

Implementing a Group Policy Infrastructure/ Troubleshooting Group Policy Infrastructure

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Group Policy resides in Active Directory Domain Services and inside of the organizational units. Since Group Policy is in the Active Directory, the GPO in the AD DS would be a default GPO for specific users or computers. If utilizing GPOs, it makes the administrator's life much more comfortable. The organizational units are under the AD DS with their GPOs. Each GPO will apply to the user in the hierarchical orders.

There are two divisions in policy settings: computer configuration and user configuration. For this lab, the setting is the computer configuration because the computer should have specific settings in the conference room. Whoever is using the computer, they all should have specific settings. There are four different Group Policy options for inheritance behavior: link order, enforced, block inheritance, and link enabled. In this case, the link order option is used to apply the policy to the computer.

