

# Creating HTTP Healthchecks

- We will be create a simple container first
- We will be adding liveness probe to it.
- We will custom make liveness probe fail and see how k8s restarts the pods.

## **Create a simple nginx pod without any probe -pod-nginx.yaml**

vim pod-nginx.yaml

apiVersion: v1

kind: Pod

metadata:

name: nginx

labels:

app: nginx

spec:

containers:

- name: nginx-demo

image: nginx:1.15-alpine

ports:

- containerPort: 80

## **Create the Deployment**

kubectly apply -f pod-nginx.yaml

# **Working with HTTP probe**

**Creating a nginx pod with liveness probe with given configuration as below.**

vim liveness-http-pod.yaml

apiVersion: v1

kind: Pod

metadata:

name: nginx-liveness

labels:

app: nginx

spec:

containers:

- name: nginx-demo

image: nginx:1.15-alpine

ports:

- containerPort: 80

livenessProbe:

httpGet:

path: /

port: 80

initialDelaySeconds: 15

periodSeconds: 5

timeoutSeconds: 1

### **Deploy the pod**

kubectl apply -f liveness-http-pod.yaml

### **Example demonstrating failing liveness probe.**

vim liveness-http-fail-pod.yaml

apiVersion: v1

kind: Pod

metadata:

name: nginx-liveness-fail

labels:

app: nginx

spec:

containers:

- name: nginx-demo

image: nginx:1.9.1

ports:

- containerPort: 80

livenessProbe:

httpGet:

path: /

port: 81

initialDelaySeconds: 15

timeoutSeconds: 1

**kubectl apply -f liveness-http-fail-pod.yaml**

**Regularly check output of kubectl get pods ..It would be failing**

