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Corynebacterium urealyticum

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Source

National Cancer Institute. *Corynebacterium urealyticum*. NCI Thesaurus. Code C86325.

A species of aerobic or facultatively anaerobic, Gram-positive, coryneform, pleomorphic bacilli assigned to the phylum Actinobacteria. This species is nonmotile, non-spore forming, catalase positive, oxidase negative, pyrazinamidase positive, does not reduce nitrate, lipophilic, does not hydrolyze esculin or gelatin, and does not ferment glucose, maltose, or sucrose. *C. urealyticum* is commensal to the human skin and is known to cause urinary tract infections, kidney stones and pneumonia.