Ethnomedical Information on Guacatonga (Casearia sylvestris)

Plant Part / Location	Documented Ethnic Use	Type Extract / Route	Used By	Ref #
Bark Peru	Used for diarrhea.	H2O Ext / Oral	Human Adult	L04137
Dried Bark Brazil	Used for fevers. Used for diarrhea.	Decoction / Oral Maceration / Oral	Human Adult Human Adult	K07977 L04137
Dried Bark Brazil	Used as an anti-inflammatory and febrifuge.	Decoction / Oral	Human Adult	T15975
Dried Leaf Brazil	Used for fevers. Used to treat snakebite, herpes, and syphilis. Used as a sedative. Used as a male sexual stimulant. Used as a blood purifier, skin diseases, and syphilis. Used as a tonic, as a treatment for skin diseases, against inflammation and to treat diarrhea.	Decoction / Oral Decoction / Oral Not stated / Oral Decoction / Oral Hot H20 Ext	Human Adult Human Adult Human Adult Human Adult Human Adult	K07977 T15975 L05437 T15975 BB1003
Dried Leaf Brazil	Used as a febrifuge, depurative; used for fevers, rheumatism, ulcers, syphilis, and eczema. Used for skin diseases and fever.	Various / Oral Decoction / External	Human Adult Human Adult	BB1008
Fresh Bark + Leaf Brazil	Used for snakebite.	Infusion / External	Human Adult	J12450
Leaf India	Used as an antivenin for snakebite.	Juice / Not given	Human Adult	K25892
Leaf + Stem Colombia	Used to treat ulcers and other skin afflictions.	Hot H20 Ext / External	Human Adult	A00709
Leaf Not Stated	Used to treat snakebite.	Not stated	Human Adult	K21146
Leaf Bolivia	Used as an analgesic, antacid, anti- inflammatory, antiulcer, antimutagenic, antitumorous, antiseptic (dental), cicatrizant, depurative, hemostatic, used to treat insect bite, skin diseases, snakebite.	Not stated / Internal	Human Adult	BB1005

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Dried Root Brazil	Used for chest and body pains. Used to treat wounds and leprosy.	Decoction / Oral Maceration / External	Human Adult Human Adult	T15975 L04137
Seed Oil Brazil	Used to treat leprosy.	Oil / External	Human Adult	L04137

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