



Acer Aspire 4520-5464 Keyboard Replacement

How to replace the keyboard of an Acer Aspire 4520-5464 laptop.

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INTRODUCTION

This guide will show you how to replace the keyboard of an Acer Aspire 4520-5464 laptop. The keyboard is used to type and use commands on the laptop.

TOOLS:

- [Phillips #1 Screwdriver](#) (1)
- [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)

Step 1 — Battery



- Shut down the computer and disconnect all external devices and cables.
- Flip the computer over.

Step 2



- Ensure that the battery compartment lock tab is in the unlocked position.
- Slide the sliding black tab away from the battery compartment.
- The inside edge of the battery should be released, causing it to slightly pop out of the compartment.

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Step 3



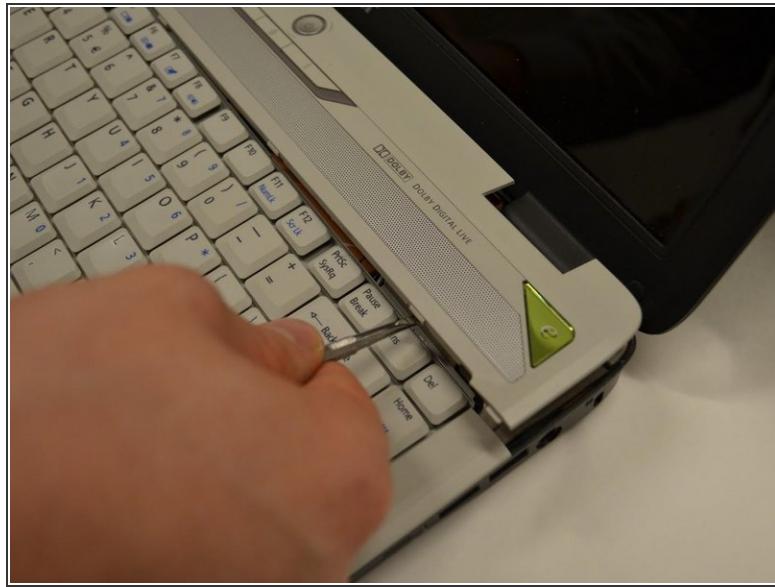
- Grasp the inside edge of the battery and lift to fully detach the battery from the computer.

Step 4 — Keyboard



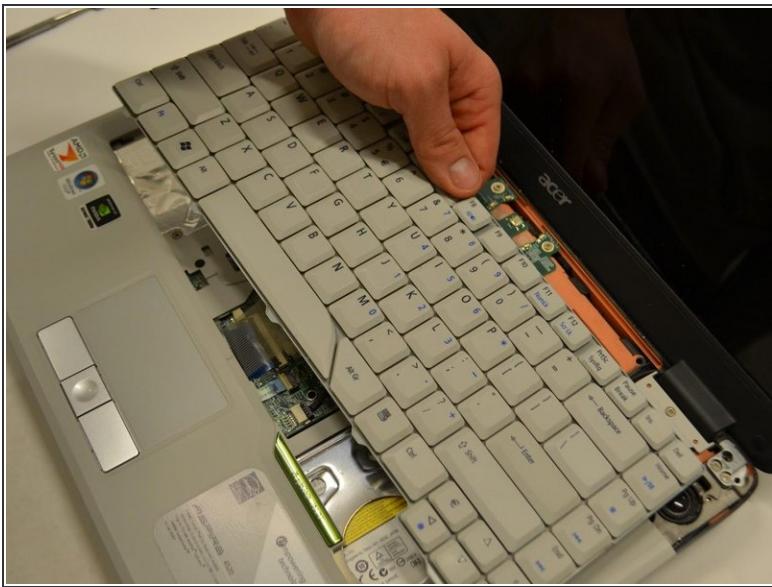
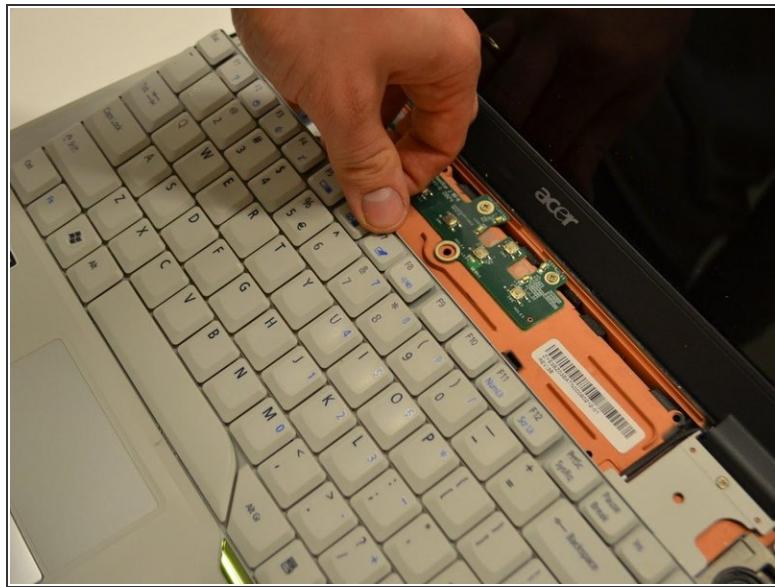
- Remove the five 1mm Phillips #1 screws located inside of the battery compartment.
- Remove the three 2mm Phillips #1 screws located at the top of the case's perimeter.

Step 5



- Remove the gray plastic section located above the keyboard using the prying tool.
- Lift off of the keyboard.

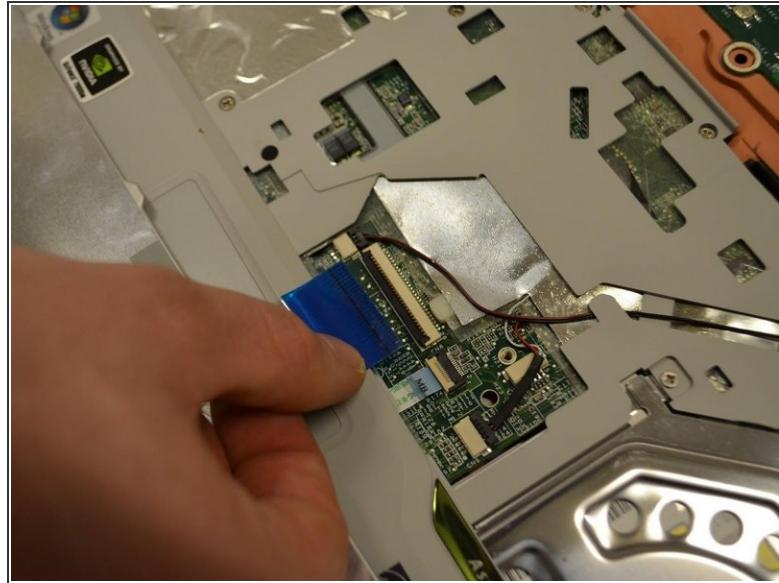
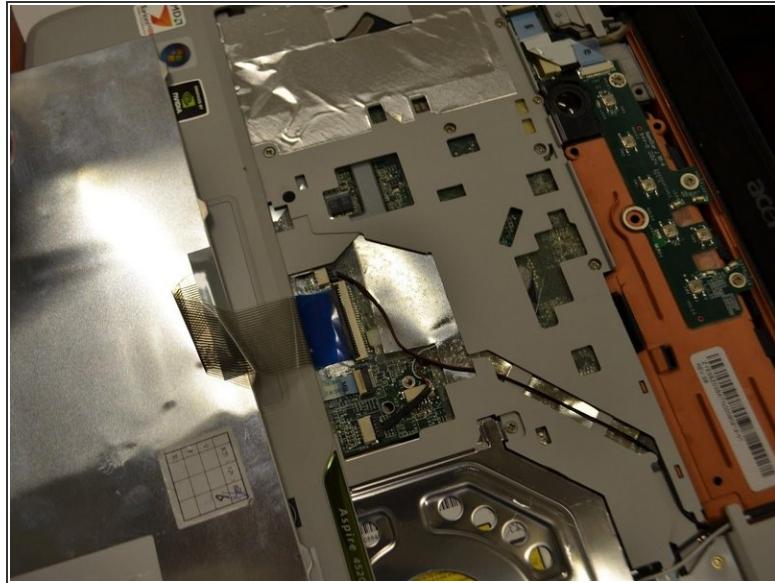
Step 6



- Take hold of the keyboard behind the function keys and lift gently.

⚠ Do not completely separate the keyboard from the laptop.

Step 7



- Lift up the black locking tab located where the keyboard is attached to the laptop.
- Pull the keyboard cable towards the trackpad and remove the keyboard.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order using your new keyboard.