Claims

1. The use of a mussel adhesive protein ("MAP") as an active ingredient in the manufacture of a composition for the treatment of inflammation of the mucosa selected from oral mucositis, rhinitis, pharyngitis, laryngitis, gastritis, enterocolitis and tracheitis, wherein the MAP comprises mytilus edilus foot protein 1 ("mefp-1").

2. The use according to any one of claim 1, wherein the MAP concentration in the composition is 0.1-15.0 mg/mL.

3. The use according to any one of claims 1-2, wherein the MAP composition is a liquid formulation, a gel formulation or a foam formulation.

4. The use according to any one of claims 1-3, wherein MAP in the composition is in a range of pH 1.0-7.0, and in particular, in a range of pH 3.0-6.5.

5. The use according to any one of claims 1-4, wherein the composition is to be used by means of per-rectal administration, oral administration, sublingual administration, a nasal spray and an oral spray.

6. The use of MAP according to any one of claims 1-5 wherein the composition is a medicament and a healthcare product.