**Appendix** 1 List of medicinal plants used for the traditional treatment of human diseases/ailments: scientific name, family, local name, parts used, disease treated, mode of preparation, ingredients/antidotes, dosages, application and routes of administration

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Scientific name | Local (Amharic) name | Parts used | Disease treated | Mode of preparation, ingredients/antidotes, application and routes of administration |
| *Acacia* *negrii* Pic. Sermi. (Fabaceae) | Cheba | Resin | Wound | Paint the wound by the resin of this plant |
| *Achyranthes aspera* L. (Amaranthaceae) | Telenji | Leaf | Throat (Oesophagus) disease | Cut the leaves of this plant at three or five places and crush it then take it in the mouth. |
| *Acokanthera schimperi* (DC.) Oliv*.* (Apocynaceae) | Merenz | Leaf, stem | Syphilis, wound | Pound the leaf of this plant then mix the powder with butter and paint the infected part once a day; pound the leaf and stem together and place on the wound. |
| *Allium cepa* L. (Alliaceae) | Qey Shnkurt | Bulb | Headache | Eat the basal leaf (bulb) of this plant |
| *Allium* *sativum* L. (Alliaceae) | Nech Shnkurt | Bulb | Evil eye, cough, abdominal pain (vomiting), swelling, malaria | One of the main composing ingredients of the traditional medicine of evil eye; for cough boil with honey and drink it; crush the bulb and drink it to protect swelling, abdominal pain, vomiting; eating the corm by cooking helps in avoiding malaria |
| *Amaranthus caudatus* L. (Amaranthaceae) | Yebahir Teff | Root, stem | Frequent miscarriage/Neo-natal death | Pound the root of *Verbascum sinaiticum*, *Cucumis ficifolius*, *Echinops kebericho*, *Verbena officinalis*, *Clutia lanceolata*, *Calpurnia aurea*, *Carissa spinarum*, and the seed of *Amaranthus caudatus* and sesame then mix them in a good manner then eat the prepared mixture. |
| *Argemone mexicana* L. (Papaveraceae) | Dendero | Fruit | Wound | Crush the fruit of this plant and drop the liquid part on the wound |
| *Asparagus africanus* Lam. (Asparagaceae) | Yeset Kest | Root | Migraine | Bind the stem of this plant by the thread of fiber by left hand and wear around the head |
| *Astragalus atropilosulus* (Hochst.) Bunge (Fabaceae) | Yebab Alenga | Root | Snake bite | Chew the root of this plant |
| *Brassica carinata* A. Br. (Brassicaceae) | Gomenzer | Seed | Abdominal pain | Pound the seeds and mix with water and then drink it. |
| *Brucea antidysenterica* J. F. Mill. (Simaroubaceae) | Abalo/W-aginos | Leaf, fruit | Madness/ Mental disease | Give the leaf and fruit of this plant to eat without any preparation |
| *Buddleja polystachya* Fresen. (Loganiaceae) | Anfar | Leaf, root | Headache | The powder of the root and leaf is placed in the nose |
| *Carica papaya* L*.* (Caricaceae) | Papaya | Leaf | Diabetes | Dry the leaf of this plant and boil in water then drink it. |
| *Carissa spinarum* L. (Apocynaceae) | Agam | Leaf, root | Snake bite, mental illness, toothache | Cut the leaf of this plant by mouth then eat or chew the leaf and put the chewed part on the harmed part; crush the root of this plant and chew this crushed part for toothache; crush the root of this plant then add a hyena bone then give to the patient of madness |
| *Calpurnia aurea* (Ait.) Benth. (Fabaceae) | Ligita | Root, leaf, bark | Snake bite | When a snake bites a person, chew the leaf or root or bark and swallow then the poison will be removed or the person will not be harmed. |
| *Catha edulis* (Vahl) Forssk. ex Endl. (Celastraceae) | Chat | Leaf | Malaria, cough, asthma | Boil the leaf for a night and drink it for seven consequent days. |
| Citrus *aurantiifolia* (Christm.) Swingle. (Rutaceae) | Lomi | Fruit | Gonorrhoea | Add the bulb of *Allium sativum* and the fruit of this plant and crush together then decant the liquid part and keep it for seven days and drink it after seven days. |
| *Clausena anisata* (Willd.) Benth. (Rutaceae) | Limich | Leaf, fruit | Madness/mental illness | Give the leaf or fruit to the mad man then the mad man then turn to normal state |
| *Clerodendrum myricoides* (Hochs-t.) Vatke (Lamiaceae) | Misirch | Leaf | Migraine | Crush the leaf of this plant, *Salvia nilotica* and *Rumex nervosus* and squeeze the liquid then add by the nose and ear of the patient |
| *Clutia lanceolata* Jaub. & Spach. (Euphorbiaceae) | Fiyele feji | Root, stem | Frequent miscarriage/Neo-natal death | To avoid this problem pound the root of *Verbascum sinaiticum*, *Cucumis ficifolius*, *Echinops kebericho*, *Verbena officinalis*, *Clutia lanceolata*, *Calpurnia aurea*, *Carissa spinarum*, and the seed of *Amaranthus caudatus* and sesame then mix them in a good manner then eat the prepared mixture. |
| *Coccinia abyssinica* (Lam.) Cogn (Cucurbitaceae) | Werq Bemieda | Root | Malaria, evil eye | Crush the root and drink with Tella to treat malaria; the root of this plant is also one component of the traditional medicine of evil eye |
| *Coffea arabica* L. (Rubiaceae) | Buna | Stem | Headache | By roasting the seed of this plant inhale or smell the smoke. |
| *Crotalaria spinosa* Hochst. ex Benth. (Fabaceae) | Yemdir Grar | Root | Rabies | Dig the root of this plant and boil in water and give by a spoon. |
| *Croton macrostachyus* Del. (Euphorbiaceae) | Bisana | Latex, leaf, bud | Tinea nigra, Tinea corporis, blood pressure, snake bite, eye disease, epistaxis (nose bleeding), malaria | Add watery exudates of young parts of the braches to the infected body part; crush the leaf of this plant and then decant it then add honey or urine to the decanted substance then give to a patient of blood pressure; eat the bud of this plant by chewing for snake bite; squeeze the leaf of this plant then add the exudates water on the eye for eye disease; squeeze the 7 buds of this plant and add the exudates on the bleeding nose and also smell the exudates to prohibit nose bleeding; cut about 3 cm of 3 or 5 or 7 young buds of this plant then peel them add in stew which has dried met and butter and cook it then eat with Injera (thin bread) or drink the cooked stew and drink boiled buttermilk to avoid malaria |
| *Cucumis ficifolius* A. Rich. (Cucurbitaceae) | Yemdir Embuay | Root, leaf | Evil eye, abdominal pain (bloating, vomiting), febrile illness, rabies, ear pest | Crush about 3 cm root of this plant then mix with water and then give by the cup to the patient who is with abdominal swelling and pain; the crushed root of the plant is also one component of the traditional medicine of evil eye; immerse the leaf of this plant in water and cook it until it become hot then smell the steam to avoid febrile illness; crush about 3 centimetre root of this plant then mix by water and then give for 3 or 4 days for those bitted by a dog caught by rabies; crush the root of this plant and mix with the dust of *Hordeum vulgare* thengive to a man that have abdominal pain; to remove pests from the ear crush or pound the root then add the juice or water solution of the powder once as ear drops to get rid of insects or worms present in the ear cavity. |
| *Cucurbita pepo* L. (Cucurbitaceae) | Duba | Seed | Rheumatic pain | To treat this disease dry the seed of this plant and pound then mix with honey and eat in the morning and at night after dinner. |
| *Cynoglossum coeruleum* Hochst. ex A.DC. (Boraginaceae) | Shemigeg/Etse-dem-ena | Leaf, root | Febrile illness, spider bite, toothache | Crush the leaf of this plant and paint the infected part of the body to avoid febrile illness or boil the leaf of this plant and inhale the steam of boiling; for spider bite crush the leaf of this plant and drop the liquid part on the harmed part of the body; for toothache catch the root of this plant by chewing for several times. |
| *Cyperus rigidifolius* Steud. (Cyperaceae) | Angicha | Root/ Stolon | Snake bite | Dry the root or tuber of this plant and pound then drink it |
| *Cyphostemma cyphopetalum* (Fresen.) Descoings ex Wild & Drummond (Vitaceae) | Yejib Ar-  eg | Fruit | Poisonous | Chewing its stem is poisonous |
| *Datura stramonium* L. (Solanaceae) | Astenagir | Leaf, seed | Dandruff, rheumatic pain | Crush the leaf of this plant and paint the infected part of the head to avoid skin disease; smoke the seed of this plant and inhale the smoke to avoid rheumatic pain |
| *Dodonea angustifolia* L.f. (Sapindaceae) | Kitikita | Root, leaf | Malaria | Cut the root and leaf then crush and mix with local liquor and drink the mixture to cure malaria |
| *Dovyalis abyssinica* (A. Rich.) Warb. (Flacourtiaceae) | Koshim | Leaf | Blood pressure, asthma | Dry the leaf and boil with water and drink it as tea. |
| *Echinops kebericho* Mesfin (Asteraceae) | Kebericho | Root | Evil spirit, evil eye, mental illness, febrile illness, common cold | Burn the root of this plant and smoke it inside the house and inhale or smell its smoke is used to protect any amicable disease, and also to avoid any spiritual disease and common cold; by pounding and mixing its root to other ingredients, it is used to prepare traditional medicine for evil eye. |
| *Embelia schimperi* Vatke (Myrsinaceae) | Enkoko | Fruit | Ascaris, abdominal disease (bloating), Taenia saginata infection or beef tapeworm | Pound the fruit then mix with water then drink one glass of the mixture in bare stomach or eat the mature fruit to avoid Taenia and any abdominal disease of the abdomen or pound the dried fruit and distilled in the form of Katicala then drink it or pound the dried fruit then mix with Tella to avoid any abdominal disease |
| *Eucalyptus globulus* Labill. (Myrtaceae) | Bule Bah-ir Zaf | Leaf | Common cold | By boiling the leaf of this plant inhales or smells the steam to avoid common cold. |
| *Euclea racemosa* Murr. subsp. *schimperi* (A. DC.) White (Ebenaceae) | Dedeho | Leaf | Eczema | Dry the leaf of this plant and pound it then add the dust on the wound. |
| *Euphorbia abyssinica* Gmel. (Euphorbiaceae) | Kulkual | Latex | Rabies | About 3 cm depth of a cup of milky latex of this plant is given to a patient of rabies |
| *Euphorbia platyphyllos* L. (Euphorbiaceae) | Abaydem | latex | Poisonous | Painting the latex is poisonous |
| *Ferula communis* L. (Apiaceae) | Inslal | Leaf | Night blindness | Crush the leaf of this plant and decant the liquid part and paint it to strength the observing capacity of the eye. |
| *Ficus palmata* Forssk. (Moraceae) | Qotilebele-s | Latex, leaf | Breast swelling, swelling | To treat breast swelling boil the leaf and bandaged once a day; when a spine injects a man sometimes it swells without pus and feels a strong pain so to avoid this pain drop the latex on the injected part to make pus |
| *Gardenia ternifolia* Schumach. & Thonn. (Rubiaceae) | Gambilo | Stem | Evil sprit | Bury some piece of stem of this plant around the compound of the house |
| *Gladiolus abyssinicus* (Brongn. ex Lemaire) Goldblatt & de Vos (Iridaceae) | Enzeresey | Root | Haemorrhoids | Dry and pound the root of *Gladiolus abyssinicus* and the root of *Withania somnifera* with the fruit of this plant and *Brassica carinata* and mix the oil of sesameandNiger seed then add honey then add to the haemorrhoids |
| *Guizotia abyssinica* (L. f.) Cass. (Asteraceae) | Nug | Seed | Tinea capitis (boldness) | Pound the seed of this plant and the leaf of *Brucea antidysenterica* and paint the infected part of the body. |
| *Guizotia schimperi* Sch. Bip. ex Walp. (Asteraceae) | Mech | Root, leaf | Ascaris,Taenia saginata infection or beef tapeworm | To treat and avoid Ascaris and beef tapeworm from the body pound the leaf of this plant, the root of *Guizotia schimperi*, *Solanum marginatum*, *Ricinus communis*, *Kalanchoe petitiana* and *Verbascum sinaiticum* and then mix with the water of *Helianthus annuus* thendrink it. |
| *Hagenia abyssinica* (Bruce) J. F. Gmelin (Rosaceae) | Koso | Fruit | Ascaris,Taenia saginata infection or beef tapeworm | Pound/ Crush the fruits of this plant and mix by water then drink one glass of the mixture in bare stomach |
| *Helianthus annuus* L. (Asteraceae) | Suf | Seed | Rabies | Pound the seed then mix its oil with the latex of Euphorbia abyssinica and drink it in a cup at a single joint of a finger |
| *Hordeum vulgare* L. (Poaceae) | Gebs | Seed | Impotency | Prepare in the form of Tella and it is used as ingredient for the traditional medicine |
| *Hygrophila schulli* (Hamilt.) M.R. & S.M. (Acanthaceae) | Amekela | All parts | Eczema | Collect all parts of this plant and then burn it then paint the ash of this burned plant to the wound of the body. |
| *Impatiens ethiopica* Grey-Wilson\*\*( Balsaminaceae) | Insosla | Root | Cough | To treat cough crush the tuberous root of this plant and mix with *Allium sativum*, the seed of *Nigella sativa* and white myrrh then pound together then mix with honey and boil and together then drink the boiled mixture in a cup. |
| *Jasminum abyssinicum* Hochst. ex DC. (Oleaceae) | Tenbelel | Leaf, root | Ascaris,Taenia saginatainfection or beef tapeworm | To treat and avoid Taenia from the body pound the leaf of this plant, the root of *Guizotia schimperi*, *Solanum marginatum*, *Ricinus communis*, *Kalanchoe petitiana* and *Verbascum sinaiticum* and then mix with the water of *Helianthus annuus* thendrink it. |
| *Justicia schimperiana* (Hochst. ex Nees) T. Anders. (Acanthaceae) | Sensel | Root, leaf | Abdominal pain (bloating), swelling, rabies | Crush about three cm root of this plant with water and give in a cup to the patient of abdominal pain, stomach bloating, vomiting and swelling; squeeze the young buds of this plant and drink in a cup; pound the leaf this plant, the root and leaf of *Cucumis ficifolius*, the root of *Verbena officinalis* and the leaf of *Millettia ferruginea* togetherthen mix them by water then give by the glass of local Katicala for 7 or more than 7 days, one glass per day to the patient of rabies. |
| *Kalanchoe petitiana* A. Rich. (Crassulaceae) | Andahula | Root | Tonsillitis | Crush the root of the plant then add with 7 malted cereals then immerse in water then add in the nose of the patient to raise the fall down epiglottis. |
| *Kanahia laniflora* (Forssk.) R. Br. (Asclepiadaceae) | Tifrena | Latex, root | Gland removal, evil eye, scabies (itching) | Crush the root of this plant then mix with other ingredients for treatment of evil eye; the milky latex is drop on any permanent swelling of the body or paints the swelling (gland removal) by milky latex; pound the leaf of this plant and mix with butter and paint the infected part to prevent itching. |
| *Laggera crispata* (Vahl) Hepper & Wood (Asteraceae) | Kes Bede-  je | Root | Abdominal burning (gastritiss) and knocking | Cook the root of this plant and pound the cooked root then eat it with honey. |
| *Laggera siceraria* (Molina) Standley (Cucurbitaceae) | Qil | Fruit | Abdominal bloating, stoma-chache | Pour a water in bitter gourd and shake it then drink the mixture |
| *Leonotis ocymifolia* (Burml. f.) Iwarsson var. *raineriana* (Visiani) lwarsson (Lamiaceae) | Ras Kimr | Root, flower | Cancer, wound | Crush the flowers and roots for the treatment of cancer and wound |
| *Lepidium sativum* L. (Brassicaceae) | Feto | Seed | Febrile illness, evil eye, gonorrhoea | Pound the seed of this plant then mix in water and drink in a cup to avoid febrile illness; the seed is the main ingredient of the traditional medicine of evil eye; pound the seed of this plant then add one spoon of it to boiling milk and drink the mixture at morning for 7 consecutive days in bare stomach to treat gonorrhoea. |
| *Linum usitatissimum* L. (Linaceae) | Telba | Seed | Constipation, eye disease | Pound the seed of this plant and rub it by water and add some salt then eat it by Injera (thin bread); for eye disease insert the seeds into the eye and tie the eye by piece of cloth then unfasten after several minutes. |
| *Lobelia rhynchopetalum* Hemsl. (Lobeliaceae) | Gibra | Root | Impotency | Crush the root of this plant and *Verbascum sinaiticum* anddrink with Tella |
| *Lupinus albus* L. (Fabaceae) | Gibto | Seed | Blood pressure | Pound the seed and in distillation process it become Katicala or eat the seed without cooking |
| *Melia azedarach* L. (Meliaceae) | Nim | Leaf | Malaria | Crush the leaf of this plant with the leaf of *Vernonia amygdalina* then decant the liquid part and drink it with a dose of about 3 cm depth of a cup. |
| *Millettia ferruginea* (Hochst.) Bak. (Fabaceae) | Birbira | Seed | Tinea nigra, Tinea corporis, eczema, skin peeling | Pound the seed of this plant and mix with sulphur then mix by butter then paint the infected part of the body. |
| *Momordica foetida* Schumach. (Cucurbitaccae) | Kurgn | Leaf | Wound | Squeeze the leaf of this plant and add to a burned body to cure the body from wound |
| *Myrica salicifolia* A. Rich. (Myricaceae) | Shinet | Bark | Migraine | Mix the bark of *Securidaca pendiculata* and the bark of this plant and pound together then mix by butter finally insert it in the nose |
| *Myrtus communis* L. (Myrtaceae) | Ades | Leaf | Wound, scabies (itching) | Crush the leaf of this plant thin mix by butter then paint the head of infants to avoid itching and wound. |
| *Nigella sativa* L. (Ranunculaceae) | Tikur Az-mud | Bulb, seed | Cough | To treat cough mix the seed of this plant with *Allium sativum* andwhite myrrh then pound together then mix with honey and boil and together then drink the boiled mixture in a cup. |
| *Ocimum americanum* L. (Lamiaceae) | Ziqaqibie | Leaf, flower | Lung disease, liver disease/jaundice, intestinal diseases | First immerse the fruit and the leaf of this plant by milk or water then drink in bare stomach |
| *Ocimum urticifolium* Roth (Lamiaceae) | Dama Ke-  sie | Leaf, fruit | Febrile illness, abdominal pain, common cold | To treat febrile illness crush the leaf and paint the infected part; to avoid any abdominal pain eat the uncooked leaf; to avoid common cold boil the leaf of this plant with the leaf or fruit of *Ruta chalepensis* and drink the boiled mixture. |
| *Olea europaea* L. subsp. *cuspidata* (Wall. ex G.Don) Cif. (Oleaceae) | Woira | Leaf, stem | Common cold, night blindness | When the leaf of the plant is added to the fire it provides a good smelled smoke and the smoke is used to avoid common cold; To treat the observing weakness of the eye, cut seven young buds of this plant and *Achyrantus aspera* and squeeze their liquid then add to the juice of lemon and eye cosmetics and paint the eye to strength its ability to see. |
| *Olinia rochetiana* A. Juss. (Oliniaceae) | Tifie | Stem | Swelling | Cut about 3 centimetre of three buds of this plant by tooth at three place then chew by tooth and put this chewed bud to the swelled part of the body |
| *Osyris quadripartita* Decn. (Santalaceae) | Keret | Root | Trachoma | To treat eye disease crush the root of this plant, *Withania somnifera* and *Cucumis ficifolius* then mix by water then wash the infected eye by this mixture. |
| *Otostegia integrifolia* Benth. (Lamiaceae) | Tinjut | Leaf | Common cold, evil sprit | Adding the leaf of this plant to the fire provides smart smoke, this smoke is used to remove common cold; the smoke also protects a new breast feeding mother from devil/evil spirit; the smoke also used to avoid house flies |
| *Pennisetum thunbergii* Kunth (Poaceae) | Sindedo | Root, leaf | Febrile illness | Root and leaf powder placed in fire and fumigate the patient with the smoke |
| *Persea americana* Mill. (Lauraceae) | Avocado | Leaf | Diabetes | Boil the leaf of this plant and drink one glass of tea in a day until the disease is avoided after diagnosed by a doctor. |
| *Phoenix reclinata* Jacq. (Arecaceae) | Selen | Fruit | Deafness | Pound the fruit of this plant and *Verbascum sinaiticum* and mix and boil together then add in the ear for seven days |
| *Phragmanthera regularis* (Sprague) M. Gilbert (Loranthaceae) | Teketila | Leaf | Blood pressure | Pound or crush the leaf of this parasitic plant and add a spoonful of dust of this plant to tea and drink it for seven consecutive days. |
| *Phragmanthera macrosolen* (A. Rich.) M. Gilbert (Loranthaceae) | Teketila | Leaf | Blood pressure | Pound or crush the leaf of this parasitic plant and add a spoonful of dust of this plant to tea and drink it for seven consecutive days. |
| *Phytolacca dodecandra* L’Her. (Phytolaccaceae) | Endod | Leaf, fruit, root | Abdominal pain (swelling, vomiting), rabies, scabies (itching) | Crush the leaf of this plant with water and decant the liquid part to a cup until it reaches a depth of about 3 cm and then give this decanted liquid to the patient to avoid vomiting, abdominal pain and swelling; cut about 3 cm of the root of this plant then peel it then splice into three parts then pound these three spliced parts and mix with water then decant it and add honey on the decanted part then drink for three days to avoid rabies; wash the itched part with water first then wash the itched part by the fruit and leaf of this plant; crush the root of this plant together with the root of *Euphorbia abyssinica* then mix with the pounded *Guizotia abyssinica* or cooked milk whose butter is removed by pushing then give to a patient of rabies. |
| *Piper nigrum* L. (Piperaceae) | Qundo B-erbere | Fruit | Haemorrhoids | Dry and pound the root of *Gladiolus abyssinicus* and the root of *Withania somnifera* with the fruit of this plant and *Brassica carinata* and mix the oil of sesame and *Guizotia scabra* then add honey then add to the hemorrhoids |
| *Plantago lanceolata* L. (Plantaginaceae) | Gorteb | Leaf | Wound | Crush the leaf of this plant first then mix with butter then add on the wound caused by burning. |
| *Plumbago zeylanica* L. (Plumbaginaceae) | Amira | Leaf | Abdominal pain, swelling | First boil the leaf of this plant with spiced butter then drink it to avoid any abdominal pain; crush the leaf and boil with spiced butter then add salt then decant and separate the liquid and drink it to avoid swelling. |
| *Pterolobium stellatum* (Forssk.) Brenan (Fabaceae) | Keltefa | Root | Evil eye | The crushed or pounded root is used as the ingredient for evil eye |
| *Punica granatum* L.(Punicaceae) | Roman | Bark | Abdominal pain | Eat the bark of this plant with the rhizome of ginger for 7 days. |
| *Ricinus communis* L. (Euphorbiaceae) | Chakima | Root, seed | Abdominal impelling, poisoning, abdominal pain | Cut about 3 cm of the root of this plant then chew it; crush the root of this plant then mix with water then give in a cup with 3 cm depth to avoid abdominal pain and to cause vomiting to avoid poisoning; splice the seed of this plant into two or four according the person and mix with water then give to the patients of abdominal pain and any swelling on the body |
| *Rubia cordifolia* L. (Rubiaceae) | Enchibir | Root, leaf | Asthma | To treat asthma boil the leaf and root of this plant, the root and leaf of *Clausena anisata*, the root of *Thymus* sp. and *Dovyalis abyssinica* and decant in a bottle then drink one of the decanted liquid per day during morning in bare stomach for seven days. |
| *Rosa abyssinica* Lindley(Rosaceae) | Kega | Fruit | Blood pressure | Boil the mature fruit of this plant by water and drink as tea until it is checked by a doctor to be cured. |
| *Rosa* x *richardii* Rehd. (Rosaceae) | Tsigereda | Flower | TB (head wound) | Melt the flower of this plant with the flower of *Verbascum sinaiticum* with butter of goat then insert in the patients nose. |
| *Rubus apetalus* Poir. (Rosaceae) | Enjori | Stem | Blood pressure | Eat the fresh fruit of this plant |
| *Rumex abyssinicus* Jacq. (Polygonaceae) | Mekmeko | Root | Diabetes | Dry the root of this plant and pound it then add a spoonful of dust to a stew and eat with Injera (thin bread) |
| *Rumex nepalensis* Spreng. (Po1ygonaceae) | Yewusha Milas | Root | Abdominal impelling, abdominal pain, abdominal swelling, diarrhoea, evil eye, tonsillitis | Crush the root of this plant then mix by water then drink for treatment abdominal pain, vomiting, swelling; crush the root of this plant and *Cynoglossum coeruleum* together then mix with water and give to the infants for the treatment of diarrhoea; the root of this plant is crushed and added to the traditional medicine of evil eye; crush the root of this plant then give in a cup with a depth of about 3 cm to raise the fall down of epiglottis. |
| *Rumex nervosus* Vahl(Polygonaceae) | Ambacho | Stem, leaf, bulb | Warts, common cold, wound | To treat warts: first hot the stem of this plant by fire or hot material then rub the infected part by this hot stem; to treat common cold first boil the leaf of this plant then smell or inhale the steam of boiling; squeeze the young buds of this plant and drop or paint the liquid part to the wound of the circumcision baby to cure the wound. |
| *Ruta chalepensis* L. (Rutaceae) | Tenadam | Flower, stem | Evil eye, abdominal pain, swelling, vomiting | The young branch with the fruit and leaf is used as the main component of a mixture of the traditional medicine of evil eye; for all other mentioned disease types squeeze the leaf with water and give in a cup to the patients. |
| *Scadoxus multiflorus* (Martyn) Raf. (Amaryllidaceae) | Chiret | Root | TB (Wound), abdominal and penis swelling | For tuberculosis: dry the root and pound it then mix by butter then paint the harmed part; for abdominal and penis swelling crush the dried root of this plant then boil with honey then drink it. |
| *Schefflera abyssinica* (Hochst. ex A. Rich.) Harms(Araliaceae) | Getem | Root, leaf | Snake bite | To avoid snake poison: mix the root of *Carissa spinarum*, *Calpurnea aurea* and this plant, and the leaf of *Plumbago zylenica* then pound them together then immerse in water and squeeze the liquid part and drink it. |
| *Securidaca longepedunculata* Fresen. (Polygalaceae) | Etse-men-  ahe | Bark | Headache | Mix the bark of *Securidaca pendiculata* and the bark of *Myrica salcifolia* and pound together then mix by butter finally insert it in the nose. |
| *Sesamum orientale* L. (Pedaliaceae) | Selit | Root, fruit | Haemorrhoids | Dry and pound the root of *Gladiolus abyssinicus* and the root of *Withania somnifera* with the fruit of this plant and *Brassica carinata* and mix the oil of sesameand *Guizotia scabra* then add honey then add to the haemorrhoids |
| *Sida rhombifolia* L. (Malvaceae) | Gorjejit | Leaf | Vomiting, wound | Crush the leaf of this plant with water and give in cup to avoid vomiting: paint the wound by crushing the leaf of this plant to cure wound. |
| *Sida schimperiana* Hochst. ex A. Rich. (Malvaceae) | Chifrig | Stem, leaf | Gonorrhoea, urinary retention | Cut seven young branches of this plant and *Ferula communis* and mix with one role of myrrh and milk then boil and drink it; for urination defect boil the young branches of *Ferula communis*, *Sida schimperiana* and milk or water and drink it. |
| *Solanum* *anguivi* Lam. (Solanaceae) | Zerech  Embuay | Fruit | Wound | Crush the fruit of this plant and add to the wound of the body to cure the wound. |
| *Solanum incanum* L.( Solanaceae) | Embuay | Fruit | Scabies (itching), wound | Crush the fruit of this plant and add the liquid part to butter and paint the itching part; crush and drop the liquid part to the wound |
| *Solanum nigrum* L. (Solanaceae) | Awut | Fruit, leaf | Scabies (itching), burned wound | Crush the fruit of this plant and paint the itched part; crush the leaf of this plant with water and add or drop to the burned wound to cure the wound, the burned wound may grow hair but if the oil or dough is first dropped on the wound the traditional medicine become valueless. |
| *Stephania abyssinica* (Dillon & A. Rich.) Walp. (Menispermaceae) | Yedimet Ain | Root, leaf | Abdominal impelling, febrile illness | Crush the root of this plant first mix with water then decant and give the decanted part in a cup with a depth of about three cm for abdominal impelling; boil the leaf of this plant and smell the steam to avoid febrile illness; the root of this plant is crushed then mix with water and drink in a cup with a depth of 3 cm for abdominal swelling, abdominal pain, vomiting; cook all parts of this plant then inhale the steam of the boiling to avoid trachoma, febrile illness; chew about 3 cm root of this plant and swallow the liquid part for the treatment of diarrhoea |
| *Thalictrum rhynchocarpum* Dill. & A. Rich. (Ranunculaceae) | Sire-bizu | Root | Nightmare | Put the root of this plant under the pillow when a person cowards/ fearful during sleeping |
| *Thymus schimperi* Ron. (Lamiaceae) | Tosign | Leaf | Blood pressure | Boil the leaf with tea and drink it or boil it with the leaf of *Lippia adoensis* then drink it. |
| *Trigonella foenum-graecum* L. (Fabaceae) | Abish | Stem | Abdominal pain, swelling, abdominal bloating, wound, cough | Pound the seed of this plant and boil in water and drink it; for wound first wash by salt then mix the pounded seed of this plant with lemon water and then paint the wound for several days; to treat cough cook the seed of this plant then dry the cooked seed and pound it then cook like porridge then add honey and milk to the cooked one and eat it in a spoon in bare stomach. |
| *Urtica simensis* Steudel(Urticaceae) | Sama | Leaf | Rheumatism/ rheumatism, stomach ulcer | Boil the leaf of this plant and drink until it cures; eat the leaf of this plant by cooking and mixing with the dust of barley and salt. |
| *Verbascum sinaiticum* Benth. (Scrophulariaceae) | Daba Ke-  ded | Root, leaf, bark | Swelling, abdominal pain, eczema, oesophagus swelling, backache, asthma, nose bleeding (epistaxis), blood pressure, loss of weight, rheumatism | Crush the root and leaf of this plant with water and drink it for swelling, abdominal pain, vomiting; crush the root of this plant and mix with water and drink for 5 continuous days to avoid oesophagus swelling ; crush the root of this plant with the fruit of *Gossypium barbadense* and the root of *Cucumis ficifolius* and mix with honey and tie to the wound of the patient to avoid eczema*;* for abdominal pain chew the fresh root of this plant and swallow the liquid part; for loss of weight crush the root of this plant and the root of *Cucumis ficifolius*,the bark of *Croton macrostachyus* and the fruit of *Ruta chalepensis* together then mix with milk then give for infants, or mix with coffee and give for adults; for backache crush the root of this plant together with the leaf and root of *Verbena officinalis* and pound the mixture then add to milk whose butter is removed then drink it; for asthma pound the root of this plant and mix with the root of *Rubia cordifolia, Rubus apetalus, Thalictrum rhynchocarpum, Securidaca longepedun-*  *culata* bark and wood then pound all these parts together then add to Teji then drink;for nose bleeding pound the root of this plant with the root of *Cucumis ficifolius* then envelope by a piece of cloth then add in the nose*;* for blood pressure chew about 3 cm root of this plant. |
| *Verbena officinalis* L.( Verbenaceae) | Atuch | Root, Leaf, Stem | Poisoning, diarrhoea, snake bite, tongue disease, acute febrile illness (elevated To.), stabbing pain | Chew the root of this plant or crush the root and mix with water and drink to avoid the poison given by human; for diarrhoea, acute febrile illness and stabbing pain crush enough amount of root and stem leaf then mix with water and drink; for snake bite crush both the root and leaf and drink; for tongue disease boil the leaf by water then rinse the mouth by the relatively hot liquid and then avoid the rinsed liquid. |
| *Withania somnifera* (L.) Dunal(Solanaceae) | Egiziwa | Leaf | Diarrhoea, haemorrhoids | Crush the leaf with water and decant the liquid part then drink it; dry and pound the root of *Gladiolus abyssinicus* and the root of *Withania somnifera* with the fruit of this plant and *Brassica carinata* and mix the oil of sesame and Niger seed then add honey then add to the haemorrhoids. |
| *Ximenia americana* L. (Olacaceae) | Enkoy | Root, leaf | Wound | Roots and flowers are used to remove placenta |
| *Zehneria scabra* (Linn. f.) Sond.( Cucurbitaceae) | Areg Resa | Stem, leaf | Febrile illness (fever), trachoma, TB (wound) | For febrile illness and trachoma: boil the stem and leaf of this plant and inhale /smell the steam of the boiling; squeeze the leaf of this plant and drink a cup of it until it cures. |
| *Zingiber officinale* Roscoe (Zingiberaceae) | Zingibl | Rhizome | Cough, common cold | Crush the rhizome then boil it with sugar then drink it |