

*APPENDIX-A***A1: QUESTIONNAIRES USED**

Questionnaire that were employed to interview the local population about their knowledge of plants which were used in the treatment of liver disorders.

1. Date of interview and location
2. Name of the respondent (optional)
3. Gender of respondents:
4. Age of the respondents:
5. Occupation of the respondents: Traditional medicinal practitioners, Herb seller,
Govt. servant, Farmer Others
6. Educational status of the respondent:
7. Religion of respondent:
8. Source of the knowledge: Parental, Training, Divination, Others
9. Name of plants used:
10. Parts of plant used:
11. Nature of plants: Shrub, Herb, Climber, Tree, Sucker
12. Place of plant collection: Cultivated, Wild
13. Do you use single or combination:
14. Mode of preparation (Optional):
15. Mode of administration:

A2: DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS OF THE RESPONDENTS (N = 91):

Parameters	Specifications	N (%)
1. Sex	Male	36 (39.56)
	Female	55 (60.44)
2. Age	21-30	7 (7.69)
	31-40	15 (16.48)
	41-50	37 (40.66)
	51-60	21 (23.08)
	61 & above	11 (12.09)
3. Occupation	Traditional herbal practitioner	9 (9.89)
	Herb seller	40 (43.96)
	Farmers	21 (23.08)
	Govt. servant	14 (15.38)
	Others	7 (7.69)
4. Educational status	Primary	26 (28.57)
	Matriculate and above	11 (12.09)
	Graduate and above	9 (9.89)
	No formal education	45 (49.45)
5. Religion	Hindu	69 (75.82)
	Christian	18 (19.78)
	Muslim	4 (4.4)
	Others	0 (0)
6. Source of knowledge	Parental	34 (37.36)
	Training	16 (17.58)
	Divination	0 (0)
	Others	41 (45.05)