



# Compact Fluorescent Light Bulb (CFL) Recycling

CFLs contain a very small amount of Mercury.  
For proper disposal and recycling, consider:

## Drop-off Programs

- [Home Depot](#) - accepts fluorescent bulbs only, no tubes
- [Lowe's](#) - accepts fluorescent bulbs at the customer service desk, no tubes
- [IKEA](#) - accepts all fluorescent bulbs and tubes
- **Broadview Waste Services**, 7610 Energy Parkway, Curtis Bay, MD 21226. For more information, call 410-437-6590.
- [HHW Day at the Alpha Ridge Landfill](#) (residential use only)
- Where: [Alpha Ridge Landfill's Residents' Convenience Center](#) (2350 Marriottsville Road) When: Saturdays in April-November, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## Mail-In Programs

- Waste Management offers kits for recycling various items. Fill the prepaid boxes with the appropriate items and mail to Waste Management. Visit [www.ThinkGreenFromHome.com](http://www.ThinkGreenFromHome.com) for more information.
- Visit [www.officedepot.com](http://www.officedepot.com) for more information about Office Depot's bulb recycling toolkit.

## Other CFL Resources

- <http://www.epa.gov/cfl>
- [www.energystar.gov](http://www.energystar.gov)
- [www.lamprecycle.org](http://www.lamprecycle.org)
- [www.earth911.com](http://www.earth911.com)

**NOTE: Howard County does not endorse independent programs or retail locations.**

