

## client-identifier

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**Syntax** client-identifier (ascii *client-id* | hexadecimal *client-id*);

**Hierarchy Level** [edit system services dhcp static-binding]

**Release Information** Statement introduced before JUNOS Release 7.4.  
Statement introduced in JUNOS Release 9.0 for EX Series switches.

**Description** For J Series Services Routers and EX Series switches only. Configure the client's unique identifier. This identifier is used by the DHCP server to index its database of address bindings. Either a client identifier or the client's MAC address is required to uniquely identify the client on the network.

**Options** *client-id*—A name or number that uniquely identifies the client on the network. The client identifier can be an ASCII string or hexadecimal digits.

**Required Privilege Level** system—To view this statement in the configuration.  
system-control—To add this statement to the configuration.

**Related Topics** ■ Configuring the Router, Switch, or Interface to Act as a DHCP Server on J Series Services Routers and EX Series Ethernet Switches

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