

POLICY AND PROCEDURE MANUAL PHARMACY SERVICES

SECTION: **DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACY**

SUBJECT: POISON CONTROL

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POLICY

- 1. A supply of universal antidote is available in the inpatient pharmacy. A copy of the "Handbook of Poisoning: Diagnosis and Treatment," is available in two locations in the Facility:
 - a. Inpatient Pharmacy, ext. 57234; 57235
 - b. Outpatient Pharmacy, ext. 57236, 57237, 57238
- 2. A first-aid chart for poisons is posted in each nursing area.
- 3. An antidote chart, as approved by the Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee, is available in all Pharmacy Policy and Procedure manuals throughout the Facility.
- 4. All poison control-related questions can be called to the California Poison Control System: 1-800-222-1222.

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