

## <u>Guidelines on Storage of Human Tissues, other than those from Post-mortem</u> <u>Examination</u>

These guidelines apply to all tissues (including organs) obtained from biopsies, resections and other procedures other than post-mortem examinations.

Preferably, consent has to be obtained from the persons from whom the tissues are taken for diagnosis, teaching and research.

For archiving tissues after examination, adequate reasons should be documented and sufficient records have to be made.

Except for archiving, all tissues after examination should be disposed of respectfully.