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# Enterococcus pseudoavium

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A species of facultatively anaerobic, Gram-positive, cocci shaped bacteria in the phylum Firmicutes. This species is nonmotile, non-spore forming, catalase negative, and hydrolyzes both hippurate and esculin. E. pseudoavium was isolated from bovine mastitis, but human infections are very rare.