



National Poll on Children's Health

Poisoning in Young Children

Survey questions for parents and grandparents of children age 1-5.

Q1. Do you currently have the following kinds of medicines in your home?

	No	Yes
Over-the-counter medicine for adults		
Over-the-counter medicine for children		
Prescription medicine for adults		
Prescription medicine for children		

Q2. Do you keep all medicine doses in the containers that they are sold in, or do you put some medicine in other containers?

	All in the containers that they are sold in	Some in other containers
Over-the-counter medicine for adults		
Over-the-counter medicine for children		
Prescription medicine for adults		
Prescription medicine for children		

Q3. What kinds of containers do you use?

	Easy-to-open containers that keep some doses handy	Child-proof containers	Other containers that are hard for a child to open
Over-the-counter medicine for adults			
Over-the-counter medicine for children			
Prescription medicine for adults			
Prescription medicine for children			

Q4. For the following types of medicines, do you keep all the medicine doses in places that are hard for young children to get to?

	Yes, all locked	Yes, all out of reach	No, not all
Over-the-counter medicine for adults			
Over-the-counter medicine for children			
Prescription medicine for adults			
Prescription medicine for children			

[ALL RESPONDENTS]

Q5. Would you support these proposed laws that would make it harder for young children to accidentally take many doses of medicine at once?

	Support	Do not support
Require tablet or capsule medicines to be packaged so that only a single-dose can be dispensed at a time		
Require liquid medicines to be packaged so that only a single-dose can be dispensed at a time		

Participants were also asked demographic questions on gender, race/ethnicity, annual household income, education and insurance status.

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