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Coelomycidiaceae Doweld, fam.nov.

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Thalli globose, thin-walled (consisting of 6 to 8 electron-dense layers), multinucleate, circulating in haemolymph or in fat body cells, cleaving into numerous zoospores. Zoosporangia aggregated into globose sori covered by a thin, rupturing irregularly envelope, thick-walled, with many prominent reserve droplets, multinucleate. Zoospores guttate, uniflagellate. Obligate parasites of blackflies.

Holotype: *Coelomycidium* Debais. 1919.