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Presario 1200XL Series
Model XL300, XL300A, and XL300B

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Preface

This *Maintenance and Service Guide* is a troubleshooting guide that is used as a reference guide when servicing the Compaq Presario 1200 Series Notebook Computers.

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WARNING: Text set off in this manner indicates that a failure to follow directions in the warning could result in bodily harm or loss of life.



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Technician Notes



WARNING: Only authorized technicians trained by Compaq should repair this equipment. All troubleshooting and repair procedures are detailed to allow only subassembly/module level repair. Because of the complexity of the individual boards and subassemblies, the user should not attempt to make repairs at the component level or to make modifications to any printed circuit board. Improper repairs can create a safety hazard. Any indications of component replacement or printed circuit board modifications may void any warranty.

Serial Number

When requesting information or ordering spare parts, you should provide the Notebook serial number to Compaq. The [serial number location](#) is underneath the Notebook.

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Locating Additional Information

The following documentation is available to support this product:

- Compaq Presario 1200XL Series Notebook Computer documentation set
- Introducing Windows 98 Guide
- Introducing Windows 2000 Guide
- Service Training Guides
- Compaq Service Advisories and Bulletins
- Compaq QuickFind
- Compaq Service Quick Reference Guide