

## WiFi Hotspots

A Wi-Fi hotspot is a device used to connect a mobile-enabled device, such as a laptop, smartphone, or tablet, to the Internet. The hotspot is portable, so it can connect a device almost anywhere.

The Lindenhurst Memorial Library lends Wi-Fi Hotspots to adult cardholders in good standing (no fines or overdue items). Hotspot checkout is limited to one per household for a period of 21 days, with one renewal, providing there are no holds on the device. The Library reserves the right to refuse service to patrons who abuse equipment or who are repeatedly late in returning materials. The Library is not responsible for any liability, damages or expense resulting from use or misuse of the device, connection of the device to other electronic devices, or data loss resulting from use of device.

Internet usage is not tracked by the Library. The Library does not have access to or collect specific usage data. The Library does not provide patron information to the service provider. The only data relating to the Hotspot program that the Library collects are:

- total amount of data transmitted and received by each device during a billing cycle
- anonymous circulation data related to checkouts of the Hotspot devices

The Internet service provider for the Hotspot program does not monitor or track the websites that Hotspot users visit or the information that users submit (user names, passwords, credit card information, etc.)

By using this free wireless network, you agree to abide by the Library's Acceptable Use Policy for Internet use. Any activity that violates the Acceptable Use Policy for Library owned Internet and computers is also prohibited on user-owned equipment that is connected to the wireless network. Any activity that is considered to be illegal applies to the Library patron whether or not the patron is using a Library-owned computer or his/her own device.

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