

## Ethnomedical Information on Tayuya (*Cayaponia tayuya*)

Part / Location	Documented Ethnomedical Uses	Type Extract / Route	Used For	Ref #
Resin Amazonia	Used for wounded or sore eyes.	Resin Eye	Human Adult	ZZ1003
Plant Amazonia	Used to flush excess fluids from the tissues and to reduce swelling. Used to relieve emotional fatigue and depression.	Not Stated	Human Adult	ZZ1015
Fruit Brazil	Used for syphilis and dermatoses.	Hot H2O Ext Oral	Human Adult	M24654
Leaf Brazil	Used for gastric ulcers.	Hot H2O Ext Oral	Human Adult	M24654
Leaf Brazil	Used for ulcers and diverse pains.	Cataplasm External	Human Adult	ZZ1096
Root Brazil	Used as a laxative and for its antirheumatic properties.	Decoction Oral	Human Adult	H11602
Root Brazil	Used for snakebite.	Infusion External	Human Adult	J12450
Root Brazil	Used for amenorrhea, epilepsy, dropsy, syphilis, leprosy, dermatoses, as an analgesic in neuralgia and sciatica and as an anti-inflammatory in acute and chronic rheumatism.	Hot H2O Ext Oral	Human Adult	M24654
Root Brazil	Considered a strong tonic and cleanser of the blood. Said to be an analgesic and used for all types of pain such as neuralgias and sciatica. Used for syphilis, to regulate menstruation, for backache, headaches, rheumatism, gout and epilepsy.	Infusion Oral	Human Adult	ZZ1070
Root Brazil	Considered diuretic and depurative. Used for hydropsy, rheumatism, arthritis, scrofula, ulcers, syphilis and cholera.	Infusion Oral	Human Adult	ZZ1007
Root Brazil	Used for neuralgia and dermatoses; as a laxative, antisyphilitic, depurative and antirheumatic.	Decoction Oral	Human Adult	ZZ1096
Root Brazil	A bitter. Used for dyspepsia, affections of the stomach, constipation, debilitated organs, syphilis and skin disorders.	Not Stated	Human Adult	ZZ1013
Plant Brazil	Used as a depurative, bitter, emetocathartic, and antisyphilitic for dermatoses, boils, eczema, rheumatism, epilepsy, amenorrhea, rabies and dilated stomach.	Not Stated	Human Adult	ZZ1099

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Plant USA	Used to remove lactic acid accumulations.	ETOH Ext Oral	Human Adult	ZZ1067
Plant USA	Used for nerve pain, neuralgias, sciatica, backaches, headaches, gout, epilepsy, rheumatism, for liver and spleen obstructions, ulcers, dyspepsia, irritable bowel syndrome, stomach tension, sluggish digestion, water retention, acne, eczema, herpes, skin problems and wounds. Thought to regulate metabolism, detoxify and purify the blood.	ETOH Ext Oral	Human Adult	ZZ1014

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