RICOH AFICIO C4500 TONER CARTRIDGE

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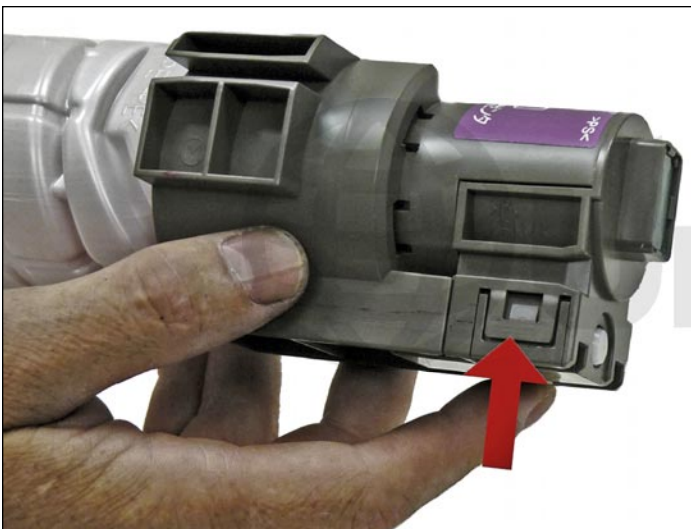# REMANUFACTURING THE RICOH AFICIO C4500 TONER CARTRIDGE

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The Ricoh C4500 toner cartridges are rated for 23,000 pages black and 17,000 pages color.

The cartridge part numbers are 888604 Black, 888605 Cyan, 888606 Magenta, and 888605 Yellow.

There is a chip used on this cartridge that must be replaced each cycle.

1. On the end cap, locate the two large tabs on both sides.

2. Press the white button in so it's slightly behind the plastic wall.

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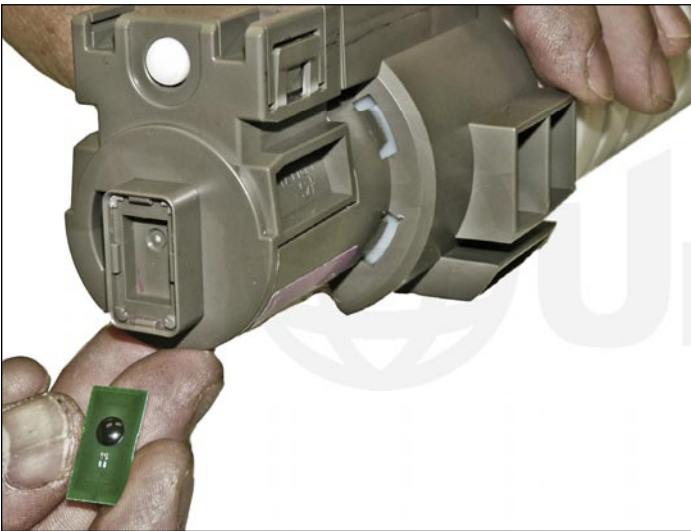3. Gently pry up the tabs and pry the port cover off.

4. Clean out all the toner from the toner port and the tube. Fill the tube with toner for use in the Ricoh Aficio C4500 toner cartridges.

5. Replace the cleaned port cover. Press the white button assembly from the back so that it is fully extended.

6. To remove the chip, slice off the two corner tabs with a chisel or sharp knife.

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7. Slide out the chip and replace.

8. With a hot glue gun, place a small amount of glue on each of the corners that were removed.