

# Cluster HAT / Cluster CTRL

## Why do I get the fallback IP instead of an IP via DHCP?

The time dhcpcd waits before using the fallback IP can be set in the configuration file.

Edit /etc/dhcpcd.conf

Add a line containing "timeout 60" (increasing from the default of 30 seconds) to the start of the file so it looks like this.

```
# A sample configuration for dhcpcd.  
# See dhcpcd.conf(5) for details.
```

```
timeout 60
```

```
# Allow users of this group to interact with dhcpcd via the control socket  
#controlgroup wheel
```

And then reboot.

If after a reboot you don't get any IP address on the Pi Zero(node) then you may need to [increase the systemd timeout](#) as it may be killing the service.

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