Connecting Windows 8 to the University of Montana’s secure wireless network

Important note: Using the Windows Wireless Client stores your user name (NetID) and password in the system registry on your computer. When you change your NetID password, a registry change will be necessary to clear the old password. Contact IT Central for assistance at 406-243-HELP (4357) or email itcentral@umontana.edu.

1. Move your cursor over to the right side of the screen to bring up the Charms Bar, and select Settings.

2. After selecting Settings click on Available.

3. All available wireless networks will display. Click on UMwpa.
4. After clicking on **UMwpa** you will be prompted to enter your user name and password. Your user name is your NetID and your password is your NetID password. Click **OK**.

5. After entering your NetID and NetID password you will be prompted to verify the server’s identity. Select **Connect**.

6. After you select **Connect** you will be connected to UMwpa.