

## Ethnomedical Information on Carqueja (*Baccharis genistelloides*)

Plant Part / Location	Documented Ethnic Use	Type Extract / Route	Used For	Ref #
Dried Leaf Bolivia	An infusion in high doses can cause an abortion.	Infusion / Oral	Human(pregnant)	L12113
Aerial Parts Brazil	Used for diabetes.	Hot H2O Ext / Oral	Human Adult	M29199
Aerial Parts Brazil	Used for stomach, liver and intestinal problems, for diabetes, rheumatism, and heartburn.	Infusion / Oral	Human Adult	ZZ1081
Aerial Parts Brazil	Considered aperient, stomachic, diuretic, vermifuge, abortifacient, hypoglycemic; used to treat rheumatism, diabetes, impotency, liver problems, gastroenteritis, dyspepsia, fevers, and hypertension.	Decoction / Oral	Human Adult	AU1010
Aerial Parts Brazil	Used for general weakness, stomach problems, intestinal worms, diarrhea, liver problems, fever, gastroenteritis, dyspepsia, anorexia, kidney problems, colds and flu, diabetes, and hypertension.	Infusion / Oral	Human Adult	ZZ1013
Aerial Parts Brazil	Stems and branches used to clean the teeth. Used topically for Chagas ulcers on the skin. Considered tonic, stomachic, anti-rheumatic, anthelmintic; used to treat liver obstructions and problems, diabetes, and leprosy.	Plant / External Decoction / External  Infusion / Oral	Human Adult Human Adult  Human Adult	AU1013
Aerial Parts Brazil	Used for gastric ulcers, and sexual impotency. Used as a depurative, stomachic, and diuretic, to treat rheumatism, diarrhea, liver, kidney and spleen diseases, for anemia, obesity, and hypertension.	Infusion / Oral Infusion / Oral	Human Adult Human Adult	ZZ1079 ZZ1092
Entire Plant Brazil	Used as an aperitif, digestive, diuretic, febrifuge, anti-rheumatic, anthelmintic, aphrodisiac, hypoglycemic, and abortifacient.	Decoction / Oral	Human Adult	AU1006
Entire Plant Brazil	Used for its bitter principles, as a tonic, anthelmintic, anti-rheumatic; for liver obstructions, diabetes, and malaria. Used for chagas ulcers and leprosy.	Tincture / Oral  Fluid Extract / External	Human Adult  Human Adult	AU1014

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Entire Plant Brazil	Used for rheumatism, diabetes, anorexia, colds and flu, gastroenteritis, liver problems, and as a vermifuge.	Infusion / Oral	Human Adult	ZZ1078
Entire Plant Brazil	Used for anemia, biliary problems, diarrhea, pain in the kidneys, liver, spleen, digestion problems, stomach ulcers, urinary tract inflammation, intestinal parasites, angina, hypertension, and sore throat.	Infusion / Oral	Human Adult	ZZ1002
Entire Plant Brazil	Used as a febrifuge, anti-rheumatic, chologogue, stomachic, and anthelmintic; to treat obesity, biliary calculus, diabetes, and liver obstructions.	Infusion / Oral	Human Adult	ZZ1096
Entire Plant Brazil	Used for asthma, gingivitis, anemia, gastric and intestinal problems, rheumatism, gout, high cholesterol, liver problems, to eliminate toxins from the blood and liver, venereal diseases, diabetes, and urinary tract problems. Used topically for wounds and ulcers.	Infusion / Oral  Decoction / External	Human Adult  Human Adult	AU1011
Entire Plant Brazil	Used for wounds, ulcers, leprosy, venereal disease. Used for asthma, bronchitis, rheumatism, gastric and intestinal problems, dyspepsia, liver problems, diabetes, urinary problems, fevers, edema, and intestinal worms.	Decoction / External Infusion / Oral	Human Adult Human Adult	ZZ1072
Entire Plant Brazil	Considered stomachic, antibiotic, hepatoprotective, chologogue, hypoglycemic; used for kidney and urinary problems, asthma, dyspepsia, bronchitis, intestinal worms, fevers, and to stimulate the excretion of liver and stomach bile.	Decoction / Oral	Human Adult	ZZ1076
Dried Leaf Brazil	Used for fevers. Used for malaria.	Decoction / Oral Hot H2O Ext / Oral	Human Adult Human Adult	K07977 A04980
Entire Plant Colombia	Used as an emmenagogue and a hemostatic.	Hot H2O Ext / Oral	Human Adult	T05014
Entire Plant Colombia	Used for wounds and ulcers.	Decoction / External	Human Adult	AU1008
Entire Plant Paraguay	Used as fertility promoter by the rural populace.	Not stated / Not stated	Human Female	J01423
Leaf + Stem Paraguay	Used to reduce cholesterol and for diabetes	Infusion / Oral	Human Adult	AU1006

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Aerial Parts Peru	Used as an emmenagogue. Used for uterine ailments, rheumatic pain, malaria, and liver disease.	Hot H2O Ext / Oral	Human Adult	T04785
		Hot H2O Ext / Oral	Human Adult	T15323
Aerial Parts Peru	Used for broncho-pulmonary disorders.	Infusion / Oral	Human Adult	ZZ1093
Leaf + Stem Peru	Used for stomachache. Used for consolidating dislocations.	Decoction / Oral	Human Adult	K27043
		Decoction / External		
Leaf + Stem Peru	Used for gastrointestinal disorders.	Decoction / Oral	Human Adult	AU1007

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