



# Know Before You Throw: Shipping/Delivery Packaging

## TRASH

- Air pillows\*
- Bubble lined mailers
- Foam (pouches, sheets, molds)
- Gel packs\*
- Peanuts (foam and biodegradable)
- Plastic bags/film/wrap\*
- Plastic insulation (ex. Renewliner)



## RECYCLING (Clean, Dry & Empty)

- #5 Plastic Containers
- Cardboard boxes/folders/ tubes
- Kraft paper
- Molded Fiber Containers
- Paperboard
- Paper bags or mailers (no bubble wrap inside)
- Paper insulation (Climacell)



## COMPOST



**COMPOSTABLE**  
IN INDUSTRIAL FACILITIES

Check locally, as these do not exist in many communities. **Not suitable for backyard composting.** CERT # SAMPLE

Look for the label! Packaging must be BPI Certified Compostable. Search for products in the [directory](#).

\*Drop-off or mail-in programs may exist. Check [KnowBeforeYouThrow.org](http://KnowBeforeYouThrow.org) for more information.