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Lactobacillus vaginalis

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National Cancer Institute. *Lactobacillus vaginalis*. NCI Thesaurus. Code C123496.

A species of Gram-positive, rod shaped, facultatively anaerobic, heterofermentative bacteria in the phylum Firmicutes that occur singly or in pairs or short chains. This species is nonmotile and non spore forming. *L. vaginalis* was isolated from the vaginas of patients suffering from trichomoniasis.