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## How To Replace A Retrofit Sliding Door Tools and Supplies

*This will be a 2-person job.  
Have a second person that will be able to help carry the door.*

### Tools:

- Tape measure.
- Cordless drill.
- Assorted drill bits and screw tips.
- 4-foot level.
- Utility knife with sharp blades.
- Caulking gun.
- Phillips screw driver.
- Flat head screw driver.
- Scraper or chisel.
- Flat bar.
- Hammer.
- Reciprocating saw (Sawsall).
- Hand saw or circular saw.
- Table saw.
- Dremel tool with wood cutting blade.

Harbor Freight is a great place to buy inexpensive tools. If you are a professional, spend a little more and buy name brand power tools. They last longer and will work better.

## Supplies:

- New sliding door.
- (1) small roll of 4" Jiffy Seal.
- Clean rags.
- (6) tubes of Vulkem or pure high quality silicone.
- (1) bundle of wood shims.
- 2-inch, 2 ½ - inch and 3-inch gold phillips head deck screws.
- (3) 8-foot 1"x2" bates.
- (3) 8-foot 2"x2" vinyl corner molding.
- (2) rolls of double stick tape.
- (1) white water based caulking.
- (1) can of expanding foam (optional – to fill space from new to old jamb).
- Proper cleaning solutions.

Most supply stores will return unopened items for a full refund with the receipt. I always purchase extra silicone, double stick tape and rags.

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