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If you choose the option on the Sharing tab in printers, the printer connected to the client PC will show up in AD. It'll work fine with dhcp – you don't have to do anything special other than the usual sharing procedure and clicking the AD box. My office mate and I share a printer connected to her computer this way.

FYI, the two very minor sticking points are that as you say, her PC needs to be turned on. And, occasionally someone will print to it by mistake as SBS installs it on all the client machines automatically. Of course I could handle that with permissions, but it doesn't happen enough to bother.

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- > Hi, just wondering if you can share a printer through Active Directory
- > if it is attached to a client machine. Would assigning a static IP to
- > the client machine make a difference? I know the client machine would
- > need to be available at all times if someone wants to print.
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- > Thanks in advance,
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- > Terry

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• *References:*

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