

Network Incident Management

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1.0 OBJECTIVE

The objective of this SOP to provides a structured approach to handle unexpected events or disruptions of the network availability.

2.0 SCOPE

The scope of this SOP applies to the management of network incidents within the UTS campus.

3.0 REFERENCES

- 3.1 PRTG Network Monitoring System: https://nms.uts.edu.my/index.htm
- 3.2 UTS ITD Helpdesk System: https://helpdesk.uts.edu.my/

4.0 DEFINITIONS / ABBREVIATIONS

NMS : Network Monitoring System

PRTG : Paessler Router Traffic Grapher

ICT : Information and Communication Technology

IT : Information Technology

ITD : Information Technology Department

SOP : Standard Operating Procedure
UTS : University of Technology Sarawak

L : Level

PIC : Person-in-charge

5.0 RESPONSIBILITY

- 5.1 Head of ITD is responsible to ensure the SOP is adhered to.
- 5.2 The ITD staff is responsible to follow and adhere to this SOP.

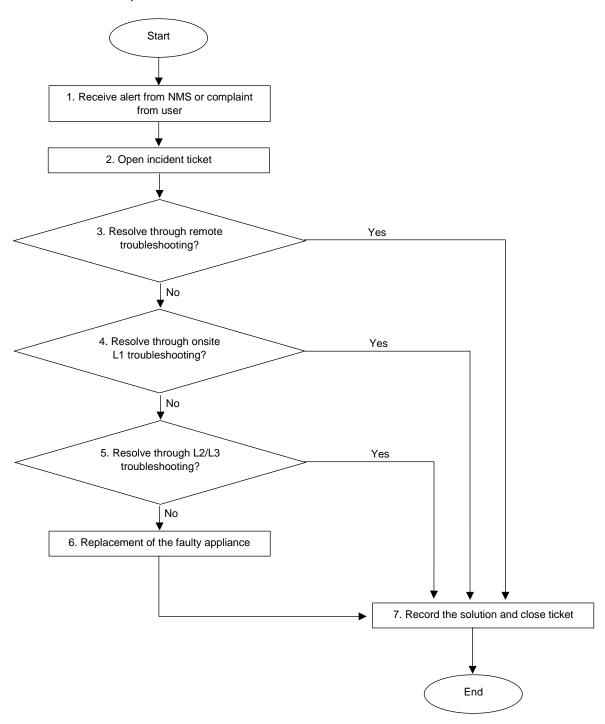


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6.0 PROCEDURE

6.1 Refer to the process flow chart.





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7.0 DESCRIPTION

No	Description	Person in Charge	Document
1	PIC receive network failure through NMS alert	ITD Staff	PRTG NMS/
	or user's complaint.		Email
2	PIC log the issue in brief and open a ticket.	ITD Staff	UTS ITD Helpdesk System
3	Resolve through remote troubleshooting?		- Cysterii
	3.1 If yes, proceed to No.7 Record the solution and close ticket.	ITD Staff	UTS ITD Helpdesk System
	3.2 If no, proceed to perform L1 onsite troubleshooting by:	Technician	
	i. Confirming power status		
	ii. Verify physical connection		
	iii. Check reachability of the device		
	iv. Restart the device		
4	Resolve through onsite L1 troubleshooting?		
	4.1 If yes, proceed to No.7 Record the solution and close ticket.	Technician	UTS ITD Helpdesk System
	4.2 If no, proceed to perform L2/L3 troubleshooting by:i. Reviewing configurationii. Network analysis	IT Executive/ IT Officer	
	iii. Firmware or system integrity checkiv. Collaborate with vendors or third-party support		



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5	Resolve through L2/L3 troubleshooting?		
	5.1 If yes, proceed to No.7 Record the solution and close ticket.	IT Executive/ IT Officer	UTS ITD Helpdesk System
	5.2 If no and the appliance is found faulty, proceed to No.6. Replacement of the faulty appliance.	IT Executive/ IT Officer	
6	Replacement of the faulty appliance.	IT Executive/ IT Officer	
	Affected user will be informed regarding the downtime.		Email
7	Record the solution and close ticket.	ITD Staff	UTS ITD Helpdesk System
	Once the issue resolved, the affected users will		
	be informed on the internet service restoration.		
8	The duration to complete the process from start		
	to finish is 7 working days or subject to spare		
	part availability.		

8.0 RECORDS

No	Title / Records	Location / Responsibility	Retention Period
1	PRTG NMS Data	PRTG NMS: https://nms.uts.edu.my/index.htm , IT Executive / IT Officer	2 years
2	Network Incident Ticket	UTS ITD Helpdesk System: https://helpdesk.uts.edu.my/ , IT Executive	5 years
3	Complaint Email	ITD Email: icthelpdesk@uts.edu.my, IT Executive / IT Officer	3 years