Subject Brief



WHMF221

Herbal Medicine Pharmacology and Pharmacognosy

General information

Awards	Subject type	Study year	Study Semester
Bachelor of Health Science (Naturopathy)	Core	Year 2	Semester 3

EFTSL: 0.125

Delivery mode: Livestream

Co-requisites: Nil

Pre-requisites: WHMF121

Subject overview

This subject introduces students to the study of herbal medicine pharmacology and pharmacognosy. Through investigation of the major chemical constituents found in plants and the biological influences of those constituents in the human body, students gain a deeper understanding of the properties, actions and therapeutic activities of herbs and their potential for managing different health conditions alongside consideration of toxicity and safety.