



Acer Aspire TimelineX 1830T-68U118

Bluetooth Replacement

Replace the Bluetooth board.

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INTRODUCTION

This guide will help you locate and replace the Bluetooth.

TOOLS:

- [Spudger \(1\)](#)
- [iFixit Opening Tools \(1\)](#)
- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver \(1\)](#)

Step 1 — Battery



- Turn your laptop over, and find the laptop battery release button locks for your Acer laptop.

Step 2



- Hold the battery release button, and pull the battery out of the laptop.

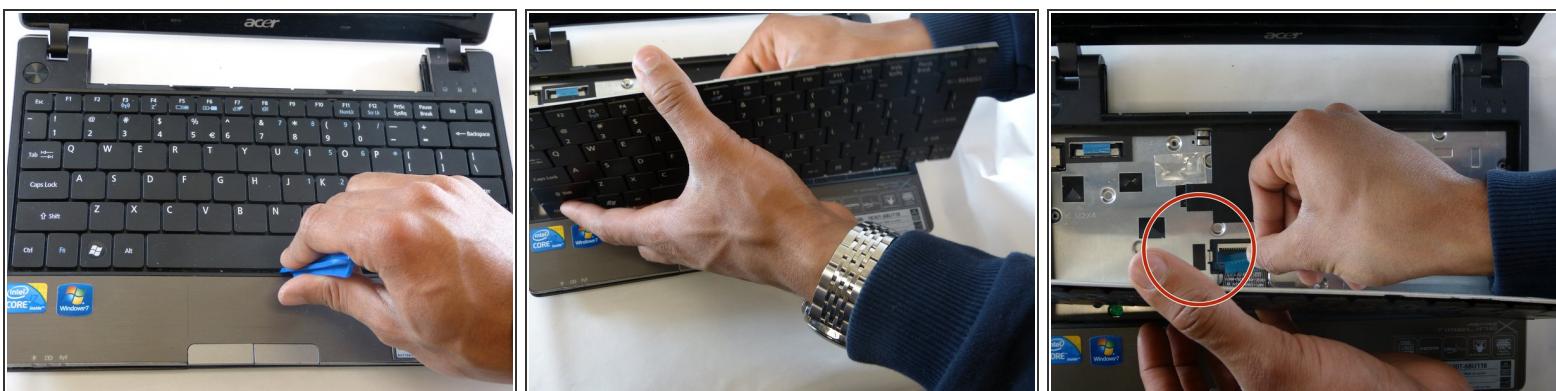
Step 3 — Fan



 Remove battery before beginning.

- Use a Phillips #0 screwdriver to remove the 5 screws from the bottom cover.
- Pry open the cover using the Spudger tool.

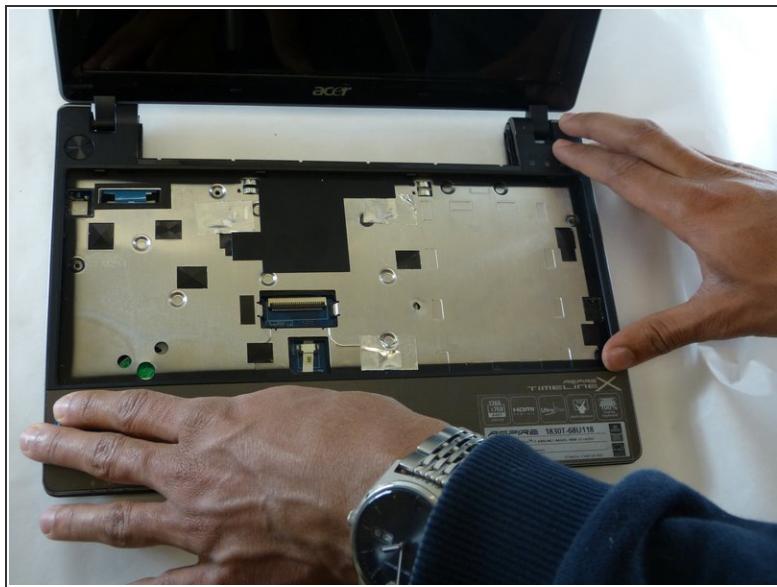
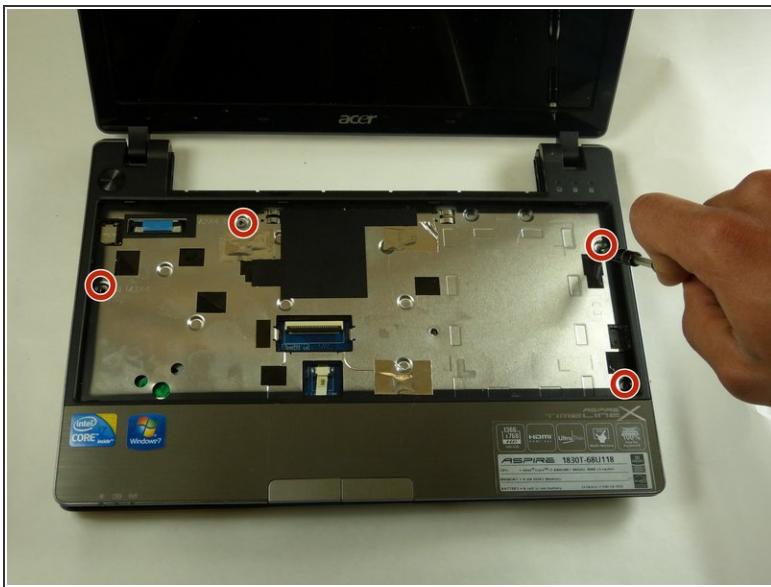
Step 4



- Remove the keyboard with a plastic opening tool or spudger.
-  There is a plastic film that needs to be gently peeled from the laptop base.

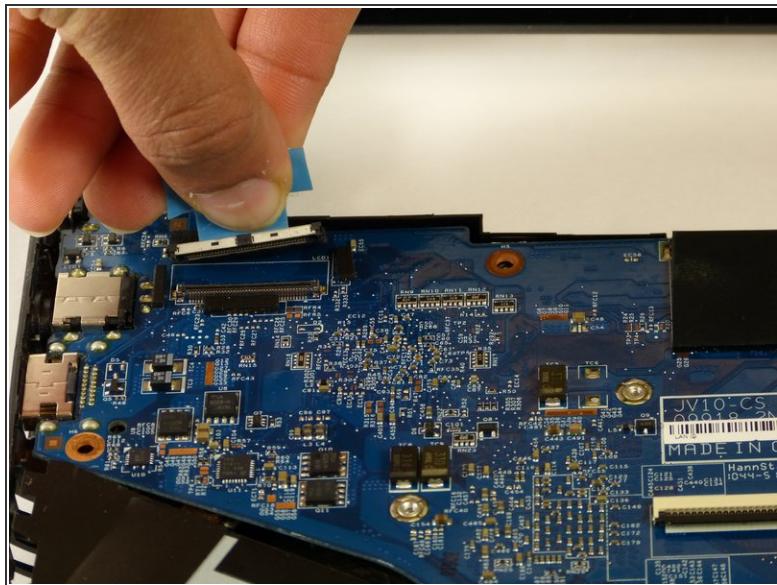
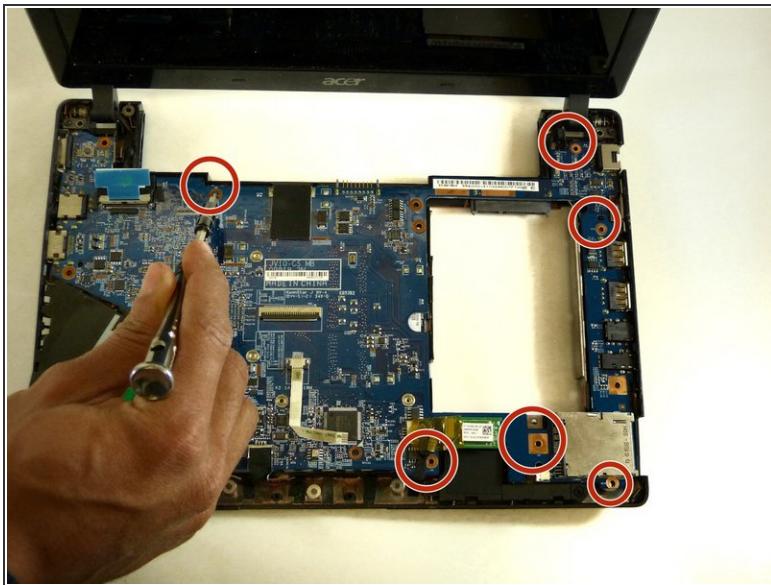
 Use caution when removing the keyboard as it is fragile.

Step 5



- Use a Phillips #0 screwdriver to remove the 4 screws from the motherboard shield.

Step 6



- Remove the motherboard from the base of the laptop by unscrew the screw drivers using PH0 mm Phillips Head.
- Carefully remove the charger attachment in the top left.

Step 7



- Carefully remove the fan from the motherboard by detaching the plastic insert as seen in the pictures

Step 8 — Bluetooth



- Detach the covered wires that connect the motherboard to the Bluetooth.
- Remove the Bluetooth module by hand to then replace it.

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