

## Foreman - Bug #20119

### Be more descriptive when validating hostname

06/27/2017 06:15 AM - Ivan Necas

<b>Status:</b> Closed	
<b>Priority:</b> Normal	
<b>Assignee:</b>	
<b>Category:</b> Inventory	
<b>Target version:</b> 1.16.0	
<b>Difficulty:</b>	<b>Fixed in Releases:</b>
<b>Triaged:</b>	<b>Found in Releases:</b>
<b>Bugzilla link:</b> 1375591	<b>Red Hat JIRA:</b>
<b>Pull request:</b> <a href="https://github.com/theforeman/foreman/pull/4651">https://github.com/theforeman/foreman/pull/4651</a> , <a href="https://github.com/theforeman/foreman/pull/4663">https://github.com/theforeman/foreman/pull/4663</a>	
<b>Description</b>	
<p>Currently, we validate hostname with a regular expression. If the regular expression doesn't match, the host name is considered as invalid, printing an info that name is invalid. In some environments, it's not that uncommon to include the '_' in the host name, and it's hard to user to figure out what exactly is wrong with the name.</p> <p>The new behaviour should be to explicitly mention that the host can't include `\_`, before using the regular expression.</p>	

#### Associated revisions

##### Revision 060d2004 - 07/09/2017 06:28 AM - boaz shust

Fixes #20119 - Be more descriptive when validating hostname

Signed-off-by: Boaz Shuster <[ripcurld.github@gmail.com](mailto:ripcurld.github@gmail.com)>

##### Revision 657fdc0f - 07/12/2017 06:10 AM - François Cami

Refs #20119 - Be more descriptive when validating hostname

Explain that this is not Foreman's limitation, but comes from RFCs.

#### History

##### #1 - 06/27/2017 06:15 AM - Ivan Necas

- Subject changed from *Be more descriptive when validating hostname* to *Be more descriptive when validating hostname*

- Target version set to 1.14.2

##### #2 - 07/06/2017 12:09 PM - The Foreman Bot

- Status changed from *New* to *Ready For Testing*

- Pull request <https://github.com/theforeman/foreman/pull/4651> added

##### #3 - 07/09/2017 07:01 AM - Anonymous

- Status changed from *Ready For Testing* to *Closed*

- % Done changed from 0 to 100

Applied in changeset [060d2004d78676998fc55ba03eab7f0ffcde2859](https://gitlab.com/foreman/foreman/-/commits/060d2004d78676998fc55ba03eab7f0ffcde2859).

##### #4 - 07/10/2017 04:43 AM - Marek Hulán

- translation missing: *en.field\_release* set to 240

**#5 - 07/12/2017 04:43 AM - The Foreman Bot**

- Pull request <https://github.com/theforeman/foreman/pull/4663> added