



Acer Aspire 5734z-4836 Keyboard Replacement

Replace your sticky or damaged keyboard to better your Acer Aspire.

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INTRODUCTION

The keyboard replacement is a simple replacement guide, but to remove the panel some force may be necessary.

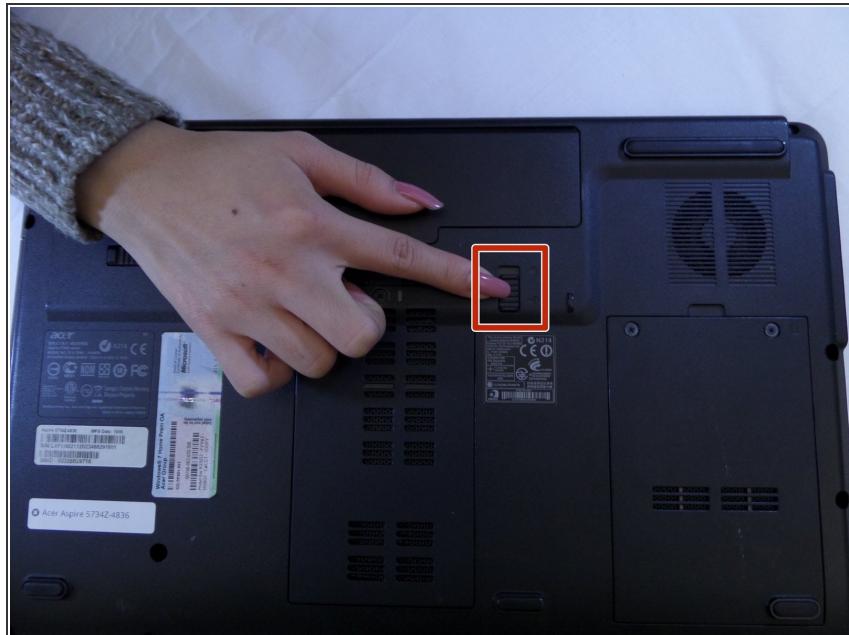
Step 1 — Battery



 Before removing the battery, power off your laptop and disconnect the AC adapter.

- Flip your laptop on its back so the battery is facing up and the hinges are facing away from you.

Step 2



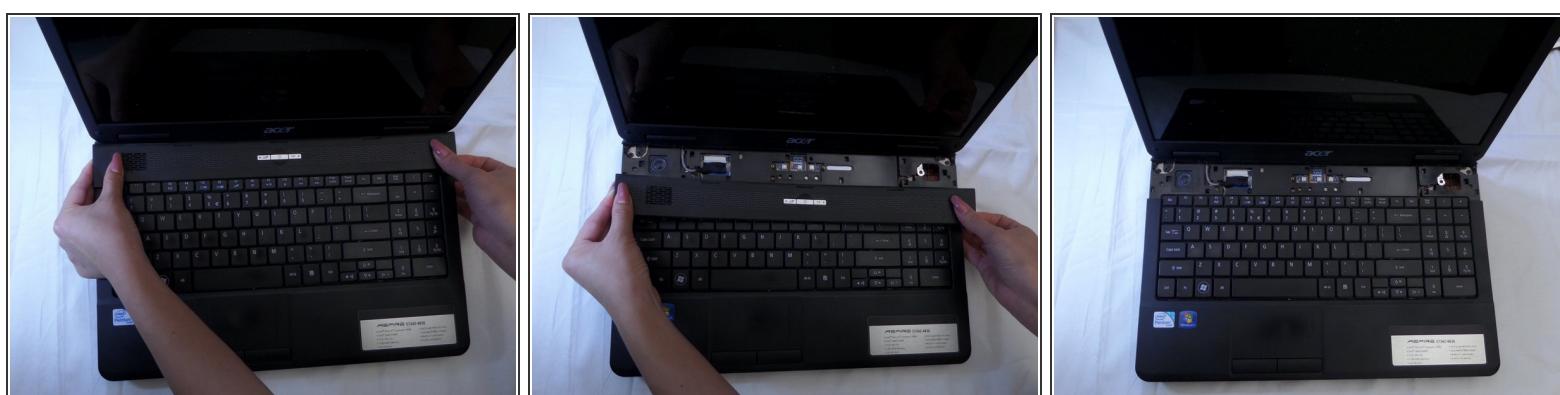
- Slide the right latch down to unlock the battery.

Step 3



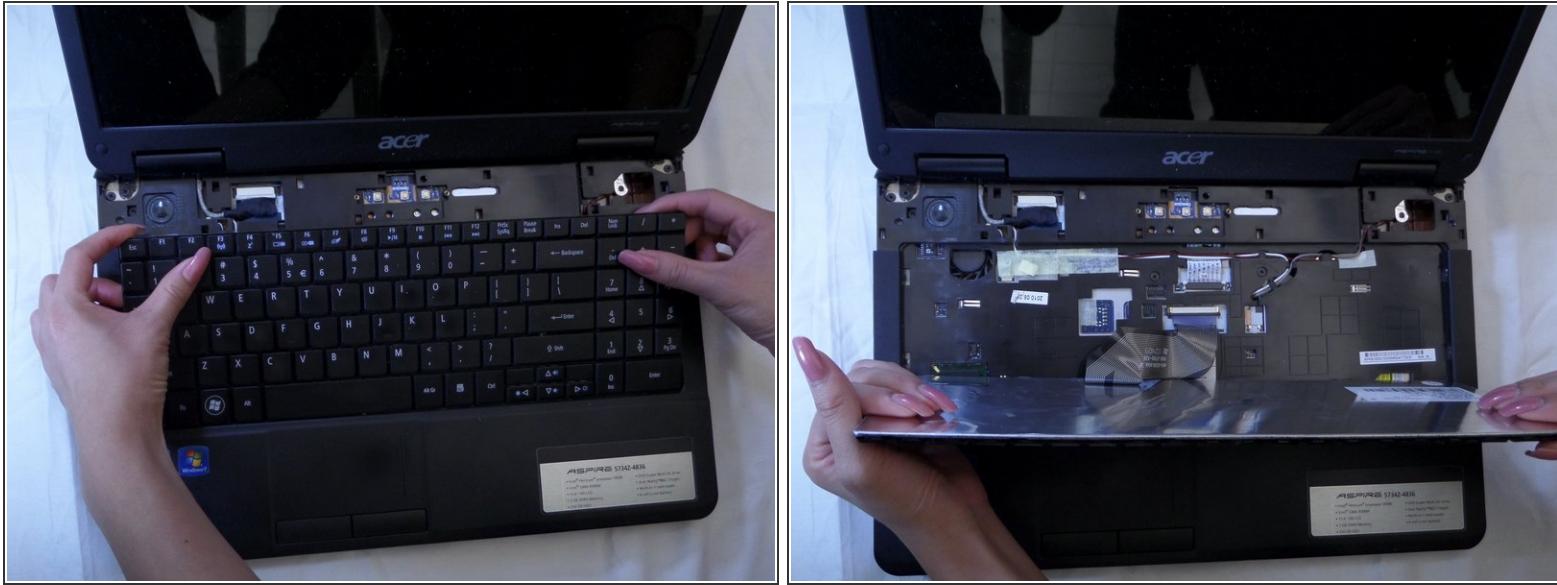
- Slide and hold the left latch below the battery.
- While holding this latch in place, pry the battery up from its bottom edge.
- Lift the old battery out of its compartment.

Step 4 — Keyboard



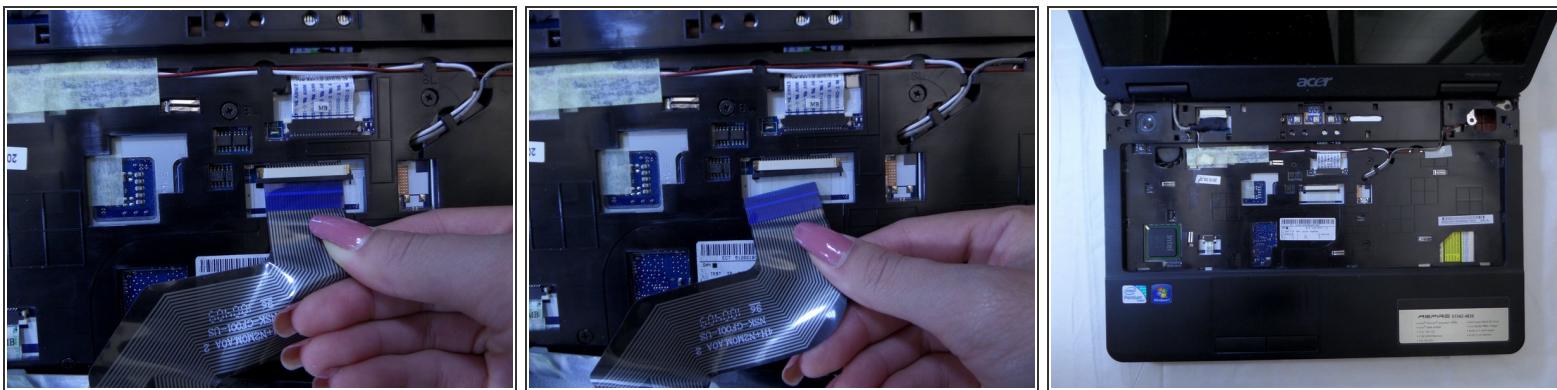
- Pinch the edges of the plastic covering above the keyboard, and pull away from the laptop until the covering pops off.
- (i)* By using a bit of force some clicks will be heard when removing the cover.

Step 5



- Pull the keyboard off gently so not to damage the keyboard ribbon cable.
- *i* Multiple clicks may be heard as you pull the keyboard off.

Step 6



- Using a spudger or your finger, unlock the ZIF connector holding the keyboard ribbon in place by lifting the black locking lever.
 - Pull the blue keyboard ribbon cable from the ZIF connector.
- ★ When reinstalling a new keyboard, insert the ribbon in the same way the old keyboard's ribbon was removed.

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