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# Pericardioperitoneal Canal

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Two thin canals, located on either side of the foregut and dorsal to the septum transversum, that connect the thoracic and abdominal portions of the intraembryonic coelom, which subsequently forms the pleural cavities.