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# Septum Secundum

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A thick growth on the atrial wall, located to the right of the initial septum primum in the early embryo; it forms an incomplete partition between the atria, leaving only an area at the posterosuperior part of the interatrial septum: the fossa ovalis.