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# **Preface**

# **Contacting RUCKUS Customer Services and Support**

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- Priority 1 (P1)—Critical. Network or service is down and business is impacted. No known workaround. Go to the **Open a Case** section.
- Priority 2 (P2)—High. Network or service is impacted, but not down. Business impact may be high. Workaround may be available. Go to the **Open a Case** section.
- Priority 3 (P3)—Medium. Network or service is moderately impacted, but most business remains functional. Go to the Self-Service Resources section.
- Priority 4 (P4)—Low. Requests for information, product documentation, or product enhancements. Go to the Self-Service Resources section.

### Open a Case

When your entire network is down (P1), or severely impacted (P2), call the appropriate telephone number listed below to get help:

- Continental United States: 1-855-782-5871
- Canada: 1-855-782-5871
- Europe, Middle East, Africa, Central and South America, and Asia Pacific, toll-free numbers are available at https://support.ruckuswireless.com/contact-us and Live Chat is also available.
- Worldwide toll number for our support organization. Phone charges will apply: +1-650-265-0903

We suggest that you keep a physical note of the appropriate support number in case you have an entire network outage.

### **Self-Service Resources**

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- Technical Documentation—https://support.ruckuswireless.com/documents
- Community Forums—https://community.ruckuswireless.com
- Knowledge Base Articles—https://support.ruckuswireless.com/answers
- Software Downloads and Release Notes—https://support.ruckuswireless.com/#products\_grid
- Security Bulletins—https://support.ruckuswireless.com/security

Using these resources will help you to resolve some issues, and will provide TAC with additional data from your troubleshooting analysis if you still require assistance through a support case or RMA. If you still require help, open and manage your case at https://support.ruckuswireless.com/case\_management.

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- Part number: 800-71850-001 Rev A
- Page 7

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White papers, data sheets, and other product documentation are available at https://www.commscope.com/ruckus.

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### **Document Conventions**

The following table lists the text conventions that are used throughout this guide.

### **TABLE 1 Text Conventions**

Convention	Description	Example
monospace	Identifies command syntax examples	device(config)# interface ethernet 1/1/6
bold	User interface (UI) components such as screen or page names, keyboard keys, software buttons, and field names	On the <b>Start</b> menu, click <b>All Programs</b> .
italics	Publication titles	Refer to the RUCKUS Small Cell Release Notes for more information.

### **Notes, Cautions, and Safety Warnings**

Notes, cautions, and warning statements may be used in this document. They are listed in the order of increasing severity of potential hazards.

### **Introduction to Using Alexa to Receive Vouchers**

**Command Syntax Conventions** 

### NOTE

A NOTE provides a tip, guidance, or advice, emphasizes important information, or provides a reference to related information.

#### ATTENTION

An ATTENTION statement indicates some information that you must read before continuing with the current action or task.



### **CAUTION**

A CAUTION statement alerts you to situations that can be potentially hazardous to you or cause damage to hardware, firmware, software, or data.



### DANGER

A DANGER statement indicates conditions or situations that can be potentially lethal or extremely hazardous to you. Safety labels are also attached directly to products to warn of these conditions or situations.

### **Command Syntax Conventions**

Bold and italic text identify command syntax components. Delimiters and operators define groupings of parameters and their logical relationships.

Convention	Description
<b>bold</b> text	Identifies command names, keywords, and command options.
italic text	Identifies a variable.
[]	Syntax components displayed within square brackets are optional.
	Default responses to system prompts are enclosed in square brackets.
{x   y   z}	A choice of required parameters is enclosed in curly brackets separated by vertical bars. You must select one of the options.
x y	A vertical bar separates mutually exclusive elements.
<>	Nonprinting characters, for example, passwords, are enclosed in angle brackets.
	Repeat the previous element, for example, member[member].
\	Indicates a "soft" line break in command examples. If a backslash separates two lines of a command input, enter the entire command at the prompt without the backslash.

# **Introduction to Using Alexa to Receive Vouchers**

Alexa can be used to provide vouchers to users enrolling onto the Cloudpath system.

Cloudpath enrollment workflows can accept vouchers generated by Alexa that are sent to users who have the Alexa application installed on their device. All Alexa has to do first is learn a new skill - the Cloudpath network admin skill - available in the Alexa store. Then, the Cloudpath network administrator can obtain a necessary binding code from Alexa to enable communication between the Amazon Cloud and the Cloudpath Enrollment System.

Alexa can then also generate vouchers that users attempting to enroll onto Cloudpath can request themselves.

To get the binding code from Alexa and set up a corresponding workflow, follow the steps in these two sections:

- 1. Binding Alexa to the Cloudpath Enrollment System on page 7
- 2. Setting Up the Alexa Workflow on page 8

To understand how the user experience works, refer to User Experience With Alexa Vouchers on page 10.

To see what other administrative functions you can perform, refer to Administrative Information for Alexa Vouchers on page 11.

# **Binding Alexa to the Cloudpath Enrollment System**

You can bind Alexa to your Cloudpath system after your Alexa applications adds (or "learns") the Cloudpath network skill.

Follow these steps to have Alexa learn the necessary skill and provide you with a binding code:

- 1. Locate the Cloudpath network admin application in the Alexa store and add it to your device. There are instructions on the internet about how to add skills to Alexa.
- 2. Once Alexa has added the Cloudpath network admin skill, speak these exact words into your Alexa device: "Alexa, ask network admin to get me on the network."
- 3. Alexa should then ask you if you would like to have a binding code generated. Answer "yes."
- 4. Alexa then says the binding code out loud. Be sure to take note of this code, as you will need to enter it into the Cloudpath UI.
- 5. In the Cloudpath UI, navigate to Administration > System Services.
- 6. Scroll to the bottom of that page to locate "Alexa," then click on the arrow to expand the entry:

### FIGURE 1 Alexa in System Services Before Binding Occurs



- 7. Click **Bind**.
- 8. In the ensuing screen, enter the binding code that Alexa gave to you, then click **Save**.

### FIGURE 2 Alexa Binding Code Window



### NOTE

Once you have used a binding code, you cannot use the same one again.

9. If Alexa successfully binds to the Cloudpath system, a message should appear in the top of the System Services page: "Stored Alexa binding data!"

If binding was not successful, some possible reasons are:

- Entering the code incorrectly. If you receive a message that indicates an invalid code was entered, try typing the code in again.
- Connectivity issues between the Cloupdpath system and the Amazon Cloud. If you receive a message indicating this type of issue, you might want to check how your firewalls are set up.

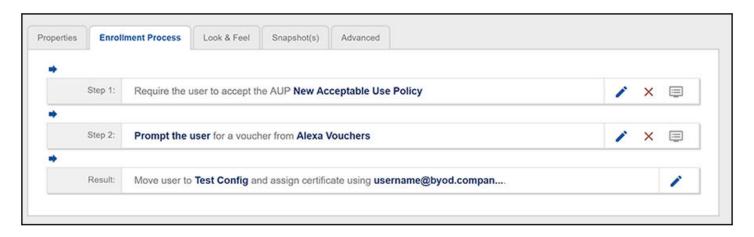
# **Setting Up the Alexa Workflow**

Once Alexa successfully binds to the Cloudpath system, you can set up a workflow that uses Alexa vouchers.

At this point, you create a workflow similar to any other workflow that asks the enrolling user to enter the voucher code they received. The only difference is that the voucher the user receives comes from their Alexa application as opposed to coming from the Cloudpath Enrollment System.

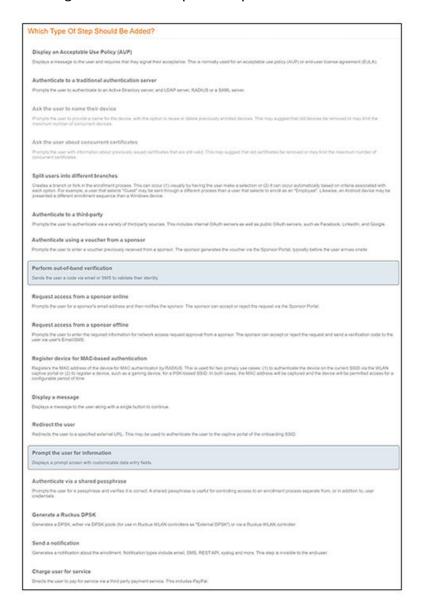
For example, a very simple workflow is shown below:

### FIGURE 3 Workflow With Alexa Voucher Step Included



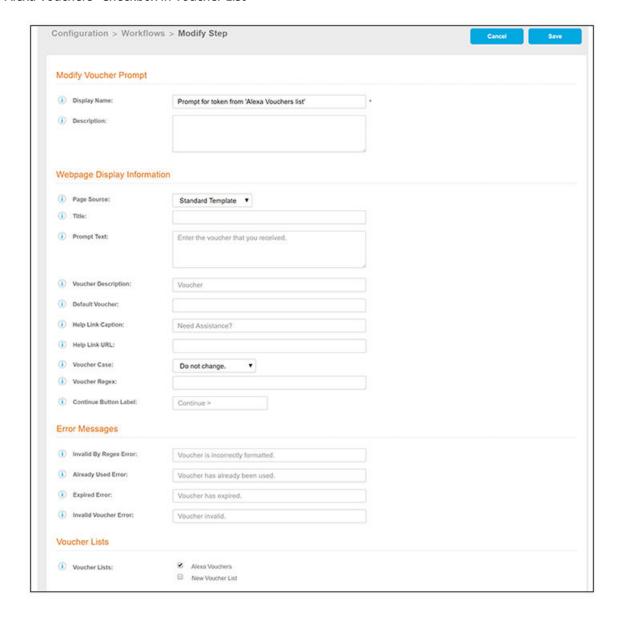
The workflow shown above includes the step where vouchers are added (Step 2). When you are in the process of adding that step to your workflow, the screen you are presented with (see below) includes the question "Which Type of Step Should Be Added?" Click the "Authenticate using a voucher from a sponsor" button:

### FIGURE 4 Using the "Authenticate using a voucher from a sponsor" Option in Your Alexa Workflow



Then, when configuring information in the ensuing screen, **you must** select "Alexa Vouchers" in the Voucher List section near the bottom of the screen, as shown in the example below:

### FIGURE 5 "Alexa Vouchers" Checkbox in Voucher List



For more information about using vouchers in a workflow, refer to the Cloudpath Enrollment System Sponsored Guest Access Configuration Guide.

# **User Experience With Alexa Vouchers**

Enrolling users can request a voucher from Alexa before or during the enrollment process.

The sequence of steps for the user obtaining the voucher is:

- 1. The user must speak these exact words to the Alexa device or application: "Alexa, ask network admin to get me on the network."
- 2. Alexa then asks for the user's phone number to which to send an "access code."

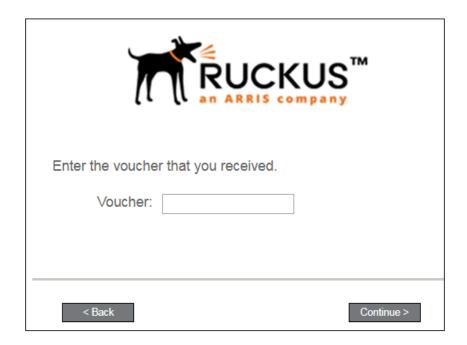
### NOTE

If the user does not obtain the access code almost immediately, the user should repeat the step to obtain the code because Alexa may not have interpreted the phone number correctly.

3. The user speaks clearly to the Alexa device or application and provides his or her phone number, beginning with the country code.

During the enrollment process, when the user is presented with the following screen, he or she should enter the voucher code received from Alexa, then click **Continue**.

FIGURE 6 Voucher Prompt the User Receives During Enrollment



The enrollment process continues. The secure network should appear in the user's WiFi list on their device so that they can connect to that network. You can refer to the Cloudpath Enrollment System user experience guide for your device for descriptions and screen shots about the remainder of the enrollment process.

# **Administrative Information for Alexa Vouchers**

There are many administrative functions available that relate to Alexa binding, vouchers, log files, and more.

# **Binding, Unbinding, and Obtaining Log Files**

Go to Administration > System Services, then scroll down to find Alexa and expand the information to see binding status:

### **Administrative Information for Alexa Vouchers**

**Examining Alexa Vouchers** 

### FIGURE 7 Alexa Bind/Unbind and Log File Box

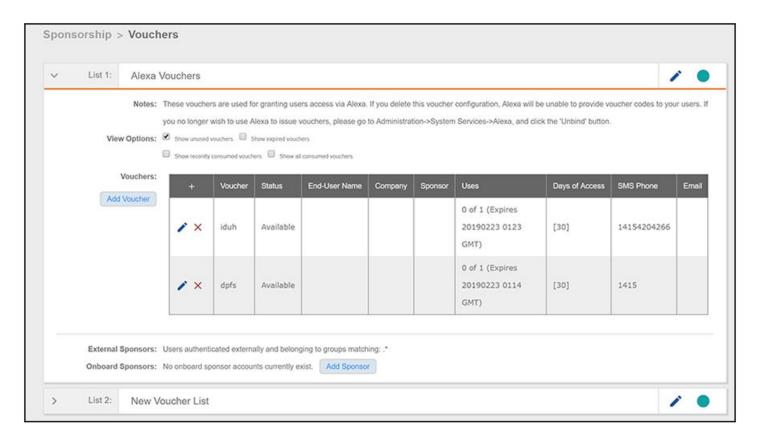


From here, you can bind or unbind Alexa, remove old binding data, or get Alexa log files. The "Remove old binding data" button can be useful when you want to start from scratch in case there is an issue with attempting to use the Bind function.

# **Examining Alexa Vouchers**

To view all Alexa vouchers that have been issued, navigate to **Sponsorship > Vouchers**, then expand the Alexa Vouchers list, as shown in the following example:

### **FIGURE 8 Alexa Voucher Information**



You can use the checkboxes to display information about all vouchers, or just vouchers in various states of usage. You can also add a voucher here, and supply an onboarding user with the new voucher for enrollment.

# **Alexa API Key**

Cloudpath creates an API key unique for Alexa. To locate this key, go to **Configuration > API Keys**, as shown in the figure below:

### NOTE

Do not change or remove the API key, or the Alexa functionality will cease to work.

### FIGURE 9 Alexa API Binding Key



### **Notifications**

Cloudpath creates a notification in the **Dashboard > Notifications** section about Alexa vouchers:

### FIGURE 10 Alexa Information in Notifications Area



