

## Re: can't ping myself

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In article <OE5gVOy7DHA.1112@tk2msftngp13.phx.gbl>, "Jim Slager" <[jslager@inameU\\_NO\\_WHATcom](mailto:jslager@inameU_NO_WHATcom)> wrote:

>Steve Winograd [MVP] wrote:

>> The problem is probably a misconfigured or incorrectly un-installed  
>> firewall program.

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>Well, Steve, it turns out that it does work if I disable Norton Internet

>Security. It is really hard to understand since with NIS enabled I can see

>my files through MS Windows Network and by using \\computername in a browser

>window. I have my Trusted Zone clearly including the IP that my XP is

>currently using. The XP Firewall has never been enabled. DO you think it

>might payoff to re-install NIS?

I think it would pay off to replace NIS with a different firewall,  
Jim. I've seen several cases where it looks like NIS is configured  
properly but it blocks LAN access.

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Best Wishes,

Steve Winograd, MS-MVP (Windows Networking)

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