

Learn about battery recycling, why it's the best way to get rid of used-up batteries, and how to safely remove one from a car. Drop by your local AutoZone and ??? get this ??? we will actually pay you for that old battery!



Learn about different types of batteries and the proper ways to dispose of them. This fact sheet from Energy Saver includes information on single-use, rechargeable, and automotive batteries, as well as tips for disposal, recycling, and safe handling.



Recycle your old batteries by first determining what type of battery you have, then using a service like Call2Recycle, Earth911, or GreenerGadgets, to find a local recycling drop-off, pick-up, or mail-in program.

## PROPER BATTERY DISPOSAL





To prevent fires from lithium-ion batteries, tape battery terminals and/or place batteries in separate plastic bags and never put these batteries in household garbage or recycling bins. On this page: Background; Single-Use Batteries; Rechargeable Batteries; Automotive Batteries; Federal Battery Laws; State Battery Recycling Laws



To preserve these materials for other uses, every effort should be made to recycle batteries of all types, sizes, and chemistries. It is equally important to handle batteries safely, because some batteries can pose health risks if mishandled at the end of their lives.



? Let's explore the best methods for laptop battery recycling. 1. Local Recycling Centers. Local recycling centers are an ideal option for safely recycling old batteries and other electronic waste. Many of these centers handle a wide range of e-waste, ensuring the components are processed safely.

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Proper disposal of old rechargeable batteries is a necessary step in protecting our environment and keeping our communities safe. By following our guidelines, you can responsibly recycle your batteries and contribute to a more sustainable future.



Discusses the general dangers of shipping lithium batteries, what consumers should do, and steps shippers and carriers need to take when disposing and recycling lithium batteries and equipment/products containing lithium batteries.