



Ceiling Panel Recycling Program

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Solution



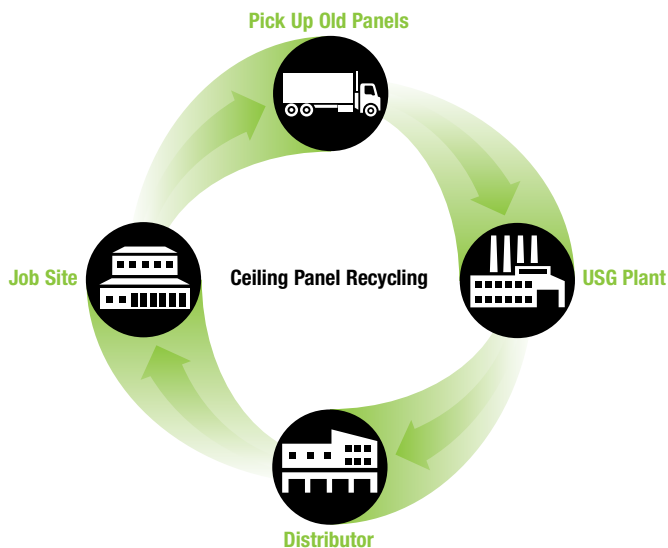
You Can Protect the Environment ...and still

Good for you

Check then remove

Now you can recycle your old ceiling panels and still stay on schedule and on budget. In the same time required to haul small loads of old panels to a dumpster, workers can palletize panels as they are removed.

Recycling ceiling panels won't happen if it adds to the time and cost of a renovation. That's why we've designed this program to be fast, easy and cost effective.



First, check that your ceiling panels qualify for recycling. If you have any questions, contact your local CGC representative. Then, remove them as you normally would.

Material must be clean, dry and approved by CGC. No wood, metal or construction debris of any kind. Panels must not have come into contact with any hazardous material that requires special handling or disposal.

Acceptable for recycling: Ceiling panels manufactured by USG and other manufacturers; primarily mineral fiber ceiling products.

Not acceptable:

- Panels from an installation where hazardous materials have been used
- foil-laminate panels
- fabric- or vinyl-faced panels
- wet, moldy or weathered panels
- wood fiber panels
- custom-colored or post-painted panels, or other panels that do not meet our manufacturing process requirements

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Stack then wrap

Call for a ride

Next, stack the panels neatly on 4' x 4' shipping pallets. Double stacking is the most environmentally responsible way to ship the panels. To do this, stack panels no higher than 4'. If you prefer to single-stack the pallets, stack the panels no higher than 6'.

- 1 Place** a CGC Ceiling Panel Packaging Label on two of the four pallet faces so that each is clearly visible and stays in place.
- 2 Secure** the panels on pallets with stretch wrap or metal bands.
- 3 Package** the material so that the pallets remain stable. All panels must be straight on pallets and secured within the trailer so that loads won't fall during transit or unloading.

Before you start to stack, make sure that your materials are acceptable, that a CGC representative and the owner or owner's representative have signed the CGC Recycling Contract, and that you have a pallet jack (and maybe a forklift, depending on the dock) available to move the loaded pallets.

Finally, we'll pay your way, as long as you meet some simple conditions:

- you have a full truckload
- the material has been approved
- a completed contract has been signed
- and you call your local CGC salesperson at least five days prior to desired pickup.

A full truckload is 30,000 square feet with 22 pallets of 4' x 4' single-stacked (6' in height) on a trailer. If you can't fill a truck, there are other options. Our goal is to prevent recyclable materials from being discarded into landfills.

If you have less than a truckload, call your CGC sales representative to learn about other options.





Reclaiming used ceiling panels is just one part of CGC's strong commitment to the environment. We've used recaptured gypsum to manufacture wallboard for more than 30 years, and we're one of the nation's top users of recycled paper.

Turn used ceiling panels into new building products instead of landfill.



For warranty or product information and literature: www.cgcinc.com

Note

Products described here may not be available in all geographic markets. Consult your CGC Inc. Company sales office or representative for information.

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