

From the  
**Lab Bench**  
to the  
**Park Bench**



## PIPET TIP BOX RECYCLING PROGRAM

- Reduce Landfill Waste
- Support your Company's Sustainability Goals
- Give Hard-to-Recycle Plastic New Life as a Park Bench



## Pipet Tip Box Recycling Program, TerraCycle®

This easy-to-use recycling program provides a complete waste collection, shipment, and recycling solution for used pipet tip boxes. All brands of plastic pipet tip boxes are accepted. The plastic waste is ground, melted, and pelletized through extrusion by TerraCycle to create recycled resin. The resin is then combined with other recycled plastics to make park benches and other eco-friendly products. TerraCycle will process every pipet tip box that is received.

Typically made of #5 plastic, pipet tip boxes are rarely accepted by curbside recycling programs and have become part of a significant waste stream to landfills and incinerators. This program offers a convenient opportunity to recycle an abundant source of waste found in every lab, divert hard-to-recycle plastic from the waste stream, give waste new life, and avoid paying to have discarded pipet tip boxes hauled to the landfill.

Each collection box holds up to 113 empty pipet tip boxes and can be placed at convenient locations in your lab. When full, simply add the collection box to out-going mail; each box has a pre-paid UPS shipping label.

Description	Capacity	Cat. No.
TerraCycle Collection Box	113 Empty Pipet Tip Boxes	89234-732

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Each 2½W x 24½L x 40¼H in. master carton includes five 12W x 12L x 27H in. TerraCycle collection boxes. The sturdy collection boxes, made of double-corrugated cardboard, come with simple assembly instructions.



## Set-Up, Collect, and Ship Guide

This program offers an easy way to recycle all of your used pipet boxes. Simply follow the three steps below.

### 1 SET-UP

When you receive your pack of five collection boxes, take one flat-packed box out of the master carton and tape the bottom flaps together to make the box stand upright. Place the box in a safe area, either under your lab bench or near other waste disposal receptacles. Place the master carton and the remaining boxes in your storeroom.

### 2 COLLECT

Once your collection box is set up, place clean, empty pipet tip boxes through the slot on the top of the box. (Do not include individual pipet tips, other lab plastic, or glassware in this box.)

### 3 SHIP

Once your collection box is full, you are ready to ship. Seal the top of the box with sturdy packaging tape. Each TerraCycle box has a prepaid UPS shipping label attached. If your facility has daily UPS pickup, place the collection box in the designated pickup area. If your facility does not have a daily pickup, call TerraCycle at **1.866.967.6766** to arrange for a pickup.



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