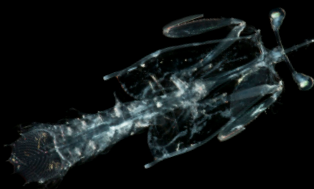


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**BABIES!**  
Look at these beautiful baby crustaceans from the Gulf of Mexico. Many larvae look very different than the adults. As part of DEEPEND, we are genetically barcoding crustaceans, even the babies! Think deep-sea CSI! We can ID the species and track the gene flow. The better we understand the life histories and abundance of crustaceans at all life stages, the better we understand the Gulf as a whole!

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