

Nomenclatural novelties : Lynne Sigler

Emmonsia helica Sigler, in Sigler, L., sp.nov.

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Colonies yellowish white, moderately fast growing, tolerant of cycloheximide. Asexual and sexual spores absent. Vegetative mycelium hyaline, septate, narrow, occasionally with racquet mycelium. Hyphae characteristically developing curved lateral branches that often coalesce to form a rudimentary gymnothecium. Thick-walled, yellowish-brown, helically coiled appendages typical of *Ajellomyces* present. Thermotolerant, producing a yeast-like state at 35C. Phylogenetically in the *Ajellomycetaceae*. Represented by GenBank no. EF592154. Etymology: refers to helically coiled appendages.

Holotype UAMH 7101.