## 2018 DIGITAL DIVIDE PROFILE

Digital Divide **Index Score** 

## Rush, Indiana

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 (see scores and indicators below) contribute to the overall DDI. State averages are shown in parenthesis.

26.69

## **Infrastructure/Adoption Score**

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



1.2% (5.9%)

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



30.4% (18.2%)

of households with no internet access (not subscribing)



17.1% (12.8%)

of households without a computing device



**15 (24)** median maximum advertised download speed in Mbps



**3 (3)** median maximum advertised upload speed in Mbps

76.90

## **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.



17.5% (15.0%)

population ages 65 and older



15.4% (11.4%)

ages 25 and older with less than a high school degree



17.1% (14.1%)

of individuals in poverty



14.1% (13.8%)

noninstitutionalized civilian population with a disability



Source: FCC Form 477 Dec 18 v1; 2014-2018 ACS For more information visit: pcrd.purdue.edu/ddi