



## ASCLEPIUS II

Offerings from this series are supremely purifying and cleansing. They help transmute disease, pain, negativity, and trauma into sources of healing and renewal, in a manner not dissimilar to composting. Toxicity and disease are metabolized in order to create a rich substrate from which new life and health can spring. These offerings help facilitate the distillation of wisdom from hardship, increase personal objectivity, and one's capacity to shoulder burdens. Jupiter's influence in this election adds an optimistic and uplifting quality and makes for a gentler process.

**Asclepius can be used to treat issues related to:** disease, any type of illness, pathologies, negative states, pain, paranormal, psychological, or psychic disturbances, enduring hardship, grief, making the most of a bad situation (redemption), exorcism, energy clearing, healing sleep, medical procedures, health scares and healing protocols, recovery, general remediation of bad transits and circumstances, physical and energetic purification, addressing the root cause, detoxification, energetic hygiene, client work in healing professions, wards for the preservation of good health. They are not a substitute for professional medical treatment.

**Side effects:** Asclepius offerings can trigger the sudden need for sleep or prolonged sleep as part of the healing process. Can also cause what is known as a 'healing crisis', where things get worse before they get better, or different symptoms begin presenting as disease or bad energy works its way out of the body. Symptoms of physical or emotional detox. Feelings of emptiness after purification, before new growth fills newly decongested space. Start with low doses to assess tolerance.

**Planetary Days + Hours:** Asclepius offerings can be applied whenever needed, but the most potent times will be when the Moon or Ascendant are in Sagittarius, especially around the 22nd degree on the fixed star Ras Alhague, the celestial power fueling the charge of this series. Roughly speaking for the USA those dates are — 2020: 1/21, 2/17, 3/15, 4/12, 5/9, 6/5, 7/3, 7/30, 9/23, 10/21, 11/16, 12/14. You can also time applications to Jupiter's days and hours (or whatever rules health significations in your own chart). New Moons are also good times to enact purification and releasing protocols.

**Bath Salts:** Soak 13+ minutes, wet full head and hair. Rinse in coldest water possible. Drink water.

**Ritual Salt:** Sprinkle, allow to absorb, then sweep or vacuum. Add to cleaning solutions.

**Spray + Oil:** Shake vigorously and spray around the head and neck, on chest, and lower back. Maximize skin contact. Anoint that which needs healing. Can also be applied to images or figures that represent people or body parts in need of healing.

**Prayers:** What follows is the orphic hymn to Asclepius. You can also Google one for Hygiea.

*Great Asklepios, skill'd to heal mankind, all-ruling Pæan, and physician kind;  
Whose arts medic'nal, can alone assuage diseases dire, and stop their dreadful rage:  
Strong lenient God, regard my suppliant pray'r, bring gentle Health, adorn'd with lovely hair;  
Convey the means of mitigating pain, and raging, deadly pestilence restrain.  
O pow'r all-flourishing, abundant, bright, Apollo's honor'd offspring, God of light;  
Husband of blameless Health, the constant foe of dread Disease the minister of woe:  
Come, blessed saviour, and our health defend, and to our lives afford a prosp'rous end.*