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- Move away from the snake  Prevent a second bite
- Stay calm  Deaths are rare
- Leave the snake alone  Do not attempt to capture or kill the snake
- Most first aid isn't helpful  See back of card
- Go to the hospital  Call 911 or drive



If on foot with no cell signal, walk to car or to cell signal

# Arizona Poison and Drug Information Center

## DO

- Decrease physical activity (but walk as needed to get help)
- Remove jewelry/tight clothing/shoes near bite
- Hold bitten limb level with heart if possible
- Call the Arizona Poison Center for help:  
**520-626-6016**

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## DON'T

- Cut or try to suck out venom
- Use tourniquets or tight bandages
- Apply ice, electric shock, burn, or drink alcohol
- Apply herbal remedies to bite
- Wait to see if it gets worse

