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**Pochonia chlamydosporia var. mexicana** M.G. Medina-Canales, A.V. Rodríguez-Tovar, R.H. Manzanilla-López, G. Zúñiga & A. Tovar-Soto, var.nov.

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Strain Pcp21 has single phialides with conidia of different size and shape. It had elongated conidia of different size; the smaller ( $1 \pm 0.25 \mu\text{m}$  length  $\times$   $0.3 \pm 0.09 \mu\text{m}$  width) being of similar shape to the larger conidia ( $3.2 \pm 0.83 \mu\text{m}$  length  $\times$   $0.9 \pm 0.26 \mu\text{m}$  width) hence the smaller conidia are considered as microconidia. Other, larger, rounded conidia ( $2.4 \pm 0.55 \mu\text{m}$  length  $\times$   $1.5 \pm 0.37 \mu\text{m}$  width) were observed but there were also other, smaller ( $0.6 \pm 0.19 \mu\text{m}$  of diameter), conidia-like structures. The growth of these fungus after 7 days on PDA varied from 16 to 18 mm in colony diameter ( $n = 10$ ). The upper surfaces of colonies were white in color, becoming beige as they grew older. The colonies also appeared more dust-like in texture as they aged. The undersides of colonies were beige, pale yellow or orange in color.

Holotype CINVSTAV Microorganism Collection, CDBB-H-1881.