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# Tracheoesophageal Septum

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## Source

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A partition in the laryngotracheal diverticulum formed by the union of the two tracheoesophageal folds, which divides the cranial part of the foregut of the early embryo into a ventral and a dorsal part.