

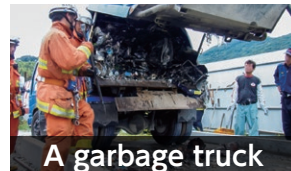
# Separated collection of small rechargeable batteries will begin.

Also it will change applicable products as "Harmful Garbage" of Large Bulky Garbage.

**Addition** "Small Rechargeable Batteries" and "Rechargeable Home Appliances which have small rechargeable batteries which are difficult to remove" will be added to Dangerous Garbage for Large Bulky Garbage.

In recent years, there has been an increase in the number of fire accidents all over Japan when an impact on the rechargeable batteries ignites while collecting or crushing garbage.

In order to prevent fire and disposal of waste safely and securely, small rechargeable batteries and home appliances that have the small rechargeable which are difficult to remove will be collected separately as "Dangerous Garbage" in Large Bulky Garbage.



A garbage truck

The source : A Public Interest Incorporated Foundation  
Japan Containers and Packaging Recycling Association



## What is small rechargeable battery?

Small rechargeable batteries are rechargeable batteries which can be used repeatedly and are used in many products that we use in our daily life.

Most small rechargeable batteries have Recycling marks.



## Lithium ion battery



## Nickel metal hydride battery



## Nickel Cadmium battery



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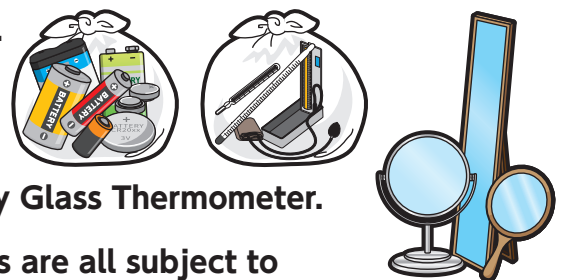
**Change** "Harmful Garbage" of Large Bulky Garbage will change as follows;

Some products which includes a mercury used to be disposed as Harmful Garbage, However, recently it is recognized that it is not harmful to dispose. So we will change applicable products of "Harmful Garbage", which is based on Ministry of the Environment's "Guidelines about sorting and collecting mercury-containing waste products which come out from households".

**1 Mirrors will be removed from "Harmful Garbage".**  
→ Please dispose of them as "Large Bulky Garbage".

**2 We will add items to "Harmful Garbage" such as Mercury Sphygmomanometers and Mercury Thermometers besides Medical Mercury Glass Thermometer.**

**3 Batteries other than small rechargeable batteries are all subject to "Harmful Garbage".** (There are some batteries that can not be collected as Harmful Garbage.)



See 2・3 pages for the details

# Small rechargeable batteries will be added to dangerous garbage in the Large Bulky garbage category, and some items will be changed to harmful garbage.

## Before

Until the end of December, 2022

### Large Bulky Garbage

[2 meters in length or less] [Small crushable items] [Recyclable metal products]

**Large Bulky Garbage**

- Electrical home appliances (except televisions, air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers, washing machines and PCs)
- Metal products
- Furniture
- Bicycles, Handcarts
- Pots, Flower vases (Flower vases, flower pots and jars (except tableware))
- Except Beverage Cans (Cans of food, confectionery, tea leaves, powdered milk, etc.)
- Pillow, stuffed animals, curtain, futon, carpet, feather product
- Long items (Hoses, ropes, wires, cords, etc.)

**Dangerous Garbage**

- Gas cans, spray cans
- Lighters

**Harmful Garbage**

- Mirrors
- Flourescent light lamps
- Mercury thermometers
- Batteries contain mercury

\*No need to make holes in gas or spray cans. Use up contents completely. \*Handle with care. \*Dispose incandescent lamp and LED light bulb as General Garbage.

## After

It will start a trial period ... January, 2023

Implementation ... April, 2023

### Large Bulky Garbage

[2 meters in length or less] [Small crushable items] [Recyclable metal products]

**Large Bulky Garbage**

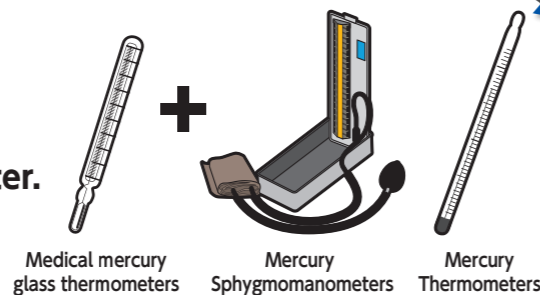
- Electrical home appliances (except televisions, air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers, washing machines, cloth dryers, PCs, and home appliances have rechargeable batteries which are difficult to remove small rechargeable batteries.)
- Metal products
- Furniture
- Bicycles, Handcarts
- Pots, Flower vases (Flower vases, flower pots and jars (except tableware))
- Except Beverage Cans (Cans of food, confectionery, tea leaves, powdered milk, etc.)
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**Mirrors**

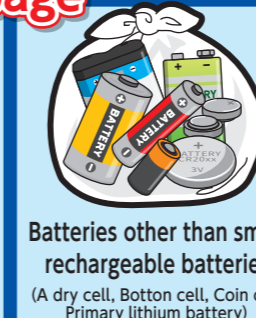
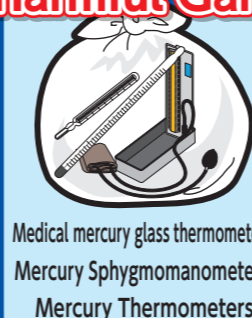
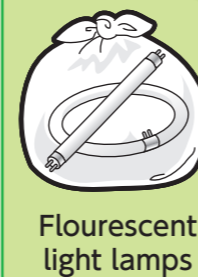
Please dispose of them as "Large Bulky Garbage".

It will be added  
**Mercury Sphygmomanometer and Mercury Thermometer besides Medical Mercury Glass Thermometer.**

\*Put them in a transparent garbage bag and dispose.  
\*These are fragile, and if it breaks, mercury may scatter and flow out. Please handle with care so as not to break.



### Harmful Garbage



### Dangerous Garbage

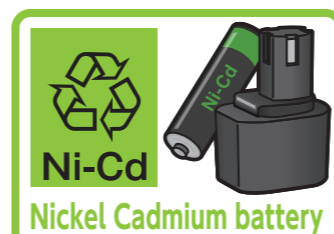


"Batteries other than small rechargeable batteries" will be eligible ones.



**It is not applicable**  
**Lead acid battery, Lead battery (Car battery etc.)**  
Please bring directly to the General Environment Center.

It will add "a small rechargeable battery" that can be removed from the body of home appliance.



\*Recycling marks are different from a written declaration and position depends on the maker. Also there are Recycling marks that have no color.

\*Please dispose of home appliances from which small rechargeable batteries have been removed together with other "Large Bulky Garbage".



It will add "rechargeable home appliances whose small rechargeable batteries are difficult to remove".

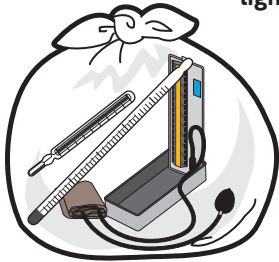


## How to dispose **Harmful Garbage**

Dispose of each items in a separate transparent bag.



Flourescent light lamps



Medical mercury glass thermometers,  
A Mercury Sphygmomanometer,  
A Mercury Thermometer



Batteries other than  
small rechargeable batteries

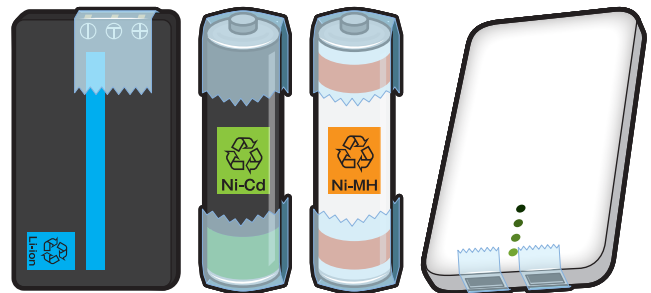
※Flourescent lamps, Medical Mercury Glass Thermometer, Mercury Sphygmomanometers, and Mercury Thermometers are fragile, and if damaged, mercury may scatter or flow out. Please handle with care so as not to break.

## How to dispose **Dangerous Garbage**

- Small rechargeable battery
- Rechargeable home appliances which it is difficult to remove small rechargeable batteries

**1** Insulate the terminals of "Small rechargeable batteries" and "Mobile batteries" with tape.

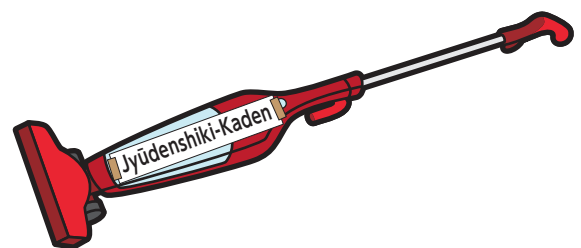
※Because It is highly flammable  
※Avoid hiding Recycling marks



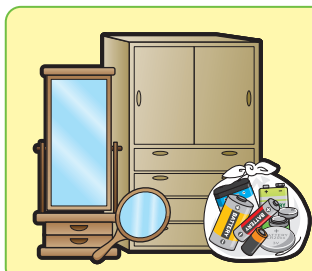
**2** "Small rechargeable batteries" and "Rechargeable home appliances whose small rechargeable batteries are difficult to remove" should be in the same transparent bag and dispose.



**3** If they are too big and not fit in a garbage bag, put out with a paper such as "Jyūdeshiki-Kaden (Rechargeable home appliances)" on it.



## Collection Day



### Large Bulky Garbage

- **Area A** Every Month  
1st Wednesday, 3rd Wednesday
- **Area B** Every Month  
2nd Wednesday, 4th Wednesday

※A part of collection day may differ from the above. Please check an attached caledar for details.

## Inquiry

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