Top 10 Ways to Keep Children Safe from Poison

1. Place the California Poison Action Line number on or near all phones.
2. Ask for child-resistant containers.
3. Do not store food products and household cleaners in the same cabinet.
4. Always keep products in their original containers.
5. Keep harmful medicines and household products out of reach and in locked cabinets.
7. Do not take medicine in front of children; they love to imitate adults.
8. Many poisonings occur when a product is in use. If the doorbell or the phone rings, or there are other distractions, keep the product with you.
9. Know your plants. Check the CPCS web site at www.calpoison.org, or call your local plant store or nursery.
10. Keep potentially harmful products such as cosmetics, perfume, cigarettes, alcohol, vitamins with iron, and all medicine completely out of reach.