
Storage & Filing

Q1. Lateral vs. vertical file cabinet — which should I buy?

A: Lateral for shared filing areas (holds more files, handles both letter and legal, better use of wall space). Vertical for tight spots and individual workstations (smaller footprint, lower cost).

Q2. What material is best for office storage?

A: Steel for durability in functional storage areas. Laminate for a polished look in client-facing or executive spaces. Mixing both in the same office is smart and common.

Q3. Do I need locking cabinets?

A: If you store personnel records, financial documents, medical files, or any privacy-regulated data — yes. Locking is also good practice for any cabinet storing supplies that shouldn't be freely accessible.

Q4. What's a mobile pedestal?

A: A 3-drawer under-desk storage unit on casters. One goes at each workstation — it has a box drawer, pencil tray, and a file drawer that handles letter-size hanging files. Rolls under standard desks.

Q5. Does FOF offer free shipping on filing cabinets?

A: Yes — all qualifying orders ship free, with no freight surprises. Heavy steel cabinets from other suppliers often add \$100–\$300 in freight charges. Our price is the price you pay.
