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Abstract

Ethnopharmacological relevance

Senna racemosa (Mill.) H.S. Irwin & Barneby (syn. *Cassia racemosa* Mill.) is a plant used in traditional Mayan medicinal practices to treat diarrhea. A methanol extract of *S. racemosa* bark has been shown to have in vitro activity against *Giardia intestinalis*. No studies of its efficacy and toxicity in in vivo models have been done. The present study objective was to analyze the activity of this methanol extract of *S. racemosa* bark against

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