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Different Levels of Loggingin - Pods (Troubleshooting)

When something is wrong with application deployed in pod then we can follow the below procedure to troubleshoot and/or find where the issue is .....

1) Check the pod Status and events of POD:

```
# kubectl get pod
# kubectl describe pod <pod_name>
```

2) Examine the Logs:

```
# kubectl Logs <pod_name>
# kubectl Logs <pod_name> -c <container_name>
```

(multiple containers)

3) Node Level troubleshooting:

```
# kubectl get nodes
```

check the node if any issues at node OS Level.

4) Resource constraints:

check if pod is hitting resource limits (CPU's, Memory) use below command.

```
# kubectl describe pod <pod_name>
```

5) Network issues:

- Verify that pod's networking is fine and check service, endpoints and network firewall.
- Perform pod diagnostics after using below command.

```
# kubectl exec -it <pod_name> --/bin/sh
```

6) Check kubernetes Events:

Use kubectl get events to check cluster wide events for any issues affecting pods.

7) pod Health Probes:

If health probes are in place, check what is the status of all probes.

8) Rolling back Deployment:

If Issue occured after deployment then perform rollback operation using

```
# kubectl rollback undo deployment <deploy_name>
```

9) Persistent Volumes:

If pod uses persistent volume, ensure that they are properly mounted and accessible.

10) RBAC policies:

Verify RBAC policies that are configured correctly to service account associated with pod.

11) Check for ongoing Maintainance:

Verify that if any on-going Activities at node Level.

This can be a generalised step by step process to troubleshoot a pod, But in realtime you can get the details of errors straight away so, you can directly work on particular error rather sticking to single procedure.

This is All about troubleshooting a pod issue in Kubernetes.