

# TERRACYCLE® RECYCLING PROGRAM

# PIP® in collaboration with TerraCycle®

We are working to help reduce the impact of waste by recycling what is seemingly "un-recyclable".

Whether it's earplugs, gloves or safety eyewear used in a manufacturing facility or jobsite, PIP®, in collaboration with TerraCycle® provides an easy and convenient way of collecting used PPE and turning it into a raw material for multiple uses. PIP's partnership with TerraCycle®, working with our distributors and customers can help reduce millions of pounds of waste from ending up in landfills.







## How does it work?



## 1. ORDER WASTE COLLECTION BOX

Contact your participating PIP® distributor to order the right waste collection box for your type of PPE waste.



## 2. COLLECT EXPENDED PPE

Workers collect the used PPE in the designated containers which include a UPS return label to a recycling center.



### 3. SHIP

When the box is full, you seal the box and ship prepaid to a TerraCycle® facility for recycling.



### 4. RECYCLE

Waste is sorted, treated and transformed for a new use as a raw material ingredient in everything from rubber mats to plastic pallets. You are provided a receipt and certificate of recycling by accessing www.tcrwusa.com.







# Easypak recycling boxes





## How is PPE recycled?



**EAR PLUGS AND DISPOSABLE GLOVES** are mechanically and/or manually separated into the various polymers that make them up. The separated plastics then undergo extrusion and pelletization to be molded into new recycled plastic products.



**EYEWEAR** is mechanically and/or manually separated into metals, fibers and plastics. Metals are smelted so they may be recycled. Plastics undergo extrusion and pelletization to be molded into new recycled plastic products.



**FABRIC ON COATED GLOVES** is cut away and recycled, whereas the coated fabric that is unable to be separated from the nitrile or rubber, is cryogenically ground up. The resulting material is used as filler for auto plastics and certain lumber applications.

#### 510-3230

STYLE NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	WHAT CAN YOU RECYCLE
510-3100	Disposable Gloves - Zero Waste Box™	Nitrile Rubber Gloves   Latex Rubber Gloves   PVC Gloves   Polyethylene Gloves   Virnyl Gloves
510-3165	Ear Plugs - Zero Waste Box™	Ear Plugs Made Of PU   Ear Plugs Made of Silicone   Ear Plugs Made of Foamed PVC   Ear Plugs Made of Latex Rubber
510-3210	Safety Equipment and Protective Gear - Zero Waste Box™	Beard nets   Disposable (latex, nitrile and vinyl) gloves   Ear plugs   Non-woven disposable garments   Non-woven disposable masks   Non-woven hair nets   Safety glasses and goggles
510-3230	Seamless Knit Gloves - Zero Waste Box™*	Seamless Knit Uncoated Gloves   Seamless Knit Coated Gloves

 ${\bf Estimated\, -\, Each\, box\, holds\, about\, 40\, lbs\, of\, was te}$ 

\* Cannot contain metal or steel

