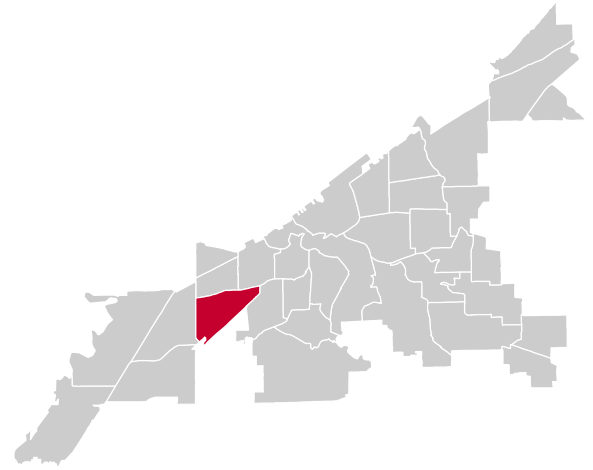


West Boulevard Neighborhood Factsheet

Demographics	West Boulevard	
Population	19,737	
<i>Under age 18</i>	5,049	25.6%
<i>Ages 18-64</i>	12,483	63.2%
<i>Ages 65+</i>	2,205	11.2%
Race	Count	%
<i>White</i>	10,957	55.5%
<i>Black/African American</i>	4,688	23.8%
<i>Asian-American/Pacific Islander</i>	636	3.2%
<i>Other race reported</i>	3,456	17.5%
Ethnicity	Count	%
<i>Hispanic/Latino (of any race)</i>	5,437	27.5%

West Boulevard



Income, Employment & Poverty	West Boulevard		Cleveland
Median Household Income	\$33,784		\$30,907
Employment (Age 16+)	%		%
<i>Labor Force Participation Rate</i>	60.0%		59.1%
Poverty	Count	%	%
<i>Persons living below poverty</i>	6,232	31.7%	32.7%
<i>Children (Age 0-17) below poverty</i>	2,266	44.6%	48.2%
<i>Families with children living below poverty</i>	895	37.4%	41.3%
<i>Older Adults (Age 65+) below poverty</i>	388	18.1%	20.5%
<i>Persons in or near poverty (under 200% of poverty)</i>	12,424	63.2%	57.7%
<i>Persons in deep poverty (under 50% of poverty)</i>	2,103	10.7%	15.2%

Food Bank Benefits Eligibility



2 in 3 West Boulevard residents, 12,424 total, live at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Level, which means they are eligible to receive food bank benefits.

Child Poverty

44.6% of children in West Boulevard, or 2,266 children, live below the poverty rate.



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Education	West Boulevard		Cleveland
<i>Less than a high school diploma</i>	2,999	24.1%	19.1%
<i>High school diploma or equivalent (GED)</i>	4,532	36.4%	32.7%
<i>Some college or associate degree</i>	3,570	28.6%	30.6%
<i>Bachelor's degree or higher</i>	1,367	11.0%	17.5%

Health	West Boulevard		Cleveland
<i>No health insurance coverage</i>	2,085	10.8%	7.7%
<i>Medicaid Coverage (alone or in combination)</i>	9,678	49.1%	46.3%
<i>Disability Status (with a disability, all ages)</i>	4,372	22.2%	19.2%
<i>Older Adult Disability Status (with a disability, age 65+)</i>	1,179	53.5%	42.5%
Birth Outcomes (Data Aggregated Over 4 Years 2014-2017)	Count	Rate	Rate
<i>Low birthweight (under 5.5 pounds)</i>	167	13.7%	13.7%
<i>Preterm birth (less than 37 weeks)</i>	170	13.9%	14.4%
<i>Teen births (births per 1,000 females ages 15-19)</i>	118	35	47

Internet Access

1,650 households, about **1 in 5**, in West Boulevard didn't have an internet subscription in 2019. Internet access is important for accessing virtual school, employment and benefits.



Housing Affordability



About 2 in 5 households in West Boulevard live in housing that is unaffordable to them, meaning their housing costs exceed 30% of the gross household income.

Access & Benefits	West Boulevard		Cleveland
Housing Affordability (housing is considered unaffordable if housing costs are more than 30% of the household income)			
Owner-Occupied households in unaffordable housing	869	26.3%	26.0%
Renter-Occupied Households in unaffordable housing	2,140	55.1%	51.7%
Public Benefits Income	Count	%	%
Households with Social Security Income (OASDI)	2,177	29.4%	28.8%
Households that received SNAP (food stamps)	2,674	36.7%	33.4%
Technology	Count	%	%
Household has one or more computing device	6,420	86.6%	82.4%
Household has an internet subscription	5,767	77.8%	68.7%

Sources: Birth Outcomes data are from Ohio Department of Health, 2014-2017, calculated by The Center for Community Solutions. All other data are 2019 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, compiled by The Center for Community Solutions in collaboration with the Northern Ohio Data & Information Service (NODIS), Maxine Goodman Levin College of Urban Affairs, Cleveland State University.