

WEB ACCESSIBILITY CHECKLIST

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1 AUTOMATED TESTING

- Was the code checked with WAVE?

2 COLOR/CONTRAST

- Is information conveyed by means other than just color alone? For example, using color and text both to indicate that a form field has an error, or using colors with text to label chart categories.
- Does all text have a minimum color contrast against its background of at least 4.5 to 1 (3 to 1 for large text)?
- Is link text distinguishable from non-link text by more than just color?
- Do actionable elements have clear, visible focus when non-mouse users Tab or Arrow to them?

3 SEMANTICS AND STRUCTURE

- Can structure, information and relationships conveyed through visual presentation (in headings, lists, menus, forms, etc.), be programmatically determined?

4 READABILITY

- Has the reading order been tested to confirm that all content on the page is available in a logical order for assistive technologies?

5 IMAGES

- Do all linked, informative, and decorative `` elements have appropriate alternative text (e.g., alt attributes)?
- Do all informative background images have alternative text on the page that can be read by assistive technologies?

6 KEYBOARD AND TOUCHSCREEN NAVIGATION

- When interacting with a page with the keyboard, is focus always visible, is it managed when necessary, and does it follow a logical order?
- Can all functionality be accomplished using only the keyboard?
- Do all keyboard-only (and touchscreen) interactions follow expected patterns so users know how to interact with all widgets on the page?
- Can keyboard-only users always move focus without ever getting trapped?

7 TABLES

- Are data tables marked up to convey the correct relationships between data cells and their associated column or row header cells?

8 FORM LABELS

- Do form controls have visible labels? Are the label and control programmatically associated?
- Are related fields grouped and associated with a common label (if present)?

9 FORM ERRORS

- Are error descriptions programmatically associated with their form element?
- If an error is detected on form submission, are screen reader users made aware of it?
- If a validation error occurs during user input or when a user moves focus, is the error message spoken by a screen reader?

10 TIMING

- For scrolling, moving, blinking, dynamic or auto-updating content are mechanisms provided to stop, pause, hide, and control it?
- Can the time limit for completing a task be turned off, adjusted, or extended by the user — unless an exception applies?