



# **CERV2 Wi-Fi and CERV-ICE Setup**



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#### Overview

This guide provides instructions for connecting your CERV2 to your local 2.4 GHz wireless network (currently, 5GHz Wi-Fi networks are not supported), and the CERV-ICE online dashboard. There are two possible methods to connect the CERV2: through the touchscreen on the CERV2 itself, and alternatively, using your cell-phone or laptop.

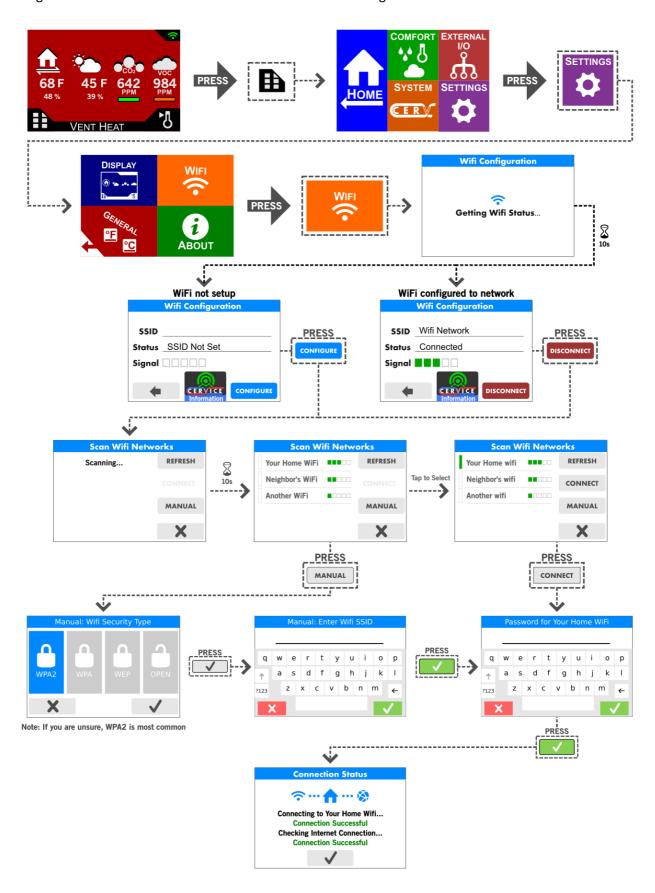
**Note**: for Wi-Fi networks with passwords longer than 32 characters, the alternate cell-phone/laptop method must be used.

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## Wi-Fi Setup – CERV2 Touchscreen

Follow the guide below to connect the CERV2 to a WiFi network using the CERV2 touchscreen



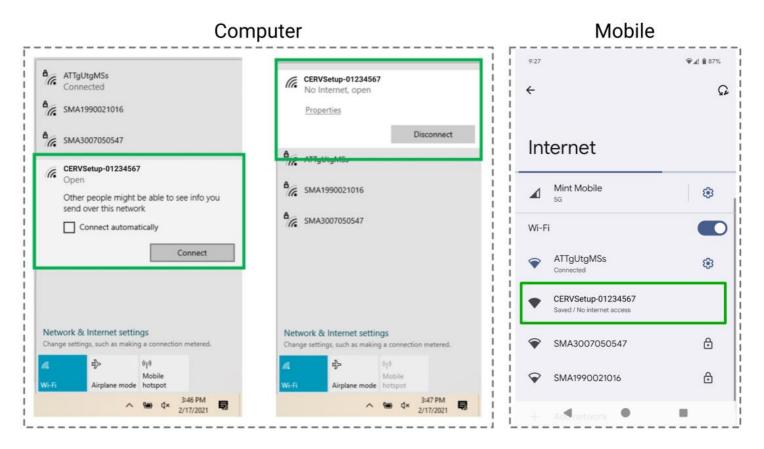
### **Connection Status Troubleshooting**

### WiFi Connection Error

#### **Probable Cause & Resolution**

Couldn't Find SSID	<ul> <li>If Manual setup was used to connect to the WiFi Network, check for misspellings in the network name and try again.</li> <li>On another device (phone/laptop/etc), check that the network exists and is exactly as entered on the CERV.</li> <li>The CERV currently only operates on 2.4GHz WiFi networks. 5GHz WiFi is not supported at this time.</li> </ul>
Incorrect Password	<ul> <li>If Manual setup was used to connect to the WiFi Network, check to ensure the network security is correctly set. Most modern WiFi networks use WPA2. This can often be verified with on a computer or phone by examining network properties.</li> <li>Ensure that the entered password is correct.</li> </ul>
Timed out - try again	<ul> <li>There may be an issue with the internal WiFi configuration, and the connection attempt timed out.</li> <li>Press the checkbox button on the bottom of the screen, which will take you back to the "Getting WiFi Status" screen. Stay on this screen for a minute to see if it was able to recover and make the connection. If not, try adding the network again as before.</li> <li>If re-adding the network gives the same timed out error, try powering off the CERV, then back on, and adding the network again. Resetting power to the internal WiFi could potentially resolve the issue.</li> </ul>
No Connection to Internet Or No Connection to Server	<ul> <li>Connection to the WiFi network was successful, but the CERV is having trouble uploading data through the internet. This often resolves itself after several minutes (depending on the network). Contact Build Equinox if this does not resolve itself.</li> </ul>

### Wi-Fi Setup Alternative - Computer or Mobile Device



#### Step 1:

Computer: On your computer, click the status bar icon, then the wifi connection icon. If the wifi module on the CERV is not yet connected to a wifi network, you will see it here as a network called "CERVSetup-\_\_\_\_\_\_". Select the CERVSetup-\_\_\_\_\_\_ network, and click Connect.

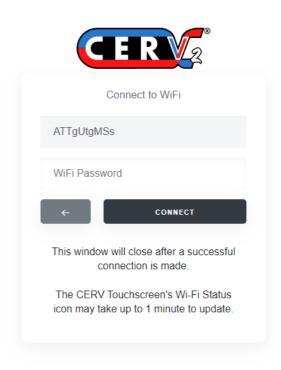
Mobile: On your mobile device, go to your Settings, then WiFi networks. If the wifi module on the CERV is not yet connected to a wifi network, you will see it here as a network called "CERVSetup-\_\_\_\_\_\_". Tap on the CERVSetup-\_\_\_\_\_\_". Tap on the CERVSetup-\_\_\_\_\_\_".

**Important Note**: Earlier CERV2 systems use a different Wi-Fi Module – if instead of "CERVSetup-\_\_\_\_\_" you see a network named "xbee-\_\_\_\_\_", skip ahead to the **Wi-Fi Setup Alternative (Legacy) – Laptop or Mobile Device** section.

Once connected, your computer or cell-phone should automatically open the Wi-Fi Connection Wizard webpage. If not, open your browser, and enter: <a href="http://192.168.4.1/">http://192.168.4.1/</a>



**Step 2:** You should now see any available 2.4Ghz Wi-Fi networks. Select the Wi-Fi network that you would like to use with your CERV2.

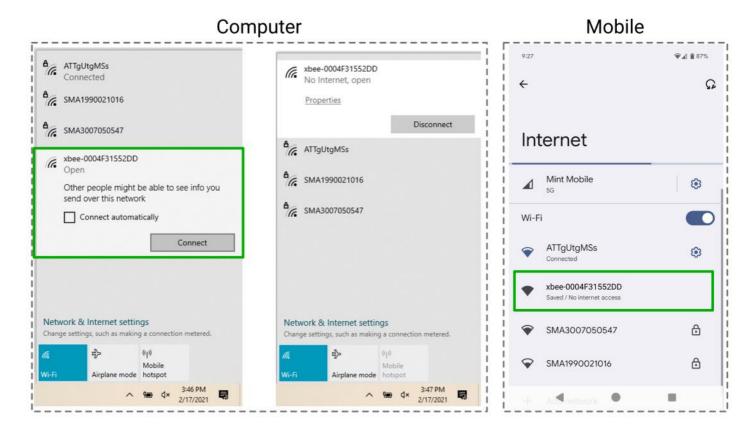


**Step 3:** Once you have selected a Wi-Fi network, you will now be prompted to enter the password.

If the Wi-Fi network credentials are correct, you should see your device disconnect from the CERVSetup-\_\_\_\_ network. You may now proceed to the **CERV-ICE Online Control & Monitoring Account Setup** section.

# Wi-Fi Setup Alternative (Legacy) – Computer or Mobile Device

This Legacy instruction set is for older CERV2 systems which contained a different Wi-Fi configuration.



#### Step 1:

**Computer:** On your computer, click the status bar icon, then the wifi connection icon. If the wifi module on the CERV is not yet connected to a wifi network, you will see it here as a network called "xbee-\_\_\_\_\_". Select the xbee-\_\_\_\_\_ network, and click Connect.

**Mobile:** On your mobile device, go to your Settings, then WiFi networks. If the wifi module on the CERV is not yet connected to a wifi network, you will see it here as a network called "xbee-\_\_\_\_\_". Tap on the xbee-\_\_\_\_\_ network.



**Step 2**: On your computer or mobile device, open your web browser, and in the address bar, type **192.168.1.10** and press enter

You should now see the page shown above. This indicates your computer is connected properly to the Wi-Fi module, and you can now manually enter your Wi-Fi network information.

**Step 3**: in the Network Access section, fill in the following fields:

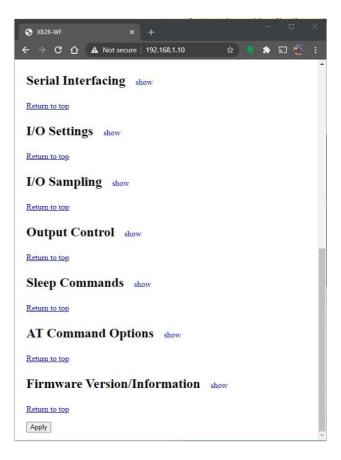
SSID (ID): {your home's Wi-Fi network name, case sensitive}

Encryption Enable (EE): select 2 - WPA2 (AES) security (almost always the case)

Passphrase (PK): {your Wi-Fi network's password}

Device Options (DO): leave as **0x3** (do not change)

Etherios device cloud FQDN (EQ): leave as my.devicecloud.com (do not change)



Step 4: scroll down to the bottom of the page, and click the Apply button. You will see the following:

### **Configurations Saved**

The module will now attempt to connect to the network "asdf".

If a connection is not successful the module will reset and you may try again to configure it, In that case, check for an incorrect password, network name, or security type.

Click here to return to the configuration page to configure network access parameters.

Your CERV should now be connected to your home's Wi-Fi network.

### **CERV-ICE Online Control & Monitoring Account Setup**

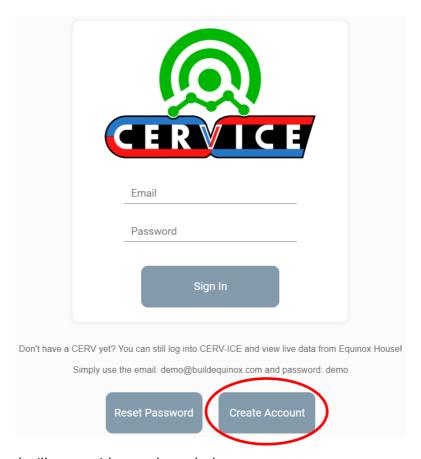
A free CERV-ICE account can be created to view data and air quality analytics for your CERV2 and to control your system remotely. To create an account, navigate to <a href="https://buildequinox.com/cervice/">https://buildequinox.com/cervice/</a>

CERV-ICE is also available as a free app in the Apple Store or Google Play. Search for CERV or click on the links below.

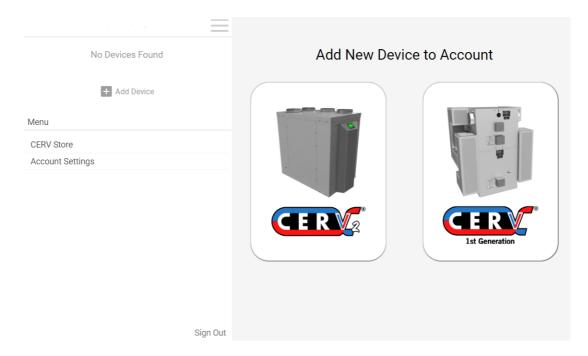




On the CERV-ICE login page or in the app click the Create Account button.



The create account wizard will now guide you through the account setup process.



Once logged into your CERV-ICE account, select your CERV model, name your device, and enter the CERV's 12-digit "Gateway Serial Number".

The Gateway Serial Number can be found on the CERV's Wi-Fi configuration page:

