

WHY CAN'T I CONTAINERIZE OVER 7,500 POUNDS DURING PEAK SEASON?

Containerization of shipments over 7,500 pounds during peak season may place a strain on moving truck capacity.

Containers take up more space on the trucks and consume available capacity *very quickly*.

During peak season, when many other DOD members are relocating, these limits help ensure maximum trucking capacity is available for all.



NEED MORE INFORMATION?

CONTACT

Your **local
Transportation
Office**

or

Your **moving
company**
(Transportation
Service Provider)

NEED HELP FINDING YOUR LOCAL TRANSPORTATION OFFICE?



Go to <https://move.mil>

Click **“Tools & Resources”**

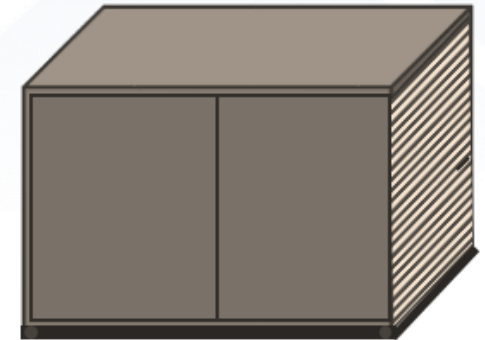
Click **“Find Nearby Locations”**



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CAN I CONTAINERIZE MY MOVE?



YOUR SHIPMENT MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA TO CONTAINERIZE

- You do not have a delivery address
- You require storage-in-transit.
- Your shipment is traveling more than 800 miles.
- Your shipment does NOT contain extra-large items that will not fit into a container (such as motorcycles and over-sized mattresses)
- If your move is between 1 Oct and 14 May, your shipment weight cannot exceed 3,000 pounds.
- If your move is between 15 May and 30 Sep, your shipment weight cannot exceed 7,500 pounds.

If your shipment does not meet the criteria listed here, you may still request a container—but you may have to pay excess costs. Your local transportation office can assist you.

FOR STORAGE-IN-TRANSIT ONLY

The container initiative is designed for shipments going into storage-in-transit.

Shipment in containers is also dependent on what the moving and storage industry is able to provide at the time of your move.



Remember:
Your best move is always a door-to-door move in a standard moving truck (with no storage-in-transit).

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THRESHOLD
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