

Washington Poison Center

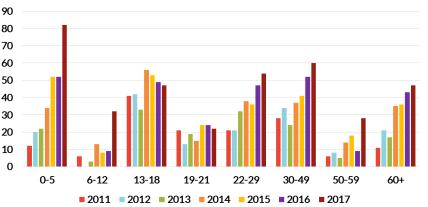
2017 Annual Toxic Trend Report: Cannabis



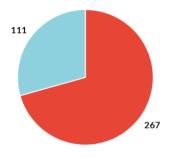




Cannabis Exposures By Age from 2011-2017



Prevalence of Polysubstance Use



Marijuana only
 Marijuana + other substance (s)

NOT FOR KIDS

EMERGENCY
[800] 222 1222

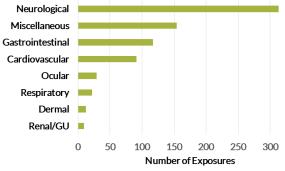
Among the 0-5 year age group, WAPC reports a 57.7% increase (n=82) in exposures compared to 2016 (n=52).

outcome, 23.2% of individuals exposed developed

Of those cases followed to a known medical

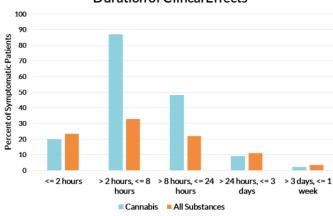
moderate or life-threatening symptoms.

Cannabis Clinical Effects in 2017

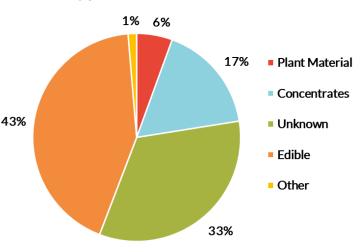


81.5% of patients who called the poison center first were managed by our Specialists at home keeping them out of the emergency department, saving \$150,294 of our patients' dollars.

Duration of Clincal Effects



Types of Cannabis



*Disclaimer: Reporting of exposures to the Poison Center is voluntary and not mandated by law. As such, WAPC data describes the number of exposures reported to the Poison Center and most likely is an underrepresentation of the true occurence of any one substance. All calls to the WAPC are free and confidential. For further information, contact Arti Patel at apatel@wapc.org or 206-517-2380