

Parents and caregivers can help vulnerable individuals stay safer by following these tips:

- **Keep it traditional.** People who have young children or adults with dementia or developmental disability that live in or visit their home should use traditional laundry detergent, which is much less toxic than liquid laundry detergent packets.
- Store safely. Store all laundry detergent including packets up, away, and out of sight in a locked cabinet is best for laundry detergent packets. Close laundry detergent packet packages or containers and put them away immediately after use.
- Know how to call the Poison Help Line. Save the national Poison Help Line number, 1-800-222-1222, in your cell phone, and post it in a visible spot in your home. Call right away if you think your child may have been exposed to a laundry detergent packet. You do not need to wait for symptoms to develop to call.