



# CENTRAL WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

## INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES DEPARTMENT POLICY

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| Title: <b>ITS Client-Side Wireless Policy</b>   | Number:<br><b>PL801.0</b> | Eff: 1/22/08<br>Rev: |
| Purpose: To define the best way to set up wireless laptops for use both on and off campus. This policy allows for the differing needs of faculty, staff and students  |                           |                      |
| Policy: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• PC: SecureW2 is the standard wireless supplicant except:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Certain laptops have either Dell Wireless Utility or Intel ProSet software pre-installed. These utilities will be used in place of SecureW2 when possible.</li><li>▪ ITS will not uninstall native software as part of the wireless solution.</li></ul></li><li>• Macintosh: Macintosh laptops are natively able to connect to the CWU wireless network with configuration only; no software is installed.</li><li>• PDA: Due to the variety of platforms/operating systems, PDAs are only supported on a limited basis.<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Dell Axims have the Odyssey wireless client pre-installed and can be configured for CWU.</li><li>○ SecureW2 has a client for Windows CE based PDAs; ITS will install/configure this on appropriate PDAs but due to varying specifications we cannot guarantee success.</li><li>○ Other PDAs are not supported but will be looked at individually.</li></ul></li><li>• Linux: Linux connection to CWU wireless is currently in development.<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Development is based on the Open Suse distribution of Linux and the Open 1X supplicant.</li></ul></li></ul> |                           |                      |

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