**Gymnopus subnudus** (Ellis ex Peck) Halling

**ID:** Cap yellow-orange; flat (somewhat depressed in age). Blunt gill-like ridges. Use KOH.

**Habitat:** Solitary, scattered, groups. On leaf litter and wood in hardwood forests.

**Cap:** 0.4 – 2” [1 – 5 cm]

**Gills:** Whitish (pinkish-buff in age). Attached (nearly free in age).

**Spores:** Creamy-white. Teardrop-shaped, smooth, hyaline.

**Stalk:** 0.8 – 2.8” X 1/8” [2 – 7 cm X 3 mm]
Buff; darkening to brownish/reddish-brown/nearly black near base. Dry, tough. Smooth at apex, finely hairy/velvety at base. Equal or apex flares.

**Frequency:** Very common.

**Locations:** BIGBR, DANPV, FRANF, GATWY, GONRA, HIRIP, LONGC, MANWD, MPENA, OTHER, PATRP, PIGTL, RKBPR, ROBNC, ROGOR, SLMLP, SYRIV, WINTR, WSTRP.

**Notes:** Mycobank 437643. Differs from similar *G. dichrous* in also occurring in leaf litter. Franciscan Friars specimen verified by microscopic examination of spores by R. Solem. KOH olive on cap.


**Spores:** (8.1-9.1 X 3.9-4.2 μm): Franciscan Friars, 7/16/2014, R. Solem.

**Spores:** (7.8-9.6 x 3.4-3.9 μm): Franciscan Friars, 7/16/2014, R. Solem.