

## Home safety and injury prevention

# Poisoning prevention



- Install child-resistant locks on all cupboards where chemicals, medicines and cleaning products are kept.
- Leave all chemicals, medicines and cleaning products in their original containers and follow the directions on the label.
- Put all chemicals, medicines and cleaning products away immediately after use.
- If your child has swallowed something poisonous, take the container and the child to the phone and call **13 11 26** (24 hrs).



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