

Huawei P10 Lite Front Facing Camera Replacement

This guide shows how to replace the front facing camera in your Huawei P10 Lite.

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INTRODUCTION

Use this guide to replace the front facing camera in your Huawei P10 smartphone. When reassembling your phone apply new adhesive where it is necessary.



TOOLS:

- iFixit Opening Picks set of 6 (1)
- iFlex Opening Tool (1)
- Tweezers (1)

Step 1 — Back cover







- Insert the tip of an opening pick between the back cover and the mid frame and slide it around the phone, to cut the adhesive.
 - Using a suction handle to lift the back cover may help to get an initial gap for the opening pick to put in.
 - (i) If the adhesive is hard to cut, <u>use an iOpener</u> to loosen it.







- After you cut the adhesive on every edge, twist your opening pick, to separate the rear cover from the phone.
- Flip the rear cover over to the right side of the phone.





- Use a pair of tweezers to remove the sticker.
- Remove the two Phillips #00 screws.
- Remove the four 2.5 mm Phillips #00 screws.



- Use tweezers to remove the mainboard shield.
- Use the flat end of a spudger to disconnect the finger print sensor flex cable.
 - (i) When reassembling apply new adhesive where it is necessary.

Step 5 — Motherboard

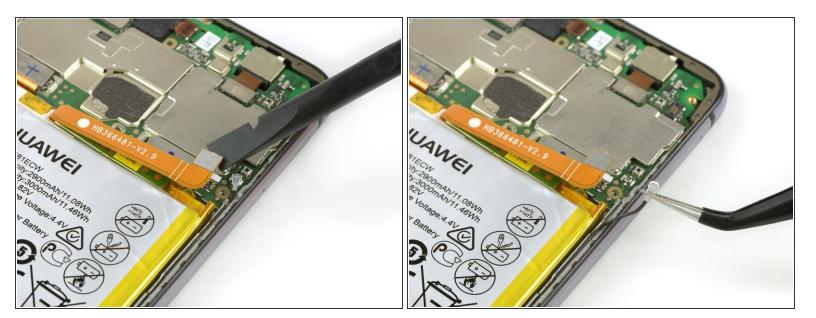




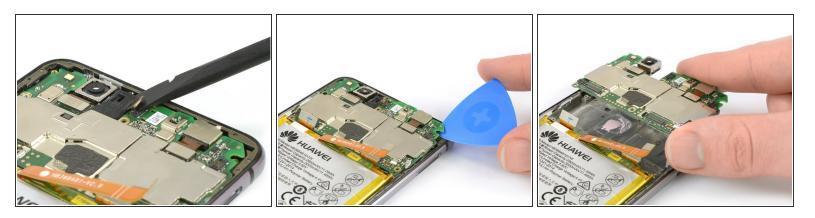
- Remove the three Phillips #000 screws.
- Use tweezers to remove the two metal shields which cover the flex cables on the mainboard.



Use the flat end of a spudger to disconnect the volume and power button, the display and the main flex cable.



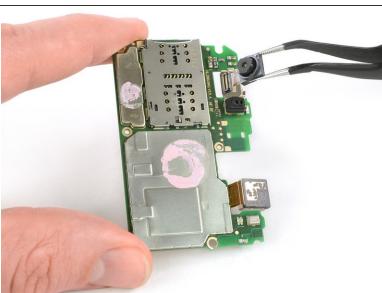
- Disconnect the battery flex cable with a spudger.
- Unplug the antenna cable with tweezers.



- Disconnect the headphone jack flex cable with the flat end of a spudger.
- Use an opening pick to pry out the motherboard until you can get a good grip.
- ↑ Both camera are still attached to the motherboard. Don't damage them while you remove it.
- Remove the motherboard.
 - if you want to replace your motherboard you need to disconnect both cameras and transfer them to your spare part.
- On the back of the motherboard there are thermal pads (pink rubber-like gobs) for heat dissipation. If these thermal pads broke or are too dried out you might need to <u>apply new thermal pads</u> on the new display assembly or the motherboard.

Step 9 — Front Facing Camera





- Disconnect the flex cable of the front facing camera with a spudger.
- Flip the motherboard and grab the front facing camera with tweezers. Thread the flex cable through the gap in the motherboard.
- Remove the front facing camera.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order. When reassembling your phone apply new adhesive where it is necessary.