Foreman - Bug #1196

show FQDN in the hosts listing to prevent misunderstanding

09/29/2011 11:50 PM - Gustavo Soares

Status:	Closed		
Priority:	Normal		
Assignee:	Amos Benari		
Category:	Web Interface		
Target version:	0.4		
Difficulty:		**Fixed in Releases:**	
Triaged:		**Found in Releases:**	
Bugzilla link:		**Red Hat JIRA:**	
Pull request:			

Description

show FQDN hostname in the hosts listing to prevent misunderstanding from the operator.

Patch:

https://github.com/gustavosoares/foreman/commit/f76cce98de94a8953df1599455a4b07c8cd6ee61

Associated revisions

Revision 056baf6c - 11/06/2011 09:50 AM - Amos Benari

fixes #1196 - show FQDN in the hosts listing to prevent misunderstanding

hosts and report page replaced icons, and prevent overflow

History

#1 - 10/02/2011 11:26 AM - Ohad Levy

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#2 - 10/02/2011 12:48 PM - Gustavo Soares

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#3 - 10/02/2011 03:51 PM - Ohad Levy

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You are correct, when foreman runs without unattended mode (e.g. provisioning) enabled, then you don't see the dropdown for a domain.

in that mode, foreman would take the hostname + domain and build the fqdn (if its in short form).

#4 - 10/27/2011 06:29 PM - Joshua Hoblitt

I'm on 0.4rc4 and I find the behavior of the fqdn box very confusing. Every time I edited any host parameter it would revert from the fqdn to just the local name when I clicked submit, through an error, and force me to reenter the fqdn, and resubmit. If you edited the host again, the fqdn had reverted. It was also writing provisioning templates with the short name. I just finally figured out that it was taking the puppet master fqdn from the smart proxy in use (which I had specified using a local name). In fact, no mater what value I input as the puppet master fqdn, it reverts to the hostname of the smart-proxy. This field needs to be either removed or made non-editable when you've selected a smart proxy that manages puppet.

#5 - 10/30/2011 10:13 AM - Ohad Levy

- Target version set to 0.4

#6 - 11/06/2011 09:50 AM - Ohad Levy

- Category set to Web Interface

- Assignee set to Amos Benari

#7 - 11/06/2011 10:02 AM - Amos Benari

- Status changed from New to Closed

- % Done changed from 0 to 100

Applied in changeset 056baf6c30be3968b3f9ed5aba1451697d9837f7.