

Fiber optic interface not connected to router



Article Overview

A router failing to connect to a fiber optic interface is often caused by hardware incompatibility, faulty cabling, dirty connectors, or misconfigured settings.

Check Hardware and Compatibility

Ensure your router supports fiber optic input, either via an SFP/SFP+ port or a dedicated WAN/ONT port, and that the transceiver modules are compatible with your router and ISP equipment . Using non-compatible SFPs can lead to unpredictable behavior, so verify compatibility through the device's documentation or the Cisco Optics-to-Device Compatibility Matrix if applicable . Confirm that the Optical Network Terminal (ONT) provided by your ISP is powered on and functioning properly .

Inspect Fiber Cables and Connectors

Examine all fiber optic cables for visible damage, sharp bends, or loose connections . Fiber connectors must be clean; even minor dust or oil can cause signal loss. Use lint-free wipes and isopropyl alcohol to clean connectors, or a fiber inspection microscope for precise inspection . Ensure the correct fiber type (single-mode or multi-mode) and connector type (SC/APC or SC/UPC) are used consistently on both ends .

Verify Signal and Transceivers

Check the transceiver modules on both the router and ONT. Swap with known-good...

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