

Tip of the month

Mushrooms

Rainy season is the time when mushrooms usually come up on the lawn, in forests and in parks. This could be problematic with toddlers who are inquisitive by nature.

Small mushrooms found in our gardens are usually not poisonous. If your child does eat a piece of the mushroom we usually do not expect any adverse symptoms or signs to develop. However, watch your child carefully for symptoms e.g. diarrhea and take to an emergency department if necessary.

For the mushroom collectors, if you are not familiar with or know much about mushrooms please do not pick them and eat them!!

When in doubt phone the poison centre (0861 555 777)

Garden mushrooms

