

# Force a password change for a Ezeelogin User

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## Forcing password change on next login

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**Overview:** This Article Covers How To Force A Password Change For A Gateway User On Re-Login. After Enabling The Password Change Option, Users Will Be Prompted To Update Their Passwords Upon Their Next Login. Admins Can Enable This Feature Under Users > Edit User > Force Password Change, Ensuring Users Must Change Their Passwords Before Gaining Access Again.

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The screenshot shows the Ezeelogin 'Edit User' configuration page. On the left is a sidebar menu with options like Servers, Web Portals, Users, User Groups, Authentication Log, SSH Log, RDP Recording, SCP Log, Web Proxy Log, Web Activity, Shell Activity, Server Activity, Work Summary, and Status. The 'Users' option is selected. The main area is titled 'Edit User' and contains fields for First Name (tom), Last Name (cruise), Username (tom), Email (tom@gmail.com), User Group (Admins), Expire (Never), Limit IPs (disabled), Allowed IPs, SSH Private Key, Sub SSH User, and Force Password Change (checked). The Force Password Change checkbox is highlighted with a green box. Other settings include Status (Active), Command Guard (None), Virtual Shell (disabled), Pass User Through (Inherit), SSH Key Passphrase, LDAP (None), Prompt Reason (disabled), and Authorization Password. At the bottom are 'Cancel' and 'Save' buttons.

2. On re-login to that user again, the gateway user("tom") will be asked to change the password as his/her password has expired.

The screenshot shows a 'Password expired' dialog box. It contains the text 'Set a new password.' and two input fields: 'New Password' and 'Confirm Password'. A 'Save' button is located at the bottom right.

3. After resetting the password it will be notified that your password has been reset and the user can log in with the updated/new password.

The screenshot shows the Ezeelogin login screen. At the top, there is a blue notification banner that says 'Password updated. Login with the new password.' Below the banner are input fields for 'Username' and 'Password', and a 'Login' button at the bottom right.

Enabling the "Force Password Change" option ensures that users like tom are required to update their passwords upon their next login, thereby enhancing security and enforcing compliance with company policies. This process helps maintain the integrity of access controls and protects against potential unauthorized access.

## Related Articles:

[How to set an SSH gateway user password expiry lifetime globally](#)

[How to configure an SSH gateway user to expire after a set amount of time](#)

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