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# A Nomad CIO Finds New Home at HomeServe USA

[HomeServe USA](#) Corp. has named Dave Berry as CIO, of the home repair service provider. Mr. Berry joined the company Monday after four interim CIO roles in three years.



Dave Berry, CIO of HomeServe USA Corp.

HomeServe USA, the North American branch of U.K.-based HomeServe plc, provides repair services for water, sewer, electrical, HVAC and other home emergencies. The company, which holds two million contracts for 1.3 million homeowners in the U.S. and Canada, hired Mr. Berry to build out the company's technology infrastructure to support future growth. HomeServe USA CEO Tom Rusin said Mr. Berry will enhance the company's customer service, Web and smartphone platforms.

"Dave Berry's experience transforming technology systems for a multitude of consumer facing businesses make him well suited to take our company forward," said Mr. Rusin in a statement.

Mr. Berry was the CIO of perfume provider Coty Inc. for 12 years before embarking on several interim CIO campaigns, starting in 2010. Most recently, he completed an interim stint at [Ascena Retail Group](#) Inc. It [concluded](#) in February. Before Ascena, he [served](#) as temporary CIO of TOMS Shoes Inc [Polycom](#) Inc., and smartShift Technologies.

Mr. Berry, who makes his home in Westchester County, N.Y. is based out of HomeServe's Stamford, Conn., headquarters. He told CIO Journal that he was happy to find a "local gig" after long-distance commutes the last few years. His stints at Los Angeles-based TOMS and San Jose, Calif.'s Polycom required weekly trips to the west coast.

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