

Connecticut's Digital Divide: 23% of residents do not subscribe to broadband service



- Major urban areas – Hartford, New Haven, Waterbury, New Britain, Bridgeport – are hardest hit:
 - 38% of households in these cities do not subscribe
- Large gaps for low-income households, communities of color, older adults:
 - 36% of older adults do not subscribe to broadband
 - 36% of those below the state's median income lack home subscriptions
 - 35% of Hispanics do not subscribe to broadband service
 - 34% of African Americans do not subscribe to broadband
- “Homework gap” afflicts 14% of households with students:
 - 29% of low-income homes with students don't have broadband service
 - About one-quarter of Hispanic & African-American households with students lack service