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Lactobacillus rhamnosus

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A species of Gram-positive, rod shaped, facultatively heterofermentative bacteria in the phylum Firmicutes. This species is nonmotile and non spore forming. *L. paracasei* is a normal flora component of the the human gastrointestinal tract and female reproductive tract. It is closely related to *L. casei* and *L. paracasei*.