

# Renew your DHCP Lease (IP Address)

## Windows:

1. Open a Command Prompt: Start Menu > All Programs > Accessories > Command Prompt
2. In the Command Prompt, type:
  - `ipconfig /renew`If issuing just the renew command doesn't work, try the following:
  1. `ipconfig /release`  
- then -
  2. `ipconfig /renew`
3. Your computer will release it's IP address and obtain a new IP

## Mac OS X:

1. Open the Terminal.app application, located in /Applications/Utilities/
2. In the Terminal window, type:
  - 10.6 and earlier:
    - `dscacheutil -flushcache`
  - 10.7:
    - `sudo killall -HUP mDNSResponder`
3. Your computer will release it's IP address and obtain a new IP

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