

# CORALS AT THE SEATTLE AQUARIUM

Did you know the Seattle Aquarium has its own coral “farm”? Tucked away behind our public exhibit areas are tanks filled with a vibrant collection of corals, ranging in size from less than an inch to six inches or more. The specimens are nurtured in these tanks until they’re large enough to go on exhibit, or be shared with another facility—our

propagation efforts have been so successful that we’re able to share our surplus with other facilities around the country. Growing our own corals means that we don’t have to source any of these animals (yes, they’re animals!) from the wild, and reduces other facilities’ need to source from the wild as well.

