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Extraembryonic Coelom

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A large, fluid filled cavity surrounding the amnion and umbilical vesicle, which is first seen in the extraembryonic mesoderm during the second week of gestation, and which quickly expands to form the chorionic cavity.