

## Re: No internet access oner wireless network after SP2 install

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On Thu, 12 Aug 2004 18:16:39 +0100, CRS <CRS@fake.net> wrote:

>I have a small wireless network (3 computers) set up, with my own  
>computer acting as the gateway to an ADSL connection to the internet.  
>The wireless network is an Intel AnyPoint Home Network (a bit old, but  
>it gets the job done fine)  
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>With Windows XP SP1 installed on all the computers, everything worked  
>fine. I have just installed SP2 on one of the client (i.e. not the  
>gateway) computers, and can no longer access the internet from that  
>computer. Access to network printers and file sharing works fine, it's  
>just that it can't access the internet. All I get when trying to view a  
>web page is the IE "Page Not Found" message. All of the LAN network  
>settings are exactly as they were when the SP1 system was installed  
>(which worked fine). I've also tried switching off the Windows XP  
>firewall on the client computer, but that has no effect at all.  
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>I realise that there may be a potential incompatibility in that the  
>gateway computer is still running SP1, but I'm loathe in install SP2 on  
>that until I can be sure that internet access form the client computers  
>will work over the wireless network.  
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>Can anyone advise me on what to try next? I really would appreciate any  
>help anyone can give.  
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>Very many thanks. Regards,  
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>CRS.

There are reports that SP2 breaks the connectivity of some LAN connections.

You'll get an error message saying: "Limited or no connectivity".

For me, it means that the on-board LAN won't work, while a PCI LAN

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card does just fine. There's a small bunch of people with the same  
problem for completely different hardware.

This may nor may not be relevant to you. It depends on where the  
blockage is in your system.

Also check this:

<https://www.microsoft.com/technet/community/columns/cableguy/cg0804.mspx>

or

<http://tinyurl.com/5ns88>

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