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***Calliderma* (Romagn.) Largent**

Romagnesi (1974) introduced *Rhodophyllus* section *Calliderma* to contain species of *Entolomataceae* that have a hymeniform pileipellis most commonly with a single layer of pileocystidia. Largent (1994) raised *Calliderma* to generic rank. *Calliderma* is characterized by basidiomata with a tricholomatoid habit, a pruinose, tomentose, velutinous or rivulose pileus surface, microscopically corresponding to a hymeniform pileipellis or a true hymeniderm, and septa on the hyphae are with or without clamp connections (Largent 1994) (M. Erdoğan).

Reference

Largent DL. 1994 – Entolomatoid fungi of the Western United States and Alaska. Mad River Press. Eureka, California.