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Mobiluncus curtisii subsp holmesii

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National Cancer Institute. *Mobiluncus curtisii subsp holmesii*. NCI Thesaurus. Code C86897.

A subspecies of anaerobic, Gram positive, curved rod shaped bacterium assigned to the phylum Actinobacteria and the species *Mobiluncus curtisii*. This subspecies is motile by multiple subterminal flagella, esterase lipase positive, reduces nitrate and fermentation of glycogen in the presence of serum produces pyruvate. *M. curtisii* subsp. *holmesii* is found in the vaginal tract and is a causative agent of vaginitis.