

Toxic Plant List

The following list was compiled by the National Animal Poison Control Center. However, the exclusion of any one particular plant does not necessarily indicate that the plant in question is not toxic.

Plants mentioned on the list may cause anything from minor skin irritation to extreme illness and/or death. If you are unsure about the plants you have in your home or garden, please contact your Veterinarian

Aconite	Caladium	Ficus	Marijuana	Privet
Almond	Calla Lilly	Foxglove	Mayapple	
Alocasia	Cardinal Flower		Mescal Bean	Rain Tree
Amaryllis	Cherry	Golden Chain Tree	Mistletoe	Rhododendron
Anemone	Chinaberry	Ground Cherry	Mock Orange	Rhubarb
Angel's Trumpet	Chokecherry		Monkshood	Rosary Pea
Apple	Chrysanthemum	Henbane	Moonseed	
Apricot	Collodion	Holly	Morning Glory	Sandbox Tree
Arrow Grasses	Coriaria	Honeysuckle	Mountain Laurel	Skunk Cabbage
Arrowhead Vine	Creeping Fig	Horse Chestnut	Mushrooms	Snowdrop
Asparagus Fern	Crown of Thorns	Hyacinth		Soap Berry
Atropa Belladonna		Hydrangea	Nephthytis	
Autumn Crocus	Daffodil		Nightshade	Thorn Apple
Avocado	Daphne	Iris	Nutmeg	Tobacco
Azalea	Deadly Nightshade	Ivy	Nux Vomica	Tomato
	Delphinium		Oleander	Trumpet Vine
Balsam Pear	Dieffenbachia	Japanese Plum		Tulip
Baneberry	Dologeton	Jasmine	Pathos	
Belladonna	Drunk Cane	Jerusalem Cherry	Peach Pits	Umbrella Plant
Bird of Paradise	Dumbcane	Jimsonweed	Peony	
Bittersweet	Dutchman's		Periwinkle	Walnut
Black-eyed Susan	Breeches	Lantana	Peyote	Water Hemlock
Black Locust		Larkspur	Philodendron	Weeping Fig
Black Nightshade	Eggplant	Laurels	Pigweed	Wild Cherry
Bleeding Heart	Elephant's Ears	Lilly of the Valley	Poinsettia	Wisteria
Boston Ivy	English Ivy	Locoweed	Poison Hemlock	
Box	Elderberry	Lupine	Poke Weed	Yellow Allamanda
Buckeye	Emerald Duke		Potato	Yellow Jasmine
Bunchberry	Euonymus	Majesty	Pot Mum	Yew
Buttercup		Marble Queen	Precatory Beans	

“Safety to many means protection against physical injury, but to the plant loving pet owner it can mean much more. Some of the more popular, easily grown, potted plants can cause serious intestinal upsets, even death, if eaten or chewed. Fortunately, the list of dangerous plants is relatively small but it any surprise many people when the list of plants that can cause assorted intestinal or dermatological problems is presented.

“Animals show remarkable tolerance or resistance to naturally occurring poisonous plants. Birds eat poison ivy fruit without ill effect. Dogs may run through a patch of poison ivy without developing a rash, but the owner may, due to contact with the oils adhering to the dog's coat. Out of doors we have little control in eliminating plants dangerous to ourselves or to our pets. Indoors however, we can exercise almost complete control of such plants.