



# Service Bulletin

## PRELIMINARY INFORMATION

**Subject:** Diagnostic Tip - Key Does Not Fold Or Will Not Stay Closed

**Models:** 2013 - 2016 Buick Encore  
2010 - 2016 Buick LaCrosse  
2011 - 2016 Buick Regal  
2012 - 2016 Buick Verano  
2011 - 2016 Chevrolet Cruze  
2010 - 2015 Chevrolet Camaro  
2010 - 2016 Chevrolet Equinox  
2012 - 2016 Chevrolet Sonic  
2013 - 2016 Chevrolet Spark  
2013 - 2016 Chevrolet Trax  
2011 - 2016 Chevrolet Volt  
2010 - 2016 GMC Terrain  
2008 - 2009 Pontiac G8  
2008 Saturn Astra

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The following diagnosis might be helpful if the vehicle exhibits the symptom(s) described in this PI.

### Condition/Concern

A technician may comment that the key in the fob will not fold closed or will not stay latched.

### Recommendation/Instructions

The key fobs for the involved vehicles are unique in their operation in that the key folds into the fob.

This folding mechanism can be damaged if the keys are left in the door lock cylinder and the fob is accidentally bumped or contacted while servicing the vehicle. Please advise all dealership personnel to refrain from storing the key in the door lock cylinder even for brief periods (such as moving vehicles on the lot).

### Additional SI Keywords

Ignition remote transmitter

Please follow this diagnostic or repair process thoroughly and complete each step. If the condition exhibited is resolved without completing every step, the remaining steps do not need to be performed.

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