cooperative Adverse Drug Event Surveillance Project (NEISS-CADES). Data is for ages 0-4 and is based on combined average estimates for years 2018 and 2019.

Coins account for 40% of these ER visits. Other small objects to think about include toys, jewelry and batteries.