

# why won't my array work?

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Hi everyone :) Happy friday to all of you!

Here's my issues, I am attempting to echo the results of mysqli query out to my script just so I can make sure it's working right, what I'm hoping to do in the long run is compare what was typed in a text box to this info... It's for verifying a old password before changing to a new password... So here is my query:

```
$oldpasswordquery = "SELECT loginPassword, Record FROM current WHERE  
loginPassword='{ $oldPassHash}' AND Record='{ $Record}'";  
$chpwold[] = mysqli_query($chpwpostlink, $oldpasswordquery) or die("Sorry read failed: ".  
mysqli_error($chpwpostlink));  
$chpwresult = $chpwold[0];  
$chpwrow[] = mysqli_fetch_assoc($chpwresult) or die('Sorry it didn\'t work...'  
.mysqli_error($chpwpostlink));  
echo $chpwrow['loginPassword'];  
print_r($chpwrow);
```

The echo and the print\_r are for debugging and obviously won't be in the final script... Here is the error that I am getting:

```
[Fri Mar 28 12:14:39 2008] [error] PHP Notice: Undefined index: loginPassword in  
/Volumes/RAIDER/webserver/Documents/dev/OLDBv2/admin/ chpwpost.php on line 18
```

Line 18 is where the echo is...

the print\_r though shows this:

```
Array ( [0] => Array ( [loginPassword] => 42205baa2581d3fcd8d8f9c6b9746a1f [Record] => 2 ) )
```

So why can't I access it via \$chpwrow['loginPassword']? I'm stumped.... Anyone that can help me has a free beer waiting for them the next time they are in my town! :)

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