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## Southeast Texas Poison Center & Ellen Trout Zoo T-Shirt Artwork Contest

1. The contest is open to children ages 8 and under.
2. The purpose of the Artwork is to identify a T-Shirt that can be used to educate the public about ways to prevent accidental poisonings in around the home.
3. The theme of the T-Shirt Artwork Contest is ***Poison Prevention Adventure @ Ellen Trout Zoo on March 15, 2009***. Entries should illustrate a message that communicates that poisonings can happen to people of any age and have a zoo theme. (i.e. Spiders, snakes, plants) Visit [www.utmb.edu/setpc/](http://www.utmb.edu/setpc/) for poison safety resources, fast facts and ideas.
4. Entries should not include any logos or symbols. Trademarks symbols or characters (e.g. Snoopy) are also prohibited.
5. Size requirements are 8x11 inches and must be vertical.
6. Original art only. No copies accepted.
7. Entry should contain the artist's name, age and contact information (i.e. phone, address and email address). Must also include Artwork Submission and Release form and be legible.
8. ***The deadline for entry is Feb. 2, 2009***
9. T-Shirt Artwork entries should be dropped off at the Ellen Trout Zoo- 402 Zoo Circle, Lufkin, Texas 75904 or mail to: Southeast Texas Poison Center – T-Shirt Contest – UTMB - 301 University Blvd, 3.111 Trauma Center Galveston, Texas 77555-1175.
10. By signing the Artwork Release and submission Form, parent/guardian is gives permission allowing the Southeast Texas Poison Center to adapt, reproduce and distribute the T-shirts.
11. The following information will be added to the winning T-Shirt Artwork: Poison Hotline toll free number, Event Date, Artist's first name, Submitting organization, Southeast Texas address, website and Ellen Trout Zoo and sponsors information. Public recognition information will be in accordance with all Child Protective laws.
12. The T-Shirts Artwork will be judged by the Poison Prevention Adventure Event Sponsors of Angelina County. The artist of the winning T-Shirt Artwork will be notified by ***Feb. 16, 2009***. The posters will not be returned.

To download a copy of the Artwork Submission and Release Form and topic ideas, please visit the Southeast Texas Poison Center website: [www.utmb.edu/setpc/](http://www.utmb.edu/setpc/) or call the Southeast Texas Poison Center Educator at 1-800-222-1222 or 409-772-3307.

Examples of Artwork & Theme for the ***Poison Prevention Adventure @ Ellen Trout Zoo*** T-shirt:



SNAKES



SPIDERS



PLANTS