# Digital Divide Index Score

### 2017 DIGITAL DIVIDE PROFILE

## Whiteside, Illinois

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.

**27.0**6

### Infrastructure/Adoption Score

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



16.5%

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



20.7%

of households with no internet access



**17.3%** 

of households without a computing device



277.923

average maximum advertised download speed in Mbps



11.975

average maximum advertised upload speed in Mbps

35.57

#### 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.



19.4%

population ages 65 and older



10.4%

ages 25 and older with less than a high school degree



11.1%

of individuals in poverty





**15.2%** 

noninstitutionalized civilian population with a disability







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