Genus: Rosmarinus  
Species: officinalis  
Cultivar: 'Prostratus'  
Family: Lamiaceae  

Common Name: Dwarf Rosemary, Trailing Rosemary  
Origin: Coastal Mediterranean  

Kind of Plant: Groundcover  
Growth Habit: Spreading  
Light Needs: Sun  

Seasonal Habit: Evergreen  
Height: 2ft.  
Width: 4-8ft  
Water Needs: Drought Tolerant - performs well with no irrigation after first 2 years.

Special Identifying Features  
Leaves: Opposite, narrow, thick, 1" to 1¼", needle-like, edible as seasoning, resinous, aromatic, usually dark green above, grayish white below  
Flowers: Small clusters of ¼" to ½" blossoms, pale lavender-blue, edible. Fall, winter and spring.

Bark/Twig: Branches root when touching ground. Woody stems with age.

Disease(s): 

Pest(s): Spittlebug, Aphids  

Special Points: Plant 2 feet apart for ground cover. Will trail over a wall or the edge of a raised bed. Cultivar 'Irene' is deeper blue.

Campus Location: 1) West side of Oval 2) Campus Drive Median strip near the hospital, 3) SEQ (cultivar 'Irene'), 4) EV Studio 2 (cultivar 'Collingwood Ingram'), 5) Junipero Serra soundwall