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Lactobacillus casei

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National Cancer Institute. *Lactobacillus casei*. NCI Thesaurus. Code C86476.

A species of facultatively anaerobic, Gram positive, rod shaped bacteria in the phylum Firmicutes. This species is nonmotile, heterofermentative, amylase positive and ferments mannitol. *L. casei* is non pathogenic and a commensal organism of the mouth and digestive tract.