

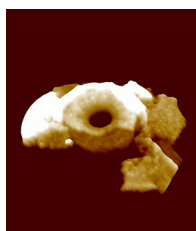


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Cover photograph: Atomic force microscopic image of a broken incomplete septum from *Staphylococcus warneri*. Part of the upper layer of the septum was lost, showing that the two-layered structure of the septum is formed before the septum is complete. The exposed inner surface shows the concentric ringed structure, which could explain why the new cell walls of *S. warneri* were organized into concentric rings. (See related article at e00294-20.) (Copyright © 2020 American Society for Microbiology. All Rights Reserved.)

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