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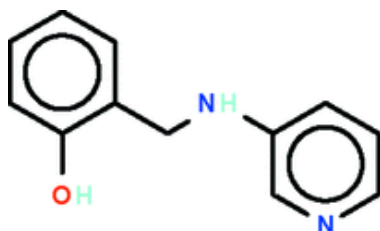
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2-[(Pyridin-3-ylamino)methyl]phenol

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Abstract: In the title compound, C₁₂H₁₂N₂O, the aromatic rings at either ends of the -CH₂-NH- link are twisted by 68.79 (7)°. In the crystal, the hydroxy substituent is a hydrogen-bond donor to the N atom of the pyridine ring of an adjacent molecule, and the hydrogen bond generates a chain along the *b* axis; it is also a hydrogen-bond acceptor to the amino group of another adjacent molecule. The two hydrogen bonds lead to the formation of a layer structure.