Installation Guide - Troubleshoot Your Installation







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Overview

This documentation describes additional steps to use if you install cPanel & WHM with this guide, but still experience problems.

Remember:

- If you check all of the options in this documentation and still experience problems, submit a ticket to cPanel Support.
- To provide cPanel Support with access to your server, read our Grant cPanel Support Access documentation.

License errors

Problem	You see license errors during or after the installation process (for example, a License File Expired message).
Explanation	 Your license may be expired or improperly configured. Your system may not connect properly to the cPanel, Inc. license servers. Your server may use an invalid hostname. Your server may use an incorrect date and time.

Solution	To troubleshoot this issue, perform the steps in our How to Fix
	License File Errors documentation.

Perl installation errors

Problem	You see the following error message during the installation process: Fatal! Perl must be installed before proceeding!
Explanation	Perl must exist on your server before the installation script for cPanel & WHM can run successfully. If Perl does not exist during installation, the cPanel & WHM installer attempts to install Perl via the yum -y install perl command. If the installation does not succeed, the system displays this error message. • We strongly recommend that you allow your operating system's distribution to control the system Perl installation. Do n ot customize this Perl installation. • For more information about Perl on your server, and which versions of Perl ship with specific operating systems, read our G uide to Perl in cPanel & WHM documentation. cPanel & WHM servers use multiple Perl environments.
Solution	Problems with yum generally cause this error. Make certain that yum functions properly on your server. To attempt to install Perl again, run the following command: yum install perl

High CPU load on Hyper-V

Problem	The server reports a high CPU load, and Hyper-V's Dynamic Memory option is enabled.
Explanation	This problem is due to an issue with sleep interruptibility in Hyper-V.
Solution	For more information and a patch to fix the issue, visit the LKML web site.

RPM installation failures

Problem	One or more RPMs fail during installation.
Explanation	There are several reasons why your operating system's RPM installations may fail.
Solution	For steps to fix this issue, read our RPM Installation Failures docume ntation.

DNS problems

Problem	You experience problems that relate to DNS.
Explanation	 You may need to set up resolvers. Resolvers allow your server to communicate with DNS servers to find IPv4 or IPv6 addresses that correspond to domain names. One or more directories or partitions may be improperly configured.
Solution	To check your server's resolvers, run the following command, where example.com represents a domain on your server: host example.com If this command did not return results, the /etc/resolv.conf file does not contain resolvers. Use WHM's Resolver Configuration interface (Home >> Networking Setup >> Resolver Configuration) to add resolvers to your server. To determine whether your server can communicate with a resolver, perform the following steps: 1. Use SSH to log in to your server via the command line. 2. Run the following commands to check communication via IPv4 and IPv6: ping 8.8.8.8 ping6 2001:4860:4860::8888 3. If these commands fail, make certain that you used the correct IP addresses. Then, run the following commands to find the problem: traceroute 8.8.8.8 traceroute 8.8.8.8 traceroute6 2001:4860:4860::8888
	Notes: Replace 8.8.8.8 with the desired resolver's IPv4 address. Replace 2001:4860:4860:8888 with the desired resolver's IPv6 address.

Hostname issues

Problem	A cloud-hosted server does not retain the hostname setting.
Explanation	The dhclient script that the cloud hosting provider uses may interfere with cPanel & WHM's hostname configuration script.
Solution	For steps to fix this issue, read our Cloud-Hosted Hostname Solution documentation.

Additional documentation

Suggested documentation For cPanel usersFor WHM usersFor developers

- Installation Guide Customize Your Installation
- Installation Guide Troubleshoot Your Installation
- Installation Guide System Requirements
- WHM Scripts
- The cpanel.config File
- · Server Information for cPanel
- The cPanel Log Files
- WHM Scripts
- Installation Guide Customize Your Installation
- How to Purchase a KernelCare License
- How to Purchase an Imunify360 License
- WHM API 1 Functions setminimumpasswordstrengths
- WHM API 1 Functions create_user_session
- WHM API 1 Functions get_tcp4_sockets
- WHM API 1 Functions get_tcp6_sockets
- WHM API 1 Functions get_udp4_sockets