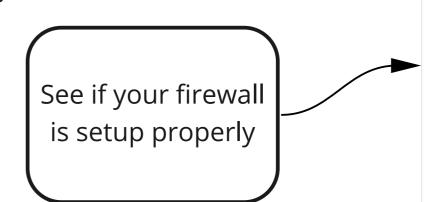
## **Protect Your Network**

## **Problem**

If you're not using a VPN to protect your IP then:

- Your IP provides a direct address to your local network.
- Anyone can scan this address for vulnerabilities and use it to track you.





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The text below might uniquelyidentify you on the Internet Your Internet connection's IP address is uniquely associated with the following "machine name": The string of text above is known as your Internet connection's "reverse DNS." The end of the strin...

## **Solution**

- Make sure your firewall on your router is properly set up. Sometimes routers just need new updates.
- Make sure your firewall on your personal computer is on.
- If you're on a Mac you can use "little snitch" to monitor your network traffic.
- There are other Windows alternatives such as Glasswire

**Bonus** - You can use these applications to limit your data usage to only important services if you are using the internet on limited data connection.



