

Maryland Heaths (Family Ericaceae)

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Scientific name ¹	Common name ²	Status ³
<i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi</i> (L.) Spreng.	bearberry	G5 S1
<i>Chamaedaphne calyculata</i> (L.) Moench	leatherleaf	G5 S1
<i>Chimaphila maculata</i> (L.) Pursh	striped prince's plume (FNA) striped prince's pine (USDA) spotted wintergreen (B&B, FVA)	G5 S5
<i>Chimaphila umbellata</i> (L.) W.P.C.Barton	pipsissewa (FNA, USDA, B&B, FVA) prince's pine (DNR, B&B, FVA)	G5 S3
<i>Epigaea repens</i> L.	trailing arbutus	G5 S5
<i>Eubotrys racemosus</i> (L.) Nutt. syn. <i>Leucothoe racemosa</i> (L.) A.Gray	deciduous swamp fetterbush (FNA) swamp doghobble (USDA, FVA) fetterbush (B&B, FVA, NWG)	G5 S5
<i>Gaultheria hispidula</i> (L.) Muhl. ex Bigelow	creeping snowberry	G5 S1
<i>Gaultheria procumbens</i> L.	eastern teaberry (FNA, USDA, FVA) wintergreen (B&B, FVA, NWG) checkerberry (B&B, NWG)	G5 S5
<i>Gaylussacia baccata</i> (Wangenh.) K.Koch	black huckleberry	G5 S5
<i>Gaylussacia bigeloviana</i> (Fernald) Sorrie & Weakley syn. <i>G. dumosa</i> (Andrews) Torr. & A.Gray var. <i>bigeloviana</i> Fernald	bog huckleberry	G? S?
<i>Gaylussacia brachycera</i> (Michx.) A.Gray	box huckleberry	G5 S1
<i>Gaylussacia frondosa</i> (L.) Torr. & A.Gray	dangleberry	G5 S5
<i>Kalmia angustifolia</i> L.	sheep laurel	G5 S3S4
<i>Kalmia latifolia</i> L.	mountain laurel	G5 S5
<i>Leucothoe axillaris</i> (Lam.) D.Don ⁴	coastal doghobble	G5 S5
<i>Lyonia ligustrina</i> (L.) DC.	maleberry	G5 S5
<i>Lyonia mariana</i> (L.) D.Don	piedmont staggerbush (USDA) staggerbush (B&B, FVA, NWG)	G5 S5
<i>Menziesia pilosa</i> (Michx.) Juss.	hairy minniebush (FNA) minniebush (B&B, USDA, FVA)	G4G5 S4
<i>Monotropa hypopitys</i> L.	pinesap	G5 S5

¹ Scientific names follow FNA = Flora of North America, with exceptions for narrower species concepts in *Gaylussacia* and *Vaccinium*. Authors' names are standardized to Brummitt and Powell (1992) abbreviations. One orthographic nomenclatural change was discovered and made for *Eubotrys racemosus*.

² Common names used by local field naturalists. Where several names are used their sources are indicated: *Newcomb's Wildflower Guide* (Newcomb 1989: NWG), *Woody Plants of Maryland* (Brown & Brown 1972: B&B), *Herbaceous Plants of Maryland* (Brown & Brown 1984: B&B), *Flora of Virginia* (Weakley *et al.* 2012: FVA), *Flora of North America north of Mexico* (2008: FNA), *USDA PLANTS Database* (USDA NRCS 2013: USDA), *Rare, threatened and endangered plants of Maryland* (Maryland Dept. Natural Resources 2010: DNR). We note that at least 4 species are known as "fetterbush;" at least 12 species as "wintergreen;" and at least 8 species as "staggerbush."

³ Status follows NatureServe rankings (2013), and DNR rare, threatened and endangered species status (2010).

⁴ Definitely introduced.

<i>syn. Hypopitys monotropa</i> Crantz		
<i>Monotropa uniflora</i> L.	Indian pipe	G5 S5
<i>Monotropsis odorata</i> Schwein. ex Elliott	pygmypipes (FNA, USDA, B&B) sweet pinesap (DNR, FVA)	G3 S1
<i>Orthilia secunda</i> (L.) House syn. <i>Pyrola secunda</i> L.	sidebells wintergreen (FNA, USDA) one-sided pyrola (B&B, DNR, NWG) shinleaf (B&B)	G5 SH
<i>Oxydendrum arboreum</i> (L.) DC.	sourwood	G5 S1
<i>Pieris floribunda</i> (Pursh) Benth. & Hook.f. ⁵	fetterbush (FNA) mountain fetterbush (USDA) evergreen mountain fetterbush (FVA)	G4 S?
<i>Pyrola americana</i> Sweet syn. <i>Pyrola rotundifolia</i> L. var. <i>americana</i> (Sweet) Fernald	American wintergreen (FNA, USDA) wild lily-of-the-valley (B&B) round-leaved pyrola (NWG, FVA)	G5 S5
<i>Pyrola chlorantha</i> Sweet syn. <i>Pyrola virens</i> Schweigg. & Körte	green-flowered wintergreen (FNA, USDA, FVA) green pyrola (FVA) greenish-flowered pyrola (NWG)	G5 S5
<i>Pyrola elliptica</i> Nutt.	waxflower shinleaf (FNA, USDA, FVA) shinleaf (B&B, FVA)	G5 S5
<i>Rhododendron arborescens</i> (Pursh) Torr.	smooth azalea	G4G5 S4
<i>Rhododendron atlanticum</i> (Ashe) Rehder	dwarf azalea	G4G5 S4
<i>Rhododendron calendulaceum</i> (Michx.) Torr.	flame azalea	G5 S1
<i>Rhododendron maximum</i> L.	rosebay (FNA, B&B) great laurel (USDA, FNA, FVA)	G5 S5
<i>Rhododendron periclymenoides</i> (Michx.) Shinners misapplied name. <i>Rhododendron nudiflorum</i> (L.) Torr.	pink azalea (USDA, NWG) pinxterbloom azalea (FNA, FVA) pinxterflower azalea (FNA, FVA, NWG)	G5 S5
<i>Rhododendron prinophyllum</i> (Small) Millais syn. <i>Rhododendron roseum</i> (Loisel.) Rehder	early azalea	G5 S5
<i>Rhododendron viscosum</i> (L.) Torr.	swamp azalea	G5 S5
<i>Vaccinium angustifolium</i> Aiton	early lowbush blueberry	G5 S5
<i>Vaccinium caesariense</i> Mack.	New Jersey blueberry	G4? S-
<i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i> L.	highbush blueberry	G5 S5
<i>Vaccinium formosum</i> Andrews	southern blueberry	G5 S5
<i>Vaccinium fuscatum</i> Aiton	black highbush blueberry	G5 S5
<i>Vaccinium macrocarpon</i> Aiton	cranberry (FNA, USDA, FVA) large cranberry (B&B, DNR, FVA)	G4 S3
<i>Vaccinium myrtilloides</i> Michx.	velvetleaf blueberry	G5 S3
<i>Vaccinium oxycoccus</i> L.	small cranberry	G5 S2
<i>Vaccinium pallidum</i> Aiton syn. <i>Vaccinium vacillans</i> Kalm ex Torr.	Blue Ridge blueberry (FNA, USDA) hillside blueberry (FVA) mountain blueberry (B&B)	G5 S5
<i>Vaccinium stamineum</i> L.	deerberry	G5 S5

⁵ Possibly introduced.