

POISON CONTROL DATA: KRATOM EXPOSURES LINKED TO SERIOUS OUTCOMES



What U.S. Poison Centers Report

- 8,555 kratom exposure cases reported to U.S. poison centers (2019–2023)
- Among single-substance cases, 57.6% resulted in moderate, major, or fatal outcomes
- 34.3% required hospital admission following exposure

Clinical Impact

- Poison control cases frequently require medical treatment
- Reported outcomes include overdose and withdrawal
- Documented effects include seizures and confusion

What This Means for Policy

- Kratom exposures are not rare or minor events
- A significant portion result in clinically serious outcomes
- Products are widely available despite documented toxicity and healthcare utilization

Poison control data show kratom exposures frequently result in serious outcomes and hospitalization.

Source

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