



CRITICAL NEED COUNTIES IN BROADBAND & HEALTH — RURAL 100[†]

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State	County	Rural Broadband Access (25/3 mbps)	Internet Adoption (>= 200 kbps)	Diabetes	Obesity	Preventable Hospitalizations	Median Income	County Pop.	More Data*
National		61%	80-100%	9.7%	27.4%	58.2/1000	\$53,657		
Alabama	Barbour County	28	40-60%	15	39	87	\$34,971	26,887	PP, 65+, V
Alabama	Bibb County	2	40-60%	13	38	71	\$39,546	22,506	PCPS, 65+
Alabama	Chilton County	20	40-60%	14	37	63	\$41,450	43,931	PCPS, 65+, V
Alabama	Lamar County	32	40-60%	15	33	105	\$34,553	14,086	PCPS, 65+, V
Alabama	Marion County	13	40-60%	15	35	117	\$37,707	30,271	65+, V
Alabama	Pickens County	2	40-60%	17	41	82	\$31,933	20,365	PP, 65+, V
Alabama	Randolph County	26	40-60%	15	35	68	\$36,939	22,539	65+, V
Alabama	Washington County	13	40-60%	15	37	86	\$41,321	16,834	PCPS, AI, 65+, V
Alabama	Winston County	9	40-60%	13	34	190	\$35,528	24,150	65+, V
Arizona	Apache County	0	40-60%	16	32	92	\$32,366	71,828	AI, PP
Arkansas	Franklin County	7	40-60%	13	36	76	\$40,404	17,805	AI, 65+, V
Arkansas	Johnson County	31	40-60%	13	33	67	\$34,923	26,005	AI, 65+, V
Arkansas	Logan County	0	40-60%	14	35	66	\$36,391	21,958	PCPS, AI, 65+, V
Arkansas	Madison County	31	40-60%	13	34	51	\$39,158	15,740	PCPS, AI, 65+
Arkansas	Polk County	22	40-60%	13	33	78	\$33,127	20,225	AI, 65+, V
Florida	Jefferson County	15	40-60%	15	36	42	\$40,205	14,050	PCPS, 65+, V
Florida	Levy County	10	40-60%	14	32	73	\$37,433	39,613	PCPS, 65+, V
Florida	Washington County	20	40-60%	15	38	88	\$36,482	24,451	AI, 65+, V
Indiana	Brown County	18	40-60%	12	32	36	\$52,582	14,962	65+, V
Indiana	Daviess County	13	40-60%	12	33	83	\$47,670	32,729	65+
Indiana	Greene County	22	40-60%	15	35	96	\$41,077	32,726	PCPS, 65+, V
Kentucky	Allen County	17	40-60%	12	32	103	\$39,801	20,384	PCPS, 65+
Kentucky	Letcher County	15	40-60%	18	38	202	\$28,574	23,359	PP, 65+
Kentucky	Ohio County	24	40-60%	15	38	88	\$38,261	23,977	PCPS, 65+, V
Louisiana	Avoyelles Parish	2	40-60%	15	39	143	\$34,022	41,145	AI, PP, 65+, V
Louisiana	Beauregard Parish	8	40-60%	13	36	123	\$43,918	36,198	AI, 65+, V
Louisiana	East Feliciana Parish	9	40-60%	16	40	93	\$41,651	19,813	PP, 65+, V
Louisiana	Evangeline Parish	6	40-60%	13	36	161	\$32,615	33,700	PP, 65+
Louisiana	Franklin Parish	0	20-40%	15	37	134	\$32,318	20,441	PP, 65+
Louisiana	Grant Parish	26	40-60%	13	34	79	\$40,668	22,384	PCPS, AI, V
Louisiana	Jefferson Davis Parish	28	40-60%	13	34	111	\$37,968	31,477	65+
Louisiana	Sabine Parish	12	40-60%	15	39	112	\$39,561	24,199	PCPS, AI, PP, 65+, V
Louisiana	Union Parish	3	40-60%	15	35	107	\$38,998	22,539	PCPS, 65+, V
Louisiana	Washington Parish	3	40-60%	17	39	116	\$29,749	46,286	PP, 65+, V
Louisiana	Webster Parish	18	40-60%	14	35	105	\$36,003	40,333	65+, V
Louisiana	West Feliciana Parish	0	40-60%	14	37	57	\$53,679	15,406	V
Michigan	Gladwin County	26	40-60%	14	37	80	\$39,721	25,411	65+, V
Michigan	Osceola County	29	40-60%	13	37	49	\$40,235	23,169	65+, V
Mississippi	Chickasaw County	32	20-40%	15	37	70	\$31,616	17,313	PP, 65+
Mississippi	Clarke County	6	40-60%	16	35	100	\$34,910	16,299	PCPS, PP, 65+, V
Mississippi	Copiah County	10	40-60%	16	38	84	\$35,314	28,797	PP, 65+
Mississippi	Covington County	0	20-40%	15	38	90	\$31,835	19,442	PP, 65+
Mississippi	Greene County	14	20-40%	14	41	102	\$39,615	14,326	PCPS, V
Mississippi	Itawamba County	15	40-60%	13	34	53	\$38,366	23,527	PCPS, 65+
Mississippi	Jasper County	15	20-40%	17	40	72	\$35,019	16,601	PCPS, PP, 65+
Mississippi	Leake County	12	20-40%	17	38	113	\$32,239	23,193	PCPS, AI, PP, 65+
Mississippi	Lincoln County	26	20-40%	14	37	74	\$36,118	34,775	65+
Mississippi	Marion County	0	20-40%	14	38	104	\$33,428	25,868	PP, 65+
Mississippi	Pontotoc County	32	20-40%	14	34	71	\$40,198	30,950	PCPS
Mississippi	Scott County	1	40-60%	15	36	114	\$32,049	28,461	PCPS, PP

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Mississippi	Simpson County	8	20-40%	15	39	98	\$34,338	27,463	PP, 65+, V
Mississippi	Smith County	6	20-40%	13	35	108	\$38,975	16,188	PCPS, 65+
Mississippi	Tate County	27	40-60%	16	35	94	\$40,975	28,204	PCPS, 65+, V
Mississippi	Tippah County	17	40-60%	12	36	83	\$37,026	22,039	65+
Mississippi	Walthall County	0	20-40%	17	40	90	\$31,607	14,859	PP, 65+
Mississippi	Wayne County	3	20-40%	15	38	104	\$35,425	20,490	PP, 65+
Missouri	Benton County	28	40-60%	15	35	90	\$33,236	18,806	65+, V
Missouri	Washington County	14	40-60%	13	34	127	\$34,581	25,077	PCPS, PP, 65+, V
Missouri	Wright County	20	40-60%	14	36	61	\$31,600	18,291	PP, 65+, V
New Mexico	Cibola County	4	20-40%	13	33	58	\$35,081	27,349	AI, PP, 65+, V
New Mexico	McKinley County	4	40-60%	14	36	105	\$29,497	74,098	AI, PP
North Carolina	Greene County	4	40-60%	13	34	63	\$37,263	21,093	PCPS, AI, 65+
North Carolina	Sampson County	19	40-60%	13	37	77	\$33,876	64,050	AI, 65+
Ohio	Gallia County	25	40-60%	14	32	102	\$36,675	30,397	65+, V
Ohio	Monroe County	1	40-60%	13	35	99	\$40,646	14,465	PCPS, 65+, V
Oklahoma	Adair County	3	20-40%	15	35	167	\$31,386	22,186	AI, PP, 65+
Oklahoma	Bryan County	24	40-60%	12	33	112	\$38,187	44,486	AI, 65+, V
Oklahoma	Cherokee County	26	40-60%	13	36	63	\$38,027	48,341	AI, PP, 65+, V
Oklahoma	Delaware County	25	40-60%	16	33	82	\$36,424	41,446	AI, 65+, V
Oklahoma	Garvin County	17	40-60%	13	33	84	\$40,774	27,561	AI, 65+, V
Oklahoma	Mayes County	19	40-60%	15	36	80	\$41,806	40,816	AI, 65+, V
Oklahoma	McCurtain County	1	20-40%	13	36	109	\$34,964	33,050	AI, PP, 65+, V
Oklahoma	McIntosh County	13	20-40%	16	35	78	\$33,450	20,088	PCPS, AI, 65+, V
Oklahoma	Osage County	29	40-60%	13	36	55	\$48,014	47,981	PCPS, AI, 65+, V
Oklahoma	Seminole County	14	40-60%	14	38	81	\$35,964	25,421	AI, 65+, V
Oklahoma	Sequoyah County	26	20-40%	14	38	82	\$35,592	41,358	AI, 65+, V
South Carolina	Barnwell County	16	20-40%	14	39	82	\$32,205	21,959	PCPS, 65+, V
South Carolina	Chester County	13	40-60%	14	38	67	\$37,537	32,337	PCPS, 65+, V
South Carolina	Chesterfield County	24	40-60%	14	36	70	\$34,949	46,125	65+
South Carolina	Fairfield County	1	40-60%	18	41	60	\$35,490	22,976	65+, V
South Carolina	Hampton County	26	40-60%	17	44	73	\$33,644	20,405	PP, 65+, V
South Carolina	Marlboro County	1	40-60%	15	40	80	\$31,170	27,924	AI, PP, 65+
South Carolina	Orangeburg County	32	40-60%	17	41	46	\$31,382	90,090	PP, 65+, V
South Carolina	Saluda County	11	20-40%	14	34	44	\$42,286	20,026	PCPS, AI, 65+, V
Tennessee	Giles County	31	40-60%	12	36	65	\$41,326	28,853	65+, V
Tennessee	Humphreys County	26	40-60%	15	35	115	\$42,837	18,135	65+, V
Texas	Anderson County	14	40-60%	12	36	70	\$42,471	57,627	V
Texas	Cherokee County	13	40-60%	13	32	75	\$38,465	50,902	PCPS, AI, 65+
Texas	Polk County	3	40-60%	13	34	65	\$41,401	46,079	AI, 65+, V
Texas	Rusk County	19	40-60%	12	37	83	\$46,427	53,923	PCPS, 65+, V
Texas	Shelby County	19	40-60%	12	33	95	\$35,772	25,515	PCPS, 65+
Texas	Upshur County	10	40-60%	14	34	74	\$46,346	40,354	PCPS, AI, 65+, V
Texas	Van Zandt County	1	40-60%	13	34	72	\$43,377	52,910	PCPS, 65+, V
Virginia	Accomack County	9	40-60%	13	35	52	\$38,390	33,021	65+, V
Virginia	Buckingham County	0	40-60%	14	33	65	\$38,731	16,913	65+, V
Virginia	Mecklenburg County	27	40-60%	13	34	62	\$38,500	31,192	65+, V
West Virginia	Barbour County	27	40-60%	13	35	95	\$35,615	16,766	65+
West Virginia	Hampshire County	22	40-60%	12	34	88	\$35,980	23,483	65+, V
West Virginia	Jackson County	17	40-60%	13	33	96	\$41,121	29,126	65+, V
West Virginia	Mingo County	19	40-60%	14	39	250	\$29,839	25,716	PP, 65+

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