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Subject: \*SOLVED\* setup openvpn  
Posted by [tangbeili](#) on Sun, 10 Jun 2007 22:10:10 GMT  
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My problem is with /dev/net/tun.  
I'm using the notes on the forum which are located at  
<http://forum.openvz.org/index.php?t=msg&goto=10389&>

According to the notes on the forum I need to setup /dev/net/tun using 3 commands.

```
# mkdir -p /dev/net  
# mknod /dev/net/tun c 10 200  
# chmod 600 /dev/net/tun
```

On my linux 2.6 system,  
mkdir -p /dev/net returns error msg:  
mkdir: `/dev/net' exists but is not a directory  
mknod /dev/net/tun c 10 200 returns error msg:  
mknod: `/dev/net/tun': Not a directory

vzctl did not work also.  
I'm wondering how to get past these issues.

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Subject: Re: setup openvpn  
Posted by [Vasily Tarasov](#) on Thu, 14 Jun 2007 09:36:48 GMT  
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What do you mean saying "vzctl doesn't work"? Do you run OpenVZ kernel? Which one (`uname -a` output)? If vzctl doesn't work, you can't enter VE and therefore produce these commands (mknod ..., mkdir ...) in VE!

BTW, here is an article about TUN/TAP and VPN inside VE:  
[http://wiki.openvz.org/VPN\\_via\\_the\\_TUN/TAP\\_device](http://wiki.openvz.org/VPN_via_the_TUN/TAP_device)

HTH,  
Vasily

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Thank you.  
This information helped me to quickly correct my misunderstandings and correct this issue. It is now working! You do a good job. Thanks.

Sincerely,  
Barney Toma

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