



HP Envy M6-1205DX Front Plate Replacement

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INTRODUCTION

This guide explains how to remove the front panel (and the keyboard) on the HP Envy m6-1205dx laptop.

TOOLS:

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

Step 1 — Battery



- Lay the device face down to begin.

Step 2



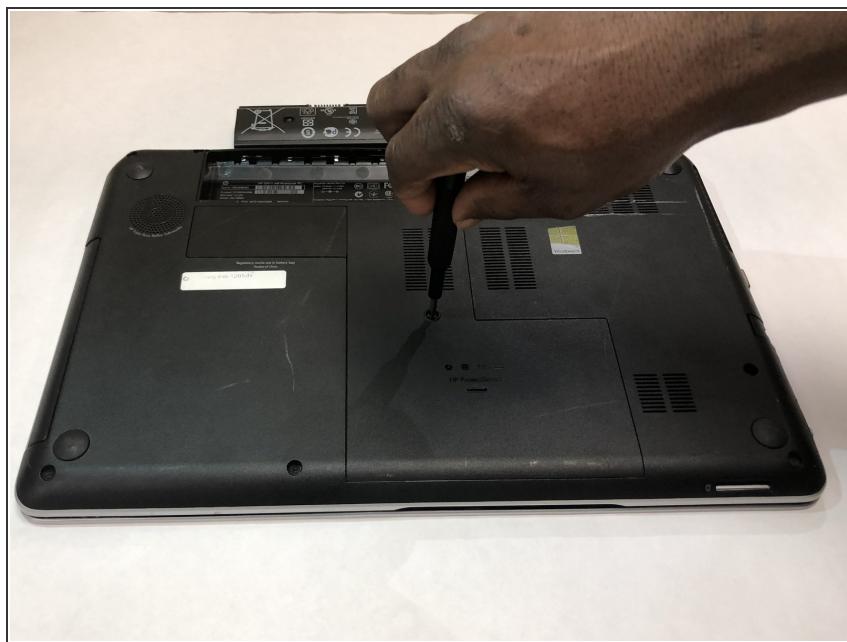
- Slide the release mechanism to the left to release the battery.

Step 3



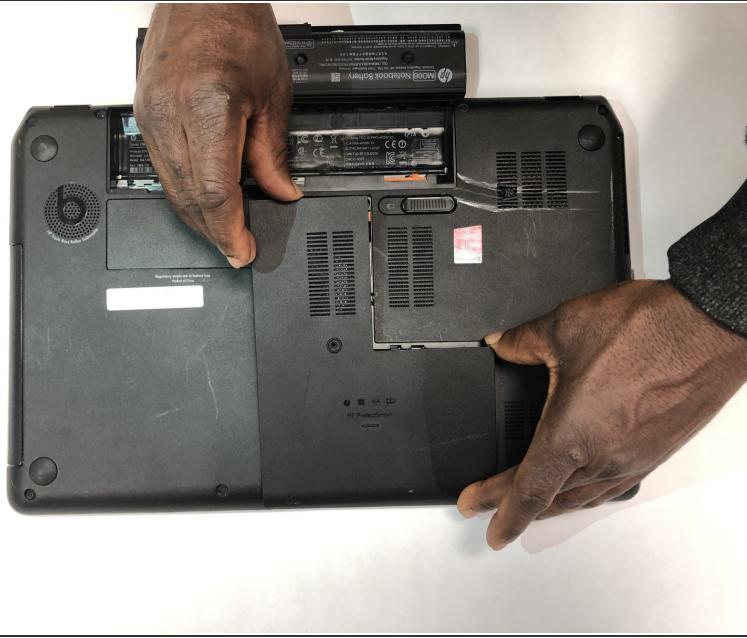
- Remove the battery.

Step 4 — Back Panel



- Using a Phillips #1 screwdriver, remove the 8.6 mm screw.

Step 5



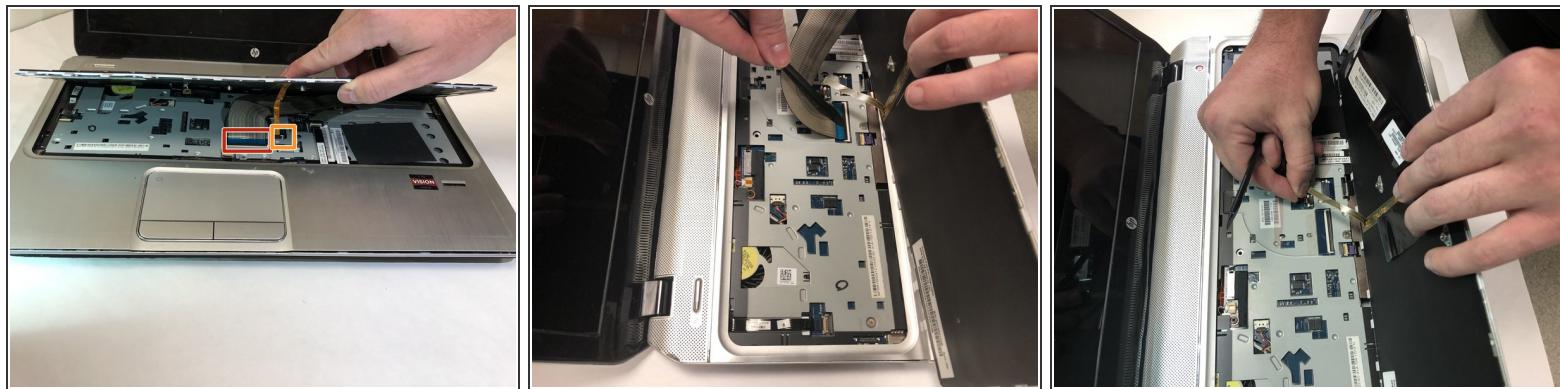
- Slide the center panel down to remove it.

Step 6 — Front Plate



- Set the computer facing upwards again.
- Using the plastic opening tool gently pry the keyboard up.

Step 7



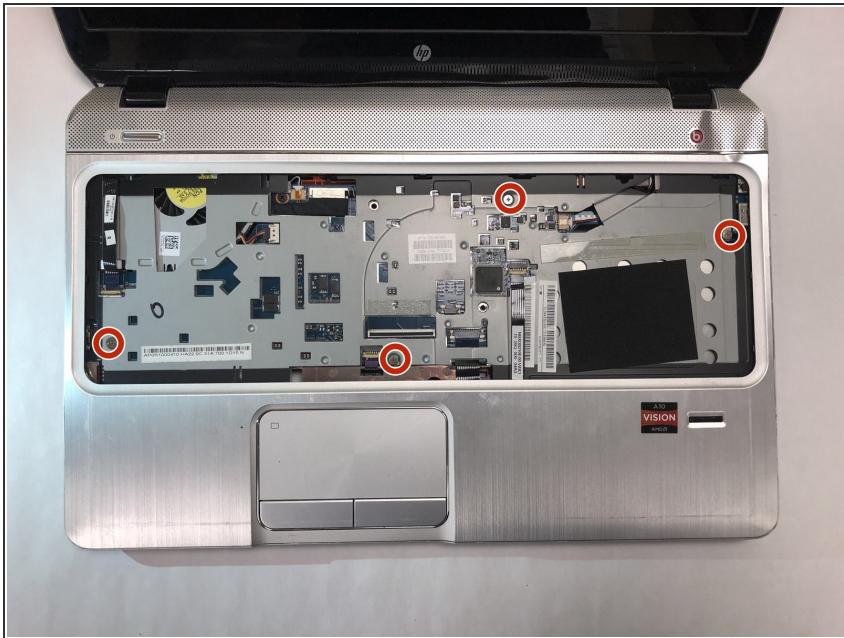
- Flip the white tab on the large ribbon cable upward. Gently pull the large ribbon cable out to remove it.
- Gently pull the small ribbon cable out to remove it.

Step 8



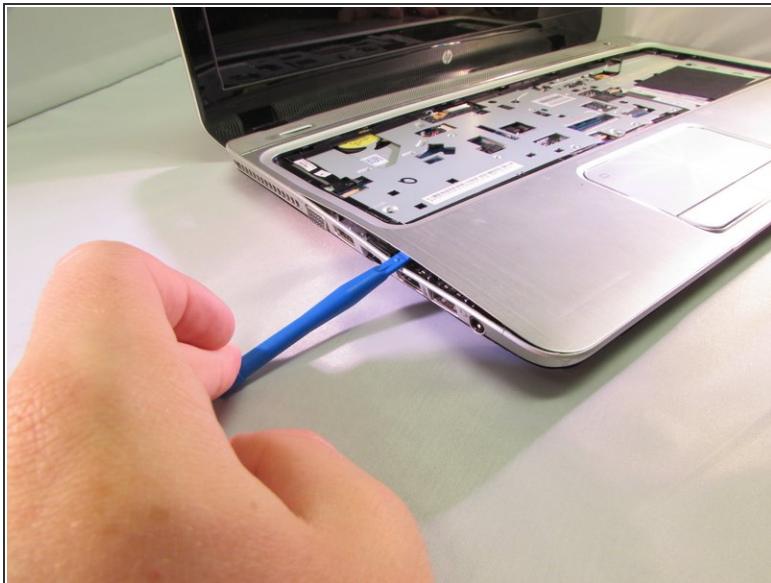
- Gently pull the tension cable to remove it.
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Step 9



- Using a Phillips #1 screwdriver, remove the four 5.6 mm silver screws.

Step 10



- Use the plastic opening tool to loosen the face plate from rest of the frame.
- Once you pry all of the snaps up lift off the face plate.

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