

DNA sampling

1. Collect the jellyfish
2. Take a little piece of oral arm and/or tentacles (bell margin) (1 cm), with a clean razor blade, scissors or forceps.
4. Place the tissue in a vial with 90% ETOH.
5. Label the vial.

Jellyfish fixation

1. Place the jellyfish in a plastic bag or bottle and add 4% Formaldehyde (diluted with sea water).

NOTES:

-Use a new or sterilize razor blade , scissors or forceps per jellyfish.

For more information about sampling, shipping and packing follow the link

http://scyphozoan.ucmercedlibrary.info/wiki/Methods#Preservation_of_DNA

