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# Web Accessibility Resources

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## Web Accessibility Resources

The Department of Justice (DOJ) published the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Standards for Accessible Design in September 2010. These standards state that all electronic and information technology must be accessible to people with disabilities. The ADA encourages self-regulation of accessibility standards and the Department of Justice is still considering whether to issue guidance.

In order to assist credit unions in making their websites accessible for all people, the National Credit Union Administration provides this list of resources. Please note the list is not exhaustive and only includes some of the most common resources available. Credit unions must complete their own due diligence to ensure their websites are accessible to people with disabilities.

## Guidelines and Standards

World Wide Web Consortium (W3C) - <https://www.w3.org/standards/webdesign/accessibility>

Web Accessibility Initiative (WAI) - <https://www.w3.org/WAI/Resources/>

## General Web Accessibility Resources

Video Introduction to Web Accessibility and W3C Standards - <https://www.w3.org/WAI/videos/standards-and-benefits/>

WebAIM Web Accessibility In Mind - <https://webaim.org/>

American Foundation for the Blind (AFB) - <http://www.afb.org/info/programs-and-services/afb-consulting-services/afb-accessibility-resources/resources-2177/1235>

Adobe PDF Accessibility - <https://www.adobe.com/accessibility/pdf/pdf-accessibility-overview.html>

The A11Y Project - <https://a11yproject.com/resources>

## Online Evaluation Tools

WAVE Web Accessibility Evaluation Tool - <https://wave.webaim.org/>

Accessify - <https://www.accessify.com/tools-and-wizards/>

Color Contrast Analyser - <https://developer.paciellogroup.com/resources/contrastanalyser/>

## Screen Readers

Paciello Group Basic Screen Reader Commands for Accessibility Testing -

<https://developer.paciellogroup.com/blog/2015/01/basic-screen-reader-commands-for-accessibility-testing/>

NV Access NVDA Screen Reader (Windows) - <https://www.nvaccess.org/download/>

Freedom Scientific (JAWS) - <https://www.freedomscientific.com/>

Apple VoiceOver (iOS, Mac) - <https://www.apple.com/accessibility/iphone/vision/>

Chrome (Mac/Win/ChromeOS) - <http://www.chromevox.com/>