**CAUTION!** You must power down the services platform before replacing the Network Mezzanine Card (NMC).

To replace the NMC:

1. If the services platform is running, perform a shutdown via the Local Management Interface (LMI) or LCD Panel. Wait until the LCD Panel is no longer illuminated to confirm the services platform has successfully shut down.
2. Remove all power cords.
3. Grasp the gray latch and pull the lever toward you to remove the NMC as shown below.

   ![Image of NMC removal](image)

   **CAUTION!** Ensure that the connectors at the rear of the NMC do not come into contact with your hands or with the packing material as you unpack the replacement NMC. Avoid damaging the connectors as you insert the replacement NMC.

4. Unpack the replacement NMC.
5. Carefully align the NMC and insert it into the slot in the services platform.
6. Gently press on the NMC until the module is securely in place.
7. Press on the gray latch until the NMC is securely locked into position.
8. Plug in all power cords.
9. Apply power by pressing the power button located on the front of the services platform.
10. Verify the LCD Panel is illuminated.
11. To verify that the new NMC module is working, log into the Local Management Interface (LMI).