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The new Home Wi-Fi Nuvera IQ app gives you easy access to a snapshot view of your home network with the following features:

Parental Control

Provides the ability to set profiles, assign devices, schedule offline time, add content filters, filter apps and websites, and view profile usage.

Network Security

Provides network level protection against malware, viruses, etc.

Guest Network

Enables you to set up a network quickly and easily for guests.

Device List

Shows all connected devices by category.

Network Usage

Shows how much bandwidth each device on your network is using after running a bandwidth test.

Enable Application

Allows you to enable Alexa or other applications that you have signed up for through your service provider.

Disable Application

Allows you to disable applications you are currently using.

Bandwidth Test

Run a bandwidth speed test directly from your Nuvera equipment, eliminating your devices as the potential cause to any connectivity problems. This bandwidth test will also check the Wi-Fi health between all wireless access points in your home, ensuring that all your devices stay connected.

Find out more at nuvera.net/home-wi-fi.

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Home Wi-Fi with Nuvera IQ

Go to **nuvera.net/home-wi-fi** to get started.

Service availability based on location. Some restrictions may apply. Nuvera IQ three month value is \$44.85. Service fee value is \$45. Service order fee of \$15 still applies. Offer ends March 31, 2021.

New Offerings From Nuvera!

Nuvera is pleased to announce it is offering the following new Internet speeds and prices:

100/20 Mbps	Ultimate Power	\$99.95
60/5 Mbps	Preferred Experience	\$74.95
30/2 Mbps	Accelerated Access	\$59.95
20/1 Mbps	Get Connected	\$49.95

New bundled discounts, optional higher upload speeds, managed home Wi-Fi with Nuvera IQ app and additional support to meet your individual needs are also available.

Visit **nuvera.net** for a complete service lineup.

Service availability based on location.

Email Storage Increase

To better serve our customers, Nuvera's email server space size has increased. Each email account now has 1GB of storage space! It is still very important to eliminate old, unwanted emails.

If your Nuvera email account is not your primary email, we would appreciate including your preferred email on your account in order to receive important messages, including confirmation emails from online bill payments.



Thankful Thursday

Every Thursday, we do a #thankfulthursday giveaway on our Facebook page in recognition and appreciation of our wonderful customers. Follow us on Facebook to take part in the weekly giveaways, learn about products, sales, events and more!

Nuvera Begins Search for Scholarship Applicants

In addition to the R.T. Rodenberg Memorial Scholarships presented annually to seniors in the communities it serves, Nuvera has begun a search for candidates for a one-time \$2,000 scholarship from the Minnesota Telecom Alliance Foundation.

To be eligible for the six general scholarships, applicants must be attending post-secondary education at a university, college, or technical college, be a Minnesota resident, and the applicant's family must subscribe to at least one service from Nuvera.

To be eligible for the \$2,000 Jon Tollefson Technology Scholarship, applicants must be majoring in either Telecommunications or Information Technology (IT) at a university, college, or technical college and be a Minnesota resident.

A telecom alliance panel reviews each application and selects the finalists based on applicants' grades, academic achievements and extra-curricular activities. Preference to receive the scholarships is given to students who have an interest in telecommunications technology and rural communities.

Students and their families can obtain more information by contacting their school's guidance counselor, Nuvera, or by going to:

mnta.org/resource/resmgr/forms/MTA-Scholarship-Form-2021.pdf

Applications must be submitted to Nuvera, Attn: Beth Vavra, 27 N. Minnesota, New Ulm, MN 56073 by February 19, 2021.

The Foundation is part of the Minnesota Telecom Alliance, a trade association representing 44 telecommunications providers in the state.



Christmas Gift Wrapping

In December, Nuvera held a fundraiser in which employees could make a donation and have gifts wrapped.

All proceeds went to local non-profit agencies. Nuvera's HR Generalist Sarah Nelsen was the "elf" who did a wonderful job wrapping all the gifts.

Ask Our Experts

How To Make the Most of Your Home Internet

Internet use was up 70 percent in the first weeks of COVID-19 in the United States, according to Forbes Magazine!

With your home Wi-Fi under more strain than ever, you need your service to reach every nook and cranny of the house. Mom or Dad may be working from home on different floors than where the kids are engaged in distance learning. Each needs the best connection possible.

There are a few options to consider when trying to make the best of your Internet signal.

Home Wi-Fi

Nuvera's modems feature built-in wireless Internet that is available for a low monthly charge. Since there are no other components involved in your Internet connection, like a customer owned router, it will be easier to troubleshoot if an Internet issue does arise. This also allows for optional Nuvera IQ, an app that lets you view devices on your network,



Greg Beahan
Field Service Technician

set up parental controls or a guest network, monitor network usage, and more. (See page 1 for more details.)

Mesh Wi-Fi

Mesh Wi-Fi has become the preferred solution for improving coverage, speeding networks, and eliminating hassle in configuration and maintenance. Several nodes placed around your home connect wirelessly creating a seamless Wi-Fi network, using one password and allowing movement throughout your home without latency and delays.

Wi-Fi Extender

A Wi-Fi Extender connects with your router via a wired ethernet connection and helps the Internet signal reach into your home's Wi-Fi "dead zone(s)." Because it connects using a cable, the signal strength is generally very good and is a cheaper alternative, but as you move to the next sphere of coverage, your devices will need to connect to a new network hence an inconvenience. Configuration is manual.

Nuvera's associates can talk you through any buffering or spotty Wi-Fi connection issues you may experience and help determine the best solution to your problem. Contact a Nuvera associate at 844.354.4111 or via online chat at nuvera.net.

Wondering how to do something on your computer, wireless phone or social media?

Nuvera's Technology Solutions team has extensive knowledge in all things technology.

We'll answer your tech-related questions for as little as \$15.

If we can't answer your question or solve your issue, we won't charge you.

Visit nuveratechtrends.com/15-minute-support to schedule a session.

Newsmax Coming to Nuvera's Variety Package

The Newsmax channel will be added to the Variety package of Nuvera's TV lineup (in all locations except Aurelia, IA). Watch for Newsmax to appear in the service lineup starting March 1, 2021.

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"Nuvera's customer service is great!"

- Marsha Volkenant,
Hutchinson

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School of St. Philip Chromebooks

Mike Chapman, Nuvera (left), is pictured with School of St. Philip Principal Percy Lingen. The Litchfield school was having difficulty securing devices for their students. With the help of Nuvera representatives Chapman and Jeff Seidl, they now have Chromebooks for every third, fourth and fifth grader.



Meet Our Employees



Mary Korthour

Position: Sr. Director of Business Development

Length of time with company: 20 years

One of my favorite hobbies: I love to travel but given that is currently limited, I spend a lot of time outdoors hiking local trails.

How I like to be involved in the community: Outside of work, I volunteer at the Community Action Partnership for Scott, Carver and Dakota Counties. I'm passionate about the work they do. They act as a steppingstone for individuals and families who need temporary assistance to get back on their feet.



Ryan Lohman

Position: Sales Associate

Length of time with company: One year and four months

One of my favorite hobbies: My favorite activity is golf.

How I like to be involved in the community: In my spare time, I enjoy volunteering and coaching with my kids' sports or activities.