



Acer Aspire 4743-6481 DVD Drive Replacement

This guide provides detailed instructions on how to remove and replace the DVD Drive form the Acer Aspire 4743-6481.

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INTRODUCTION

If you are having trouble opening your DVD drive or reading CDs with it, use this guide to replace it with a new one.

TOOLS:

- [Tweezers \(1\)](#)
- [Phillips #000 Screwdriver \(1\)](#)

Step 1 — Battery



- Turn over the laptop to view the underside.

Step 2



- Use tweezers (or a similar tool) to slide the orange push pin. To release the battery, push it to the left.

Step 3

- You can lift the battery up and out now.



Step 4 — DVD Drive

- Remove the 7.0 mm screw, circled in the picture, using a Phillips head screwdriver.



Step 5



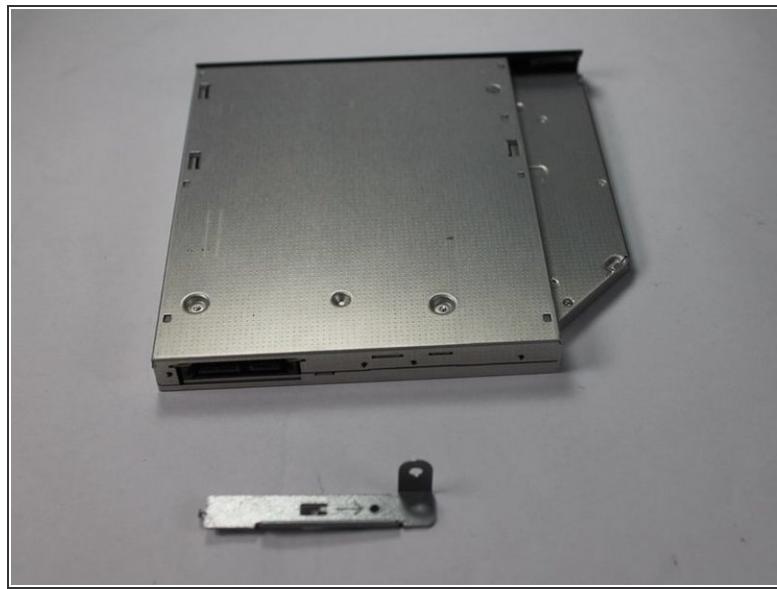
- Once the screw is removed, the DVD drive should easily slide out

Step 6



- Remove the drive completely.

Step 7



- Face the side of the DVD drive that connects to the laptop and remove the 3mm screw with a Phillips head screwdriver.
- Put the screw and the bracket to the side as you may need it for your replacement.

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