

Velvety Fairy Fan

Spathulariopsis velutipes



OVERALL: MPENA, 10/3/2009, R. Orr.
 SPECIMEN GROUP: MPENA, 9/22/2009, R. Solem.
 TOP: Gorman NRA 7/22/2012, J. Solem.
 OVERALL: MPENA, 9/18/2009, B Ott.

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[*Spathulariopsis velutipes*](#)

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ID: Head brownish-yellow, flattened, irregularly wrinkled/ folded. Stalk reddish-brown, cylindrical.

Habitat: Groups, clusters. On mossy ground/decaying wood.

Fruiting Body: 2 – 2.6" [3 – 7 cm] consisting of head and stalk. Yellowish/brownish-yellow. Flattened, irregularly wrinkled/folded.

Stalk: 0.8 – 1.5" H x 1/4 – 5/8" W [2 – 4 cm x 6 –15 mm] Reddish-brown. Equal/tapers up, solid, velvety.

Frequency: Occasional.

Locations: GONRA, MPENA, NOLAP.

Synonym: *Spathularia velutipes*.

References: Bar 71. BBF 512, 21. Kuo. Lin 359, 693. M&M 521. Roo 415. Photo of young *S. velutipes*: <http://chestofbooks.com/flora-plants/mushrooms/The-Mushroom-Book/Genus-Spathularia.html>