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## OpenBSD Restart / Reload OpenSSH Without Rebooting

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There is no rc.d script provided under OpenBSD for sshd service. How do I restart OpenSSH sshd server without rebooting OpenBSD 4.x server?



You need to send HUP single to OpenSSH SSHD server using kill command. The default pid file is located at `/var/run/sshd.pid`:

```
# cat /var/run/sshd.pid
```

Sample output:

```
5367
```

Send HUP single to sshd PID # 5367:

```
# kill -HUP 5367
```

This can be done with a single command as follows:

```
# kill -HUP `cat /var/run/sshd.pid`
```

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