



Bracelet Clasp Replacement

Replace the clasp and jump ring of a broken bracelet.

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INTRODUCTION

This guide will aid you in replacing the clasp to fix a broken bracelet. It will walk you through how to open and close a jump ring and then how to reattach the bracelet clasp. By doing so, you will be able to reattach a bracelet clasp on most types of bracelets for little to no cost.



TOOLS:

- [Small Needle Nose Pliers](#) (1)



PARTS:

- [Jump Ring](#) (1)
- [Clasp](#) (1)

Step 1 — Bracelet clasp



- The clasp and metal ring (jump ring) need to be replaced.
- Replace the jump ring first and then the clasp.
- ⓘ The correct size of a jump ring corresponds to the others on the bracelet.
- Be sure the correct clasp for the bracelet is present.

Step 2



- Use the needle-nose pliers to grasp the jump ring on its side, away from the break in the ring.

Step 3



- Open the jump ring with the needle-nose pliers by holding one side of the ring with the pliers and the other side with your fingers.
- ⓘ Another set of needle-nose pliers can be used if the jump ring is too small to grasp.

Step 4



- Attach the new, opened jump ring with the needle-nose pliers.
- ⓘ Here, there are two corresponding rings that the jump ring must be inserted through.

Step 5



- Hold the clasp in one hand and the pliers in the other.
- Attach the new clasp to the opened jump ring being held by the needle-nose pliers by sliding the jump ring through all corresponding rings, including the clasp.

Step 6



- Use the needle-nose pliers to close the jump ring by squeezing the two arms of the ring together.
- ⓘ Be sure to close the jump ring vertically between the two arms of the pliers. The jump ring should be parallel to the arms of the pliers.

Step 7



- Use the needle-nose pliers to tighten the jump ring, with the jump ring perpendicular to the two arms of the pliers.

Step 8



- Test that the clasp and jump ring are properly attached by holding the bracelet from the clasp and suspending the rest of the bracelet.
- ⓘ If the bracelet successfully holds while suspended, the bracelet clasp and jump ring fix is successful.

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