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Atopobium parvulum

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A species of obligately anaerobic, Gram positive, rod shaped bacteria in the phylum Actinobacteria. This bacteria is non-motile, tyrosine arylamidase positive and arginine dihydrolase negative. *A. parvulum* is a commensal organism of the oral cavity and associated with periodontal health.