

# gdm and networking

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While up and running several hosts running RedHat 8 and 9 on a local network, the network went down for an office move. After graceful shutdowns and the host were moved to our new office, we attempted to restart them without a network connection. To our surprise, the X server and gdm couldn't bring up the graphical login until the network was reconnected! What controls that and how can we start up graphically when the network goes down?

Thanks.

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