

Pteridophyta Diversity of South Odisha, India, with Special Reference to Medico Folk Lore Claims: A Brief Review

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ABSTRACT This paper focuses on the ethno-medicinal utility of eight Pteridophyte species from Kerandimal Hills of Ganjam and Gajapati districts of South Odisha, India, includes three new reports including *Drynaria quercifolia* (Linn) J. Smith which has extensive laboratory tested medicinal property as per its folk lore claim.