

NEVADA POISON CENTER 2020 ANNUAL REPORT JULY 1, 2020 – JUNE 30, 2021



14,370 Human Exposures
2,147 Information Calls
29,221 Inbound Calls/6,177 Outbound Calls



4,471 HEALTHCARE FACILITY CASES



8,046 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

\$4219,415.00 SAVINGS TO NEVADA

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



7,179 TOTAL MEDICATION EXPOSURES

17,057 TOTAL CASES

2,221 ANALGESIC EXPOSURES

1,565 TOTAL EXPOSURE TO CLEANING PRODUCTS & COSMETICS



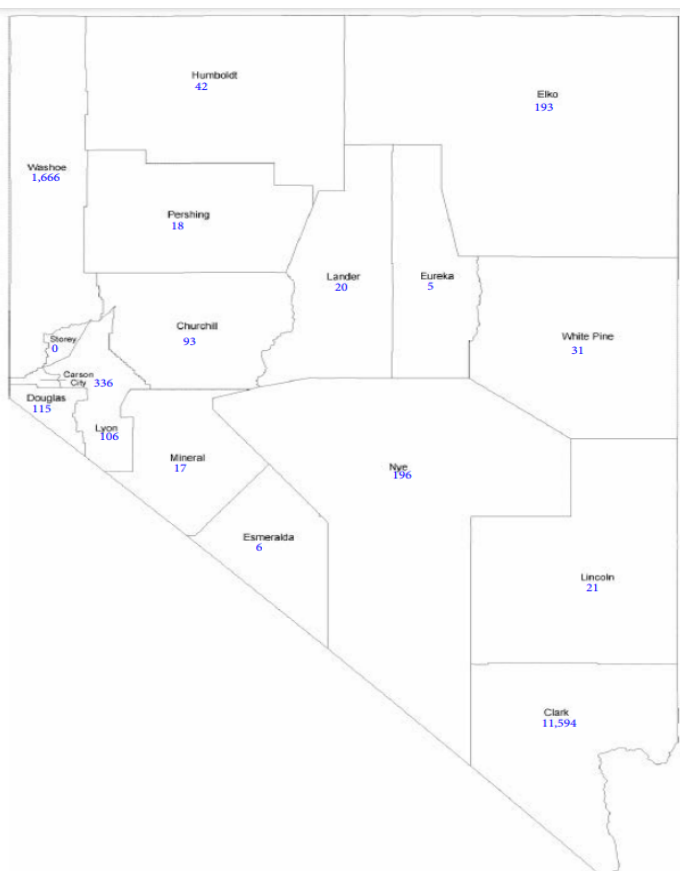
7,209 EXPOSURES AGE 19 AND UNDER



866-UC-PEHSU or (866) 827-3478 <https://www.pehsu.net/>

CALLS BY COUNTY TO THE NEVADA POISON CENTER

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



PUBLIC EDUCATION

The Nevada Poison Center distributed over 800 Poison Center brochures, stickers, magnets and other educational materials (in English and Spanish) throughout the state this year. **Become a Poison Prevention Educator! Sign up (for free) here:** <https://training.rmpds.org/>

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

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

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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