



Highly Toxic Poison Plant List

This list contains plants/trees and shrubs that are highly toxic. Even a small amount may cause serious illness or death. Immediately call the **Illinois Poison Center at 1-800-222-1222** if you suspect an exposure and / or ingestion from a plant on this list. If you have a plant that is not included on this list, contact the **Illinois Poison Center at 1-800-222-1222** to find out if the plant is toxic.

Remember: ALL PLANTS CAN BE A CHOKING HAZARD

Autumn Crocus	Lilly of the Valley
Bittersweet Nightshade	Marijuana
Black Locust	Monkshood
Black Nightshade	Moonseed
Blue Cohash	Morning Glory (seeds)
Box Thorn	Mushrooms (some types)
Cannabis Sativa	Night Jessamine
Castor Bean	Oleander
Cow Bane	Periwinkle
Daphne	Peyote
Deadly Nightshade	Poison Hemlock
Fall Crocus	Poppies
Foxglove	Rosary Pea
Horse Nettle	Toadstools
Indian Tobacco	Tobacco
Jequirity Bean	Water Hemlock
Jerusalem Cherry	Wonder Flower
Jimson Weed	Yew
Lantana	

Mildly and Moderately Toxic Poison Plant List

This list contains plants/trees and shrubs that are mildly and moderately toxic. Some of these plants can cause skin rash or irritation, which may be very serious or painful. Others can cause minor symptoms, such as vomiting or diarrhea. Always call the **Illinois Poison Center at 1-800-222-1222** if you suspect ingestion, skin, eye or other exposure from a plant on this list. If you have a plant that is not included on this list, contact the **Illinois Poison Center at 1-800-222-1222** to find out if the plant is toxic.

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Adam and Eve	Cottonwood	Hydrangea	Pothos Plant
Agave	Crab Apple	Inch Plant	Primrose
Aloe	Crown of Thorns	Ink Berry	Privet
Alstromeria	Cyclamen	Iris	Pussy Willow
Amaryllis	Daffodil	Jack-in-the-Pulpit	Pyracantha
Anthurium	Daisy	Japanese Hackberry	Queen Anne's Lace
Arrowhead Vine	Delphinium	Japanese Lantern	Ranunculus
Azalea	Dianthus	Jet Bead	Rhamnus
Baneberry	Dieffenbachia	Juniper	Rhododendron
Bird of Paradise	Donkey's Tail	Leatherwood	Rhubarb (leaves)
Black-Eye Susan	Dumb Cane	Lobster Plant	Rose
Bleeding Heart	Dutchman's Breeches	Maguey	Rubber Tree Plant
Boston Ivy	Dwarf Orange Tree	May Apple	Schefflera
Box Wood	Eggplant (leaves/stem)	Memory Root	Sedum
Buckeye	Elderberry	Mimosa	Shamrock
Buckhorn	English Ivy	Mistletoe	Skunk Cabbage
Buttercup	Eunoymus	Moses in a Boat	Snake Plant
Caladium	False Bittersweet	Mushrooms (some types)	Snowdrop
Calla Lily	Ficus Benghalensis	Narcissus	Spathiphyllum
Carnation	Ficus Benjamina	Nephtysis	Squirrel Corn
Catnip	Ficus Carcia	Ornamental Pepper	Stinging Nettle
Celandine	Fig (skin, sap, leaves)	Oxeye Daisy	String of Pearls
Chinese Elm	Flax	Oyster Plant	Sweet Pea
Chinese Hackberry	Foxtail	Peace Lily	Tomato (leaves/stem)
Chinese Lantern Plant	Geranium	Philodendron	Tulip
Chokeberry	Giant Elephant Ear	Pits (i.e. apricot, peaches)	Umbrella Tree
Christmas Flower	Heather	Poinsettia	Vase Vine
Christmas Rose	Hedge Apple	Poison Ivy	Virginia Creeper
Chrysanthemums	Holly	Poison Oak	Wax Plant
Cineraria	Horse Chestnut	Poison Sumac	Wisteria
Clematis	Hurricane Plant	Poke Weed	
Corn Cockle	Hyacinth	Potato (green parts)	