



Cornea Tissue Return Instructions

This tissue is highly delicate and time sensitive. Proper handling ensures its viability for restoring someone's vision.

Replenish • Repack • Return Immediately

Each step below is designed to protect the integrity of the donated tissue.

Please follow all instructions carefully and act without delay.

1. Immediate Action Required

If you are returning tissue, call LWVI immediately for:

- Specific instructions and confirmation that the tissue is eligible for return
- Return shipping label
- **Contact:**
Phone: 813.289.1200 x 980
Email: cornea@lwvi.org

Do not proceed with repackaging until you've received confirmation and a return label.

2. Place Tissue in Foam Brick

- Insert the tissue vial into the provided foam brick
- Seal the foam brick inside the small zip lock bag

3. Position in Cooler

- Protective large plastic bag should be inside the cooler
- Place the sealed zip lock bag at the bottom of the cooler, keeping the vial upright
- Cover it completely with the white foam sheet

4. Add Ice to Large Ziplock

- Refill the large double-bagged zip lock with wet cubed ice only. *Do not use dry ice or ice packs*
- Place this doubled sealed bag of ice on top of the white foam sheet in the cooler

5. Seal and Label for Return

- Close the cooler securely
- Insert the cooler into the return shipping box
- Affix the return label to the top of the box
- Arrange for prompt pickup

Scan the QR code to view a step-by-step video guide



Your precise and timely effort honors the donor and helps restore the gift of sight