

Table 1 List of plants, uses, part used, chemical constituents, and biological activities of important medicinal plants of the Mien from the literature

Botanical name	Uses	Part Used	Chemical Constituents	Biological Activities
<i>Acorus calamus</i> L.	Postpartum bathing [11]	Leaves [11]	β -asarone [62]	- Rhizome and leaves showed Antifungal activity [63]
<i>Acorus tatarinowii</i>	Postpartum bathing [11]	Leaves [11]		
<i>Amaranthus lividus</i>	Postpartum bathing [11]	Leaves [11]		- Stem with leaves and flower showed anti-oxidative activity [64]
<i>Artemisia lactiflora</i> Wall. ex DC.	Postpartum tonic [42]	Leaves, stem [43]	- Acetylenic Spiroketal Enol Ethers [65]	- Inhibitors of Superoxide Generation Induced by a Tumor Promoter in HL-60 Cells [65]

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<i>Aspidopterys nutans</i> A. Juss.	Postpartum bathing [42]	Leaves, stem [42]		
<i>Basella alba</i> L.	Postpartum tonic [43]	Leaves, stem [43]	- Single-chain (type 1) ribosome-inactivating proteins (RIPs) from seed [66]	- Inhibitors of protein synthesis in cell lines [66]
<i>Carex baccans</i> Nees	Postpartum bathing [11]	Whole plant [11]		
<i>Crotalaria assamica</i> Benth.	Postpartum bathing [42]	Leaves, stem [42]	- Flavonoids and terocarpanoid, isoflavone, 5,7,4'-trihydroxy 2'-methoxyisoflavone [66]	- Anti-inflammatory activity [66]

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<i>Croton roxburghii</i> N.P. Balakr.	Postpartum bathing [42]	Leaves, stem [42]	- Clerodane-type diterpenoids, 3[alpha], 4[beta]- dihydroxy- 5[alpha], 10[beta]- trans-17[alpha], 20[alpha]-cleroda- 13 (14)-en-15, 16- olide , 4[beta]- dihydroxy- 5[alpha], 10[beta]- trans-17[alpha], 20[alpha]-cleroda- 13 (14)-en-15, 16- olide [68]	- Anti- steroidogenic activity in mice [69]

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<i>Flemingia stricta</i> Roxb.	Postpartum bathing [42]	Leaves, stem [42]	- 2 <i>S</i> -5,7,4'- trihydroxy-6- γ , γ - dimethyl- oxidoflavan-4-one - Flavonol 3- glycosides, kaempferol 3- rhamnoside, quercetin 3- rhamnoside [69]	- Antimicrobial agents <i>Staphylococcus</i> <i>aureus</i> , <i>Mycobacterium</i> <i>smegmatis</i> [69]
<i>Gouania leptostachya</i> DC.	Postpartum bathing [43]	Leaves, stem [43]		- Antifungal activity [50]
<i>Glechoma longituba</i>	Postpartum bathing [43]	Leaves [43]	- Glecholone, 6 <i>R</i> ,9 <i>R</i> -3-oxo- alpha-ionol , <i>S</i> (+), dehydrovomifoliol , vomifoliol , corosolic acid , quercetin , stigmastenol [70]	

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<i>Gynura bicolor</i> DC.	Postpartum tonic [43]	Leaves, stem [43]		- Antioxidative activity [71]
<i>Gynura pseudochina</i> (L.) DC.	Postpartum tonic [43]	Leaves, stem [43]		- Antimicrobial activity [72]
<i>Iresine herbstii</i> Hook.f.	Postpartum tonic [43]	Leaves, stem [43]	- Methanolic extract showed affinity for central 5-HT _{2C} and D1 receptors - Extract showed affinity for D2 receptors in cell lines [73]	

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<i>Caesalpinia sappan</i> L.	Postpartum tonic [43]	Stem (bark)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 5-hydroxy-1,4-naphthoquinone [75] - Homoisoflavonoids [76] 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Antimicrobial Activity [75] - Inhibitory activity against <i>Beauveria bassisiana</i> [76] - <i>In vitro</i> Anti-Influenza Viral Activities [81]
<i>Piper macropodum</i>	Postpartum bathing [11]	Whole plant [11]	- (2E,4E)-N-isobutyl-2,4-icosadienamide, piperine , piperylene [77]	

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<i>Plantago major</i> L.	Postpartum bathing [11]	Whole plant [11]	- Acteoside, isoacteoside, polysaccharides from seed [78] - PLP (an acid protein-bound polysaccharide of high molecular weight) [79]	- Significant immunoenhancing activity by inducing the maturation of dendritic cells [78] - Antioxidant activity [79]
<i>Ricinus communis</i> L.	Postpartum bathing [43]	Leaves [43]	- Gallic acid, quercetin, gentisic acid, rutin, epicatechin and ellagic acid [80]	- Anti-inflammatory and free radical scavenging activity [80]

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<i>Schefflera heptaphylla</i> (L.) Frodin	The health tea formulation against infections [58-59]	Leaves [58-59]	- Twenty seven volatile compounds and 17 of them belonged to monoterpenes or sesquiterpenes - Compose of monoterpene and pinene up to 22% of the total volatile components [58-59]	- The leaves showed potent activity against respiratory syncytial virus (RSV), and significant antiproliferative activity against three cancer cell lines [58-59]

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<i>Schefflera octophylla</i> (Lour.) Harms	- Used to treat rheumatism [60-61]	Bark [41] Leaves [60]	- Long-chain fatty acid esters of 3 α -hydroxy-lup-20-ene-23, 28-dioic acid [60]	- 3, 28-bidesmosidic triterpenoid saponin, 3-epi-betulinic acid 3-O-beta-D-glucopyranoside 28-O-[alpha-L-rhamnopyranosyl] [61]