

# Re: Reinstalling MCE on a Dell

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Thank you...the partition is gone, my bad. Well, live and learn. Thanks for the info!

"HillBillyBuddhist" <hillbillybuddhist@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message [news:%230dlMFgGGHA.3120@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:%230dlMFgGGHA.3120@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)

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> "petrousjp" <iugrad@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message

> [news:W4-dnRRncY5Z5FfeRVn-oQ@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:W4-dnRRncY5Z5FfeRVn-oQ@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)

>> Hi:

>> Hope this is the right newsgroup; now, I have a Dell Dimension 8400.

>> Hard drive became corrupted, had to reinstall. Tried the "reinstall" CD

>> that came from Dell, no joy. So, I used my own copy of Windows XP Pro.

>> Everything is up and running except that I do not now have MCE.

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>> Any suggestions on how toinstall JUST MCE from the Dell restore CD?

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>> Thanks in advance.

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> If your Dimension was made after July 15, 2004 your hard disk has a

> partition on it which can be used to restore the system to an "as shipped"

> condition. Please see;

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> "How Do I Use the DellIT PC Restore by Symantec Utility?" @

> <http://support.dell.com/support/topics/global.aspx/support/kb/en/document?dn=1090151>

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> If your system is older than that Please see;

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> "How Do I Install the Microsoft® Windows® XP Operating System on My DellIT

> XPS 400, DimensionT 8400 or 9100 System?" @

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> <http://support.dell.com/support/topics/global.aspx/support/kb/en/document?c=us&cs=19&DN=1092050&type=SRG&>

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> and no there is no way to "add" the Media Center components to your

> current installation.

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- > I'm not an MVP a VIP nor do I have ESP.
- > I was just trying to help.
- > Please use your own best judgment before implementing any suggestions or
- > advice herein.
- > No warranty is expressed or implied.
- > Your mileage may vary.
- > See store for details. :)
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- > Remove shoes to E-mail.
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• **References:**

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