

Checklist for Pre-emergent Hatchling Collection

Item	Response	Explanation
Does the research require “naive” hatchlings?		
Will early collection allow the hatchlings to be released that same night?		
Will the hatchlings be maintained in the lab longer than the day of collection?		
Has the researcher provided other justification directly related to the need to remove hatchlings from the nest prior to natural emergence that clearly promotes the conservation of sea turtles?		
Is the request to facilitate ease of collection with no increase in sea turtle conservation value relative to collecting hatchlings that emerge naturally?		

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Permit #: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Species of turtles to be collected:  Cc       Dc       Cm       Other \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of turtles to be collected: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of nests hatchlings will be collected from: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of hatchlings to be collected per nest: \_\_\_\_\_

Who will be collecting the hatchlings:  Beach PH     Research PH     Research PH students

Are the individuals to collect the hatchlings prior to emergence already trained/experienced in the collection technique?     Yes     No

Summary of project activities & research goals: \_\_\_\_\_

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