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Dangers with Button Batteries

- Button cell or coin batteries are associated with thousands of emergency department visits every year.
- The consequences of a child swallowing a battery can be immediate, devastating and deadly.
- A button cell battery can burn through a child's throat or esophagus in as little as two hours if swallowed.

Button cell or coin batteries are found in products such as:

- Keyless entry remotes
- Wireless game controls
- Remote controls
- Toys
- Digital scales
- Digital thermometers
- Watches
- Musical greeting cards
- Calculators
- Flashing jewelry and shoes
- Hearing aids
- Smart home devices

