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Digital Divide Index Score

# 2017 DIGITAL DIVIDE PROFILE

## Kanawha, West Virginia

The digital divide index score (DDI) ranges between 0 and 100, where a lower score indicates a lower divide. The infrastructure adoption score and the socioeconomic score both in a 0 to 100 range as well contribute to the overall DDI. Listed below each score are the indicators used.

### 24.75

### Infrastructure/Adoption Score

If this score is much higher than the socioeconomic score, efforts should be made to upgrade the broadband infrastructure.



**4.9%**

of people without access to fixed broadband of at least 25 Mbps down and 3 Mbps up



**21.1%**

of households with no internet access



**16.4%**

of households without a computing device



**157.725**

average maximum advertised download speed in Mbps



**8.368**

average maximum advertised upload speed in Mbps

### 45.09

### Socioeconomic Score

If this score is much higher than the infrastructure/adoption score, efforts should be made to focus on digital literacy and exposing residents to the benefits of the technology.



**18.8%**

population ages 65 and older



**16.5%**

of individuals in poverty



**11.7%**

ages 25 and older with less than a high school degree



**18.9%**

noninstitutionalized civilian population with a disability



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