

# Windows Defender conflicts with spooler

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I am running Windows Server 2003 Terminal Services and upgraded anti-spyware to Windows Defender. It appeared successful; however, it caused the server to crash several times before I relieved it was the cause.

The server would start to get sluggish and then eventually reboot. The error message that came up after the reboot said the failure was caused by an unknown driver. I found that if I went into services and restarted the print spooler it would work fine again for about 2 hours. Uninstalling Defender the system works fine again. My RAM and CPU usage levels appeared normal.

We are running almost all HP laserjet printers but there are a couple of users from home with a brother QL-550, and a couple of cannons.

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