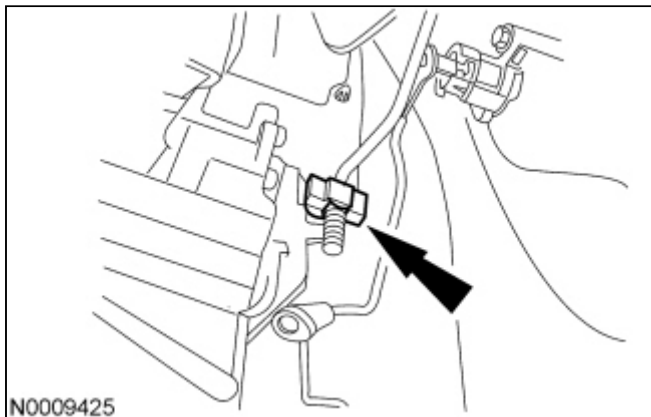


## Exterior Door Handle

### Removal

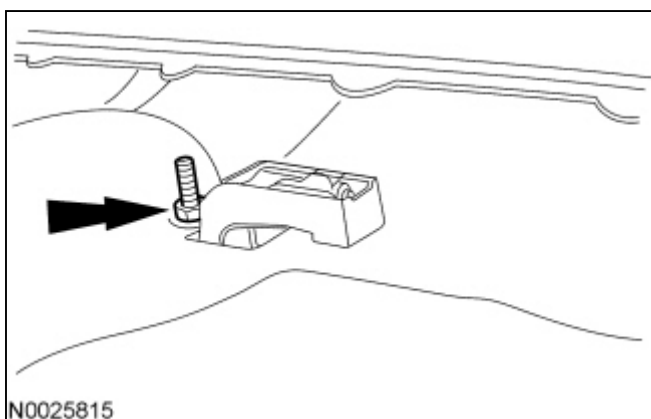
1. Raise the door window glass to the full-up position.
2. Remove the door trim panel. For additional information, refer to [Section 501-05](#).
3. If equipped, remove the door lock cylinder. For additional information, refer to [Door Lock Cylinder](#) in this section.
4. **NOTE:** Push upward on the exterior door handle actuating rod when installing the rod into the retaining clip.

Open the exterior door handle actuating clip and disconnect the actuating rod.



5. **NOTE:** Two exterior door handle studs must be removed on the RH side.

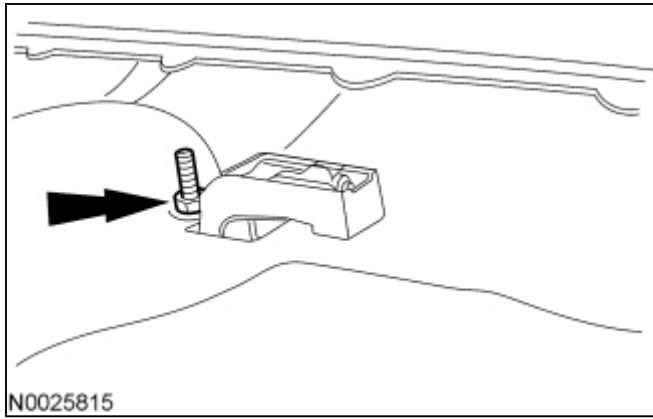
Remove the exterior door handle studs.



6. Slide the exterior door handle rearward and remove.

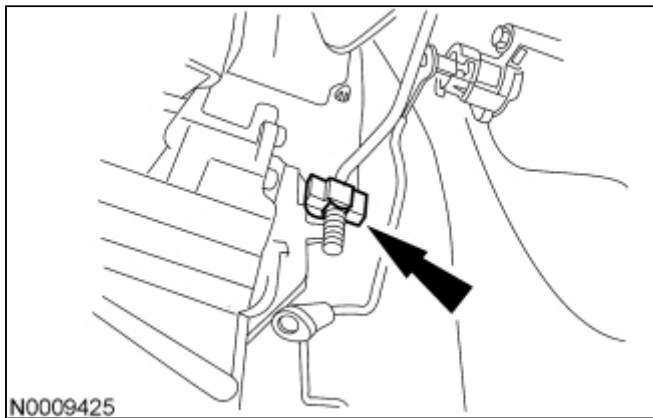
### Installation

1. Insert the exterior door handle through the door panel to engage the bellcrank and then slide it forward.
2. Install the exterior door handle studs.
  - Tighten to 9 Nm (80 lb-in).



3. **NOTE:** Push upward on the exterior door handle actuating rod and make sure the door latch is in a neutral position when installing the rod into the retaining clip to make sure the exterior door handle is correctly positioned.

Connect the exterior door handle actuating rod into the clip.



4. If equipped, install the door lock cylinder. For additional information, refer to [Door Lock Cylinder](#) in this section.
  5. Install the door trim panel. For additional information, refer to [Section 501-05](#).
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