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What internet provider works best in Chicago?

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Depends where you live. Astound (formerly RCN) and AT&T are in some areas, but not all... well AT&T might offer only slow service in some areas but their fiber is only in some places. Find local FB groups for your neighborhood and ask there to get a good local picture



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Thanks for the advice



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I have AT&T fiber and it has been great.

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I have astound and I've had zero issues and my internet speeds are faster than the plan I'm actually signed up for. I don't have fiber just the normal plan

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I have Astound (formerly RCN) fiber. It's great but when I lived where it wasn't available my only option was Comcast. Good luck sir.

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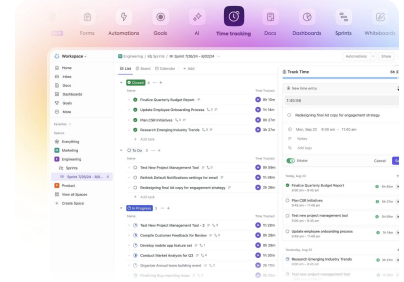
Astound rocks have been using it since I moved five months ago. 300 mbps up and down. Costs me 30 bucks a month. I was paying Xfinity 89 a month for 60mbps in the burbs.

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I've had xfinity at the last three places I lived in the uptown/edge water area and have never had a problem.

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Xfinity had no issues when I was living in Chicago. You could go with T-Mobile if you don't play videogames or activities that need low latency.

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AT&T Fiber has been so fast and so stable that I have actually developed some loyalty. Astound is offering gigabit service in my area for \$25 cheaper and I'm keeping the AT&T. I work from home so reliability is critical.

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AT&T or Xfinity are leading. I'd go with AT&T just because I have it and I have had no issues this year. Yeah goes on and off once a month but what doesn't plus I pay less than 45 a month and it's a okay internet speed. I have phones running wifi a tablet 3 Samsung smart TV's not a single issue.

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I called Xfinity yesterday as they started charging me \$50 extra a month, I think a "promotion" ended. I said I was doing research and strongly considering canceling. They decreased my bill by \$40 a month and gave me much faster internet. I guess you just have to play games with them.

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I had AT&T Fiber when I lived in Logan Square.

It was amazing. I wish it was available in my neighborhood in Bolingbrook.

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It's so weird that Fiber has been available in Logan Square but not here in Irving Park 10 minutes away.

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**TheMisiak** OP • 1y ago

I used to have Google Fiber. It was absolutely incredible. Now I have Xfinity and it stops working a few times a day. Its so frustrating

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