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Gear Up for All-Digital Television @ Your Public Library

Main Library To Hold "DTV Awareness Day" | Monday, May 11, 3:00-7:00 p.m.

The Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County is hosting "DTV Awareness Day" on Monday, May 11, to help people gear up for the transition from analog to digital television broadcasting. A representative from the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) will be at the Main Library, 800 Vine Street, 369-6900, from 3:00-7:00 p.m. to demonstrate how to properly connect a DTV converter box to a television. This FCC rep will also show customers how to apply for discount coupons to use toward the purchase of DTV conversion boxes.

Congress has set June 12, 2009, as the final deadline for terminating analog broadcasts. Consumers who rely on antennas (including outside antennas and "rabbit ears") to receive over-the-air broadcast signals on TV sets having only analog tuners will need to obtain separate digital-to-analog set-top converter boxes to watch over-the-air TV. These boxes receive digital signals and convert them into analog format for display on analog TVs.



FOR MORE INFORMATION about the analog-to-digital transition, visit <http://www.dtv.gov> or call 1-888-CALL-FCC (1-888-225-5322).

More DTV Information Available @ CincinnatiLibrary.org

The Sites by Subject page on <http://www.CincinnatiLibrary.org/> links you to thousands of websites that have been carefully evaluated by subject specialists on our staff. Librarians compiled links to credible websites about the Digital TV Transition to help you prepare for the switch from analog-to-digital television. Visit <http://www.cincinnatiLibrary.org/resources/sbs.asp/> to get connected to these websites!