

Ubiquiti UniFi

List users in the UniFi Controller database

```
# show list of users in the unifi mongodb database
mongo --port 27117 ace --eval "db.admin.find().forEach(printjson);"
```

Change password for a UniFi Controller user

```
# change <UserName> to an actual user on the unifi controller
# the command will reset that user password to 'password'
mongo --port 27117 ace --eval 'db.admin.update( { "name" : "<UserName>" }, { $set : {
"x_shadow" :
"$6$GgQYRQnUs4wYkRd$7g6mig.les9salut9CZjUrG/UqqF6R/2RiCaCQEpEzz/7UtAtzeeQsVDnacAW1el2KH/jvUuJ4
Eh08xy.KGl0/" } } )'
```

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Force dhcp to renew ip address

1. Get the PID of the udhcpc process
2. Send that process the USR1 signal which tells udhcpc to renew its IP address `⏏`

```
# find the PID of the udhcpc process
ps | grep udhcpc
```

```
# output of the above command
4052 admin      3480 S      /sbin/udhcpc -f -i eth0 -V ubnt -A 10 -s /etc/udhcpc/udhcpc -p
/var/run/udhcpc.eth0.pid
6648 admin      3504 R      sh /usr/etc/syswrapper.sh ssh-trace-cmd -c ps | grep udhcpc -n 4 -i
6650 admin      3480 R      grep udhcpc
```

```
# instruct udhcpc to renew its IP address by sending it's process the USR1 signal
kill -USR1 4052
```

:end

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