

Re: Remote laptops not working after migration

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"Mike" <Mike@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message
news:5C63340E-A1CE-4872-8F0E-1F109A9EF04A@microsoft.com...
> *I am just completing a NT 4.0 to 2003 migration and everything was working*
> *fine until people started to work from home. In short here is what is*
> *happening.*
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> *A remote user using the companies laptop that had been moved from the NT*
> *4.0*
> *domain to the 2003 domain. When the user is at there house on there*
> *network*
> *(DSL or Cable) the laptop hangs. Nothing works until you unplug the*
> *network*
> *cable. After seeing this on all the laptops I looked at the Event logs and*
> *noticed it's looking for the DC's. Is there a policy I need to change so*
> *the*
> *laptop's don't look for the DC when working remotely?*
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Is it an NT4 laptop? NT 4 (and 9x) machines need to be fully upgraded (SPs) and typically require the "Active Directory Client Upgrade" in order to meet the Win2003 DC requirement for "SMB Signing."

AD Client Upgrade is mostly known as DSClient on NT and you should search the MS Website for that name, e.g., Google:

[dsclient nt download site:microsoft.com]

Should get you close.

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> Any idea are truly appreciated!

> Mike