

UNDERSTANDING STREAMING TV

A SIMPLE GUIDE FOR GETTING STARTED

WHAT IS STREAMING?

Streaming is a newer way to watch TV using your Internet connection instead of cable wires.

You still watch the same kinds of shows—news, sports, movies, local channels—but they come through the Internet and appear on your TV, just like regular cable.

If you already use things like Netflix, YouTube, Facebook videos, or your smartphone, you've streamed before.

WHY PEOPLE LIKE STREAMING

- Get the channels you love, including Boston news and Boston sports (depending on the service you choose).
- DVR to pause, rewind, record, and watch later.
- No cable box needed—fewer wires and less equipment.
- Often costs less than traditional cable TV.

WHAT YOU NEED

1 A good Internet connection

Norwood Light's new Fiber Gig Speed Internet is fast and reliable.

2 A streaming device or smart TV

- A Smart TV (most TVs sold since 2016)
- A **Roku**, **Amazon Fire Stick**, or **Apple TV**
- If you get **DirecTV Stream** with their Gemini device you get Disney+, Hulu and ESPN Unlimited included
- Not sure if you have a Smart TV? Call us and we will help you!



3 A Streaming TV service

- DirecTV Stream, YouTube TV, Hulu Live TV, and Fubo all include local Boston stations, and many include Boston sports.
- If local channels and sports are not high priority—there are less expensive options like Frndly, Philo and Sling.
- For only local channels, an antenna may work, but reception depends on location and weather. Since it doesn't use Internet service, Norwood Light & Broadband doesn't support it.



NOT SURE WHICH TO CHOOSE?

We Can Help! Use MyBundleTV.

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GETTING STARTED WITH STREAMING

STEP 1

Make Sure You Have Norwood Fiber Internet

Our local team handles installation, setup, and ensures everything works before we leave. Installation is FREE.

STEP 2

Pick Your Streaming Device

Roku and Amazon Fire Stick are the most popular for beginners. Or use your Smart TV.

STEP 3

Subscribe to a Streaming TV Service

- Local Boston news & sports » YouTube TV, Hulu Live, DIRECTV Stream
- Lots of sports » Fubo
- No local Boston stations or local sports » Frndly, Philo or Sling

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STEP 4

Sign In & Watch TV

Open the app » Pick a channel » Press play. It becomes second nature with practice.

HELPFUL TIPS

- Keep one remote near the TV.
- Ask us to set up your favorite channels.
- The Home button normally brings you back to a familiar screen.
- Restart the TV if something seems off.
- Use our Welcome Kits to store your usernames and passwords.

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