



# Lenovo IdeaPad Y500 Keyboard Replacement

Follow these steps to remove the Lenovo IdeaPad Y500 keyboard.

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## INTRODUCTION

Utilize this guide to remove the keyboard from your device.

### TOOLS:

- [Phillips #1 Screwdriver](#) (1)
- [Spudger](#) (1)

## Step 1 — Battery



- Slide the lock on the right side until you hear a click. Once you hear a click, you should see the color red.

## Step 2



- Unlike the first lock, this lock is spring loaded and must be held in place when used.
- Slide the lock to the left (in the direction of the arrow below the lock) and hold in place.

## Step 3



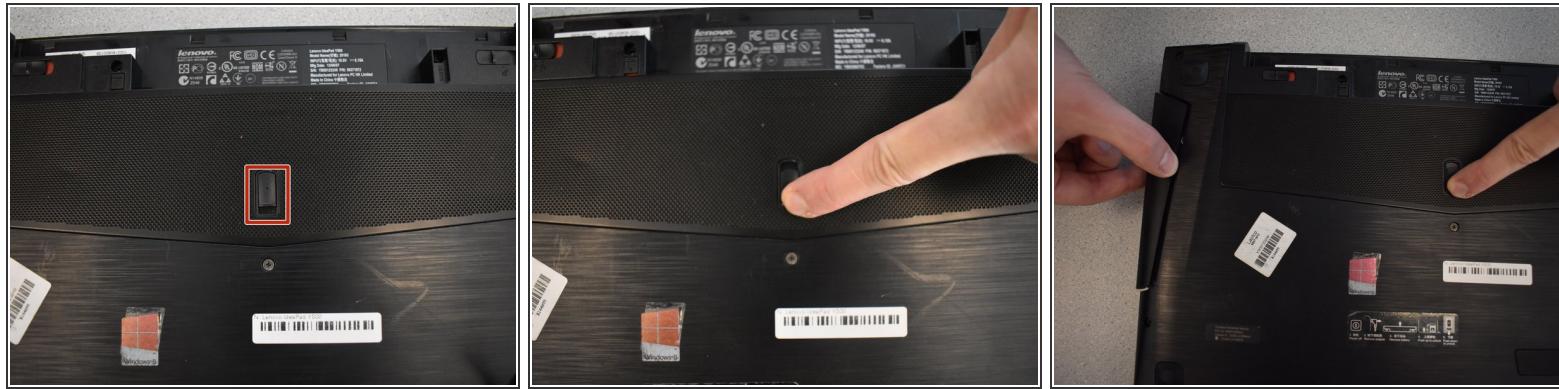
- Gently pull battery away from the computer while holding open the lock.

## Step 4 — Keyboard



- Unlock the battery latch by pulling it up.
- It should reveal red underneath when it's unlocked.

## Step 5



- Push the latch down and then hold in position.
- Pull the optical drive out.

## Step 6



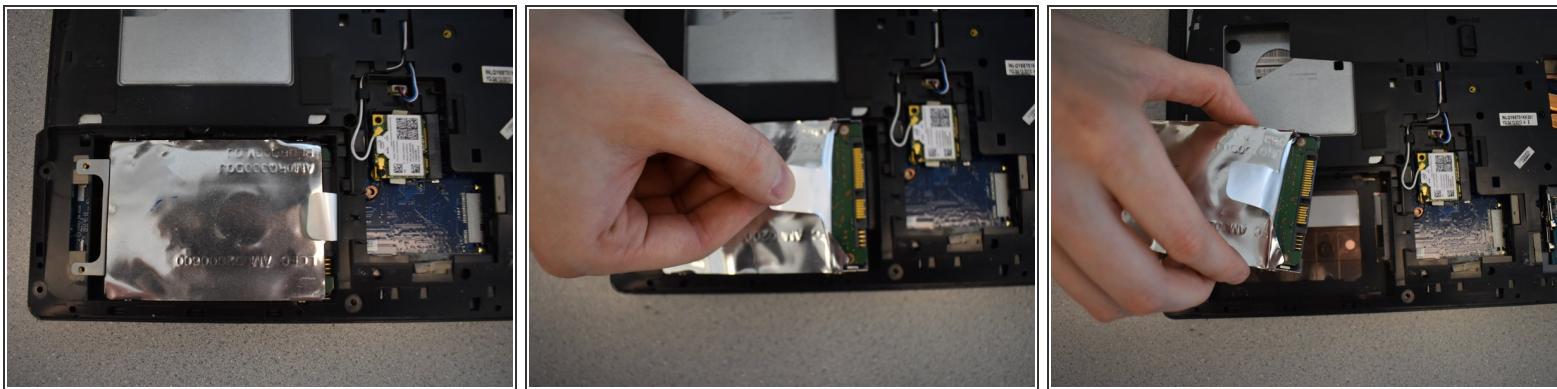
- Remove nine screws with a Phillips #1 screwdriver.

## Step 7



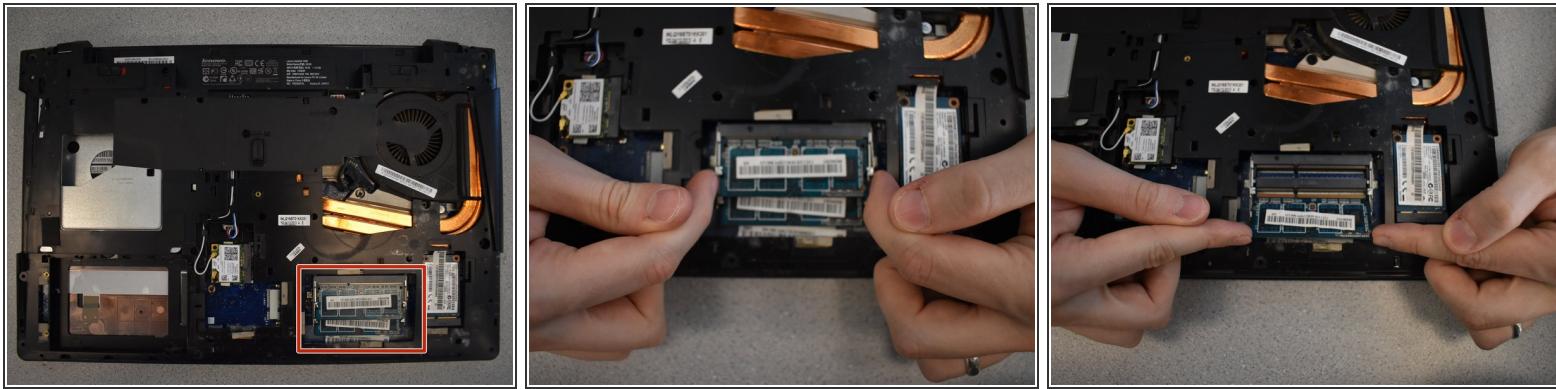
- Pull up on the loosened cover to remove.
- Remove two screws with a Phillips #1 screwdriver.

## Step 8



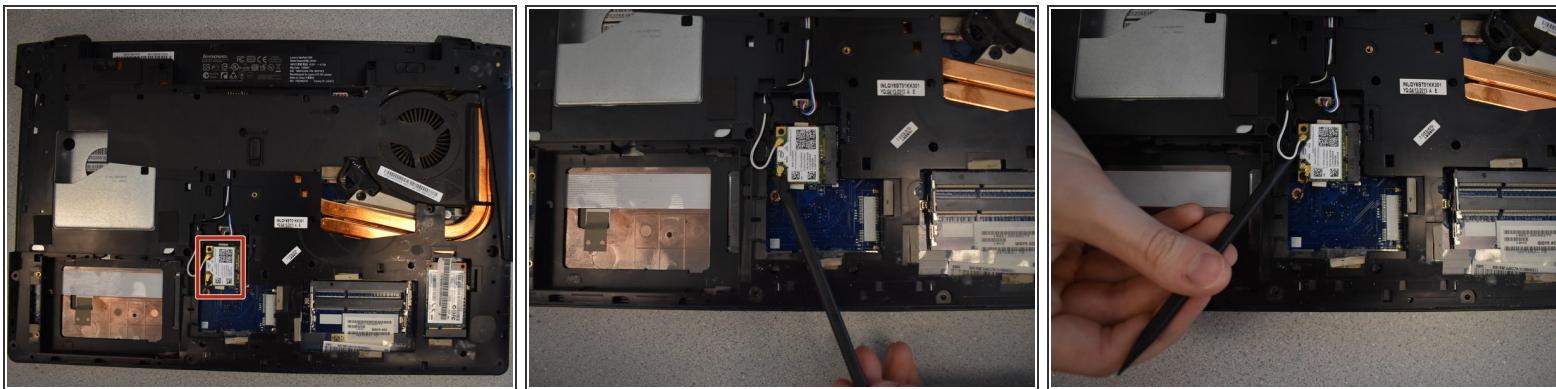
- Pull the tab straight to the left until part releases.
- Lift up the part to remove completely.

## Step 9



- To release the DIMM, pull the tabs on either side away from each other simultaneously.
- The DIMM will pop out on its own.

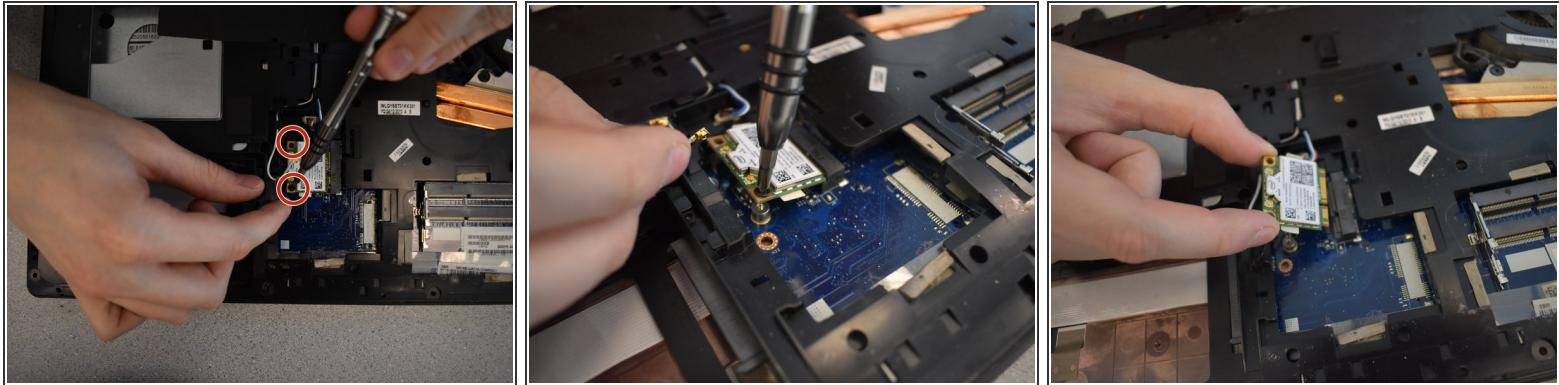
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- To disconnect the Wi-Fi cables, use a spudger to gently push up under them.

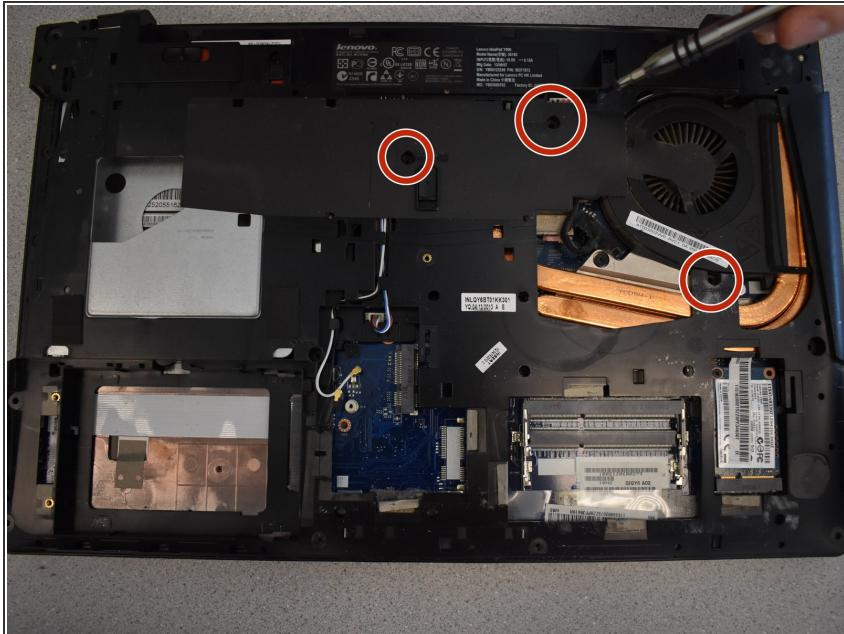
**⚠** Wi-Fi cables are delicate.

## Step 11



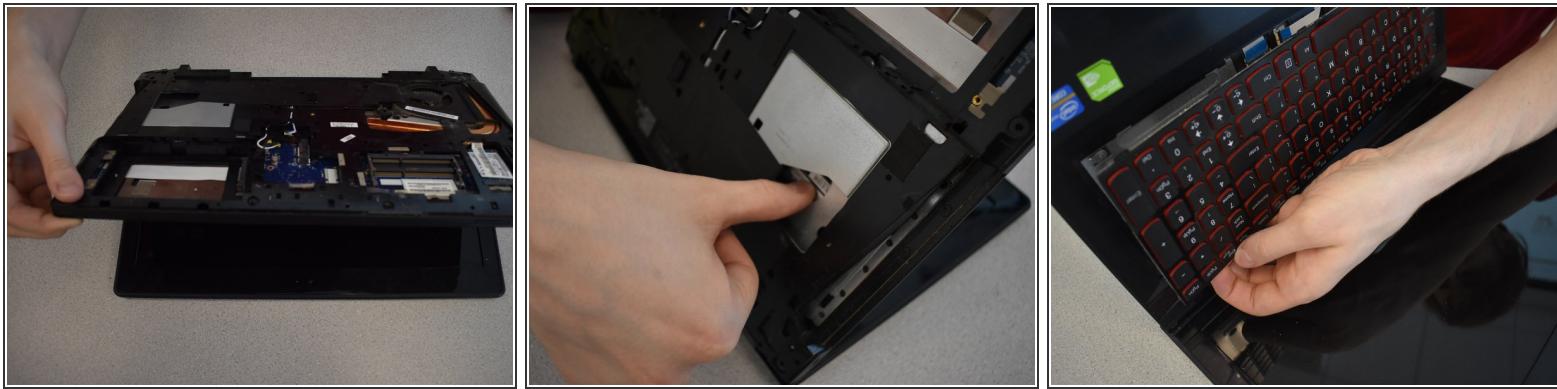
- Using a Phillips #1 screwdriver, remove the two screws.
- Once screws are out, the card will just pop out.

## Step 12



- Remove three screws using a Phillips #1 screwdriver.

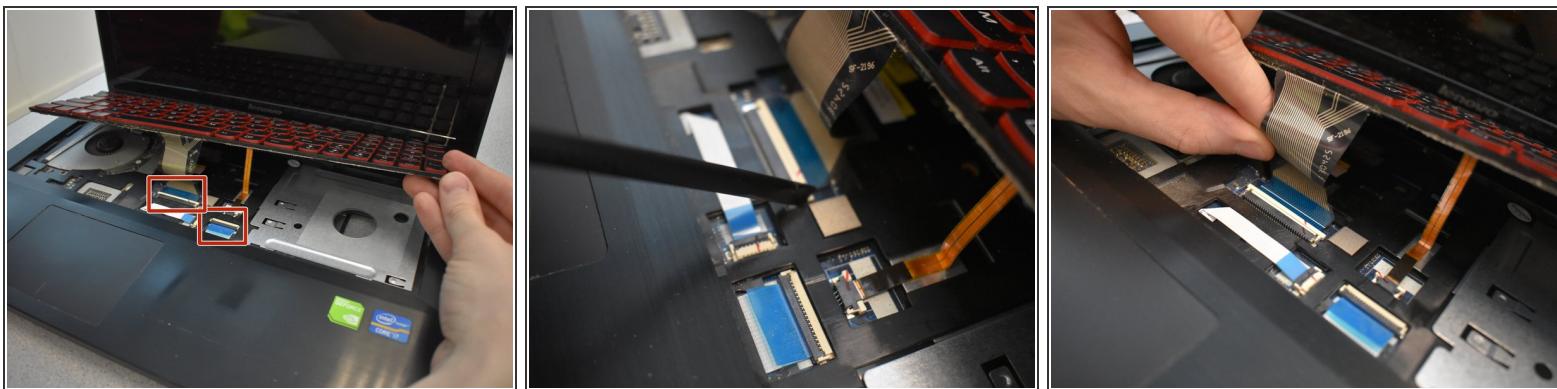
## Step 13



- With the laptop upside down, open slightly.
- To remove the keyboard, push the back of the keyboard forward with your thumb while pulling away from the laptop on the other side.

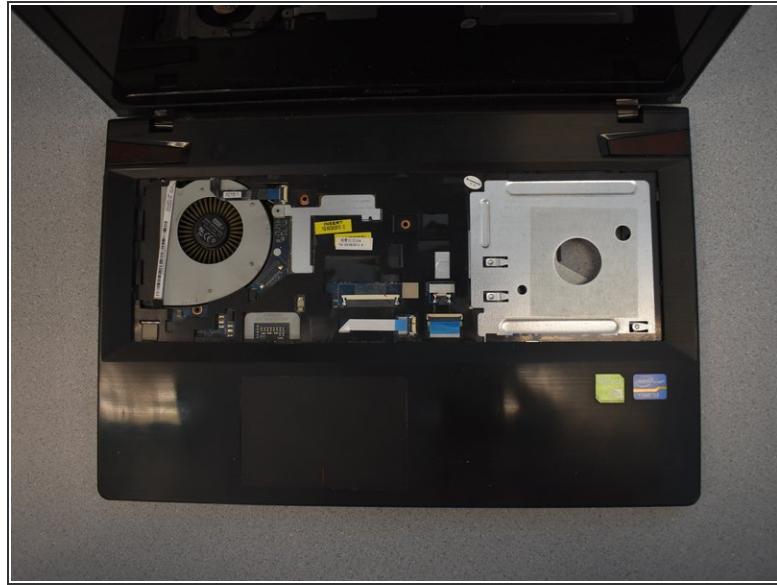
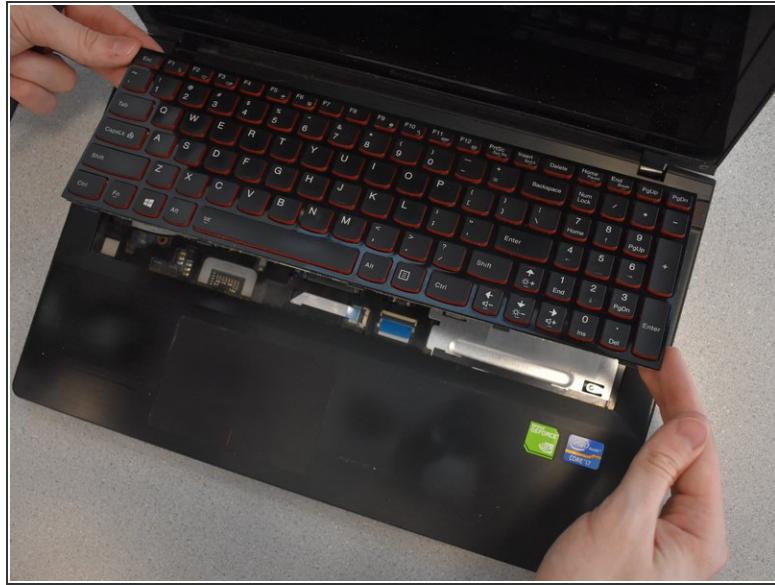
! You will not be able to pull the keyboard completely away. The cables are still connected to the laptop.

## Step 14



- To release the cables, use the spudger to push both ends on the side of the cable.
- Gently pull the cables up to disconnect.

## Step 15



- Pull the keyboard up and away from the laptop to remove it.

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