

Voluntary Product Evaluation Template (VPAT)

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Name of Product: ABC-CLIO Solutions Databases:

American Government
American History
Daily Life through History
Health and Wellness Issues
Issues
Modern Genocide
Pop Culture Universe
The African American Experience
The American Indian Experience
The Latino American Experience
U.S. Geography
World at War
World Geography
World History: Ancient and Medieval Eras
World History: The Modern Era
World Religions

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Section 1194.21 Software Applications and Operating Systems

* Refer to (<http://www.access-board.gov/sec508/guide/1194.21.htm>) for details on the guidelines listed below.

Criteria	Supporting Features	Remarks and explanations
(a) When software is designed to run on a system that has a keyboard, product functions shall be executable from a keyboard where the function itself or the result of performing a function can be discerned textually.	Supports	
(b) Applications shall not disrupt or disable activated features of other	Not applicable	

<p>products that are identified as accessibility features, where those features are developed and documented according to industry standards. Applications also shall not disrupt or disable activated features of any operating system that are identified as accessibility features where the application programming interface for those accessibility features has been documented by the manufacturer of the operating system and is available to the product developer.</p>		
<p>(c) A well-defined on-screen indication of the current focus shall be provided that moves among interactive interface elements as the input focus changes. The focus shall be programmatically exposed so that Assistive Technology can track focus and focus changes.</p>	Supports with exceptions	Legacy and/or third-party components of the site may not be compliant
<p>(d) Sufficient information about a user interface element including the identity, operation and state of the element shall be available to Assistive Technology. When an image represents a program element, the information conveyed by the image must also be available in text.</p>	Supports	
<p>(e) When bitmap images are used to identify controls, status indicators, or other programmatic elements, the meaning assigned to those images shall be consistent throughout an application's performance.</p>	Supports	
<p>(f) Textual information shall be provided through operating system functions for displaying text. The minimum information that shall be made available is text content, text input caret location, and text attributes.</p>	Supports	
<p>(g) Applications shall not override user selected contrast and color selections and other individual display attributes.</p>	Not applicable	
<p>(h) When animation is displayed, the information shall be displayable in at least</p>	Not applicable	

one non-animated presentation mode at the option of the user.		
(i) Color coding shall not be used as the only means of conveying information, indicating an action, prompting a response, or distinguishing a visual element.	Supports	
(j) When a product permits a user to adjust color and contrast settings, a variety of color selections capable of producing a range of contrast levels shall be provided.	Not applicable	
(k) Software shall not use flashing or blinking text, objects, or other elements having a flash or blink frequency greater than 2 Hz and lower than 55 Hz.	Not applicable	No flashing or blinking elements are in use
(l) When electronic forms are used, the form shall allow people using Assistive Technology to access the information, field elements, and functionality required for completion and submission of the form, including all directions and cues.	Supports	

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Section 1194.22 Web-based Internet information and applications		
* Refer to (http://www.access-board.gov/sec508/guide/1194.22.htm) for details on the guidelines listed below.		
Criteria	Supporting Features	Remarks and explanations
(a) A text equivalent for every non-text element shall be provided (e.g., via "alt", "longdesc", or in element content).	Supported with Exceptions	Text equivalents are not available for all non-textual elements.
(b) Equivalent alternatives for any multimedia presentation shall be synchronized with the presentation.	Not supported	Transcripts for most multimedia content are provided. Older legacy audio/video may not be compliant
(c) Web pages shall be designed so that all information conveyed with color is also available without color, for example from context or markup.	Supports	Search hits are indicated in the markup
(d) Documents shall be organized so they	Supports with exceptions	

are readable without requiring an associated style sheet.		
(e) Redundant text links shall be provided for each active region of a server-side image map.	Not applicable	No server-side image maps
(f) Client-side image maps shall be provided instead of server-side image maps except where the regions cannot be defined with an available geometric shape.	Not applicable	Client-side image maps are not used
(g) Row and column headers shall be identified for data tables.	Supports with Exceptions	Data tables are based on the underlying XML. That functionality is supported if the tagging for row and column headers is available in the underlying content.
(h) Markup shall be used to associate data cells and header cells for data tables that have two or more logical levels of row or column headers.	Supports with Exceptions	Data tables are based on the underlying XML. That functionality is supported if the tagging for row and column headers is available in the underlying content.
(i) Frames shall be titled with text that facilitates frame identification and navigation	Supports	
(j) Pages shall be designed to avoid causing the screen to flicker with a frequency greater than 2 Hz and lower than 55 Hz.	Supports	
(k) A text-only page, with equivalent information or functionality, shall be provided to make a web site comply with the provisions of this part, when compliance cannot be accomplished in any other way. The content of the text-only page shall be updated whenever the primary page changes.	Does not support	
(l) When pages utilize scripting languages to display content, or to create interface elements, the information provided by the script shall be identified with functional text that can be read by Assistive Technology.	Supports	

(m) When a web page requires that an applet, plug-in or other application be present on the client system to interpret page content, the page must provide a link to a plug-in or applet that complies with 1194.21(a) through (l).	Not applicable	No plug-ins or other applications are required.
(n) When electronic forms are designed to be completed on-line, the form shall allow people using Assistive Technology to access the information, field elements, and functionality required for completion and submission of the form, including all directions and cues.	Supports	
(o) A method shall be provided that permits users to skip repetitive navigation links.	Supports	
(p) When a timed response is required, the user shall be alerted and given sufficient time to indicate more time is required.	Not applicable	No timed responses are required.

Section 1194.41 Information, documentation, and support		
Criteria	Supporting Features	Remarks and explanations
(a) Product support documentation provided to end-users shall be made available in alternate formats upon request, at no additional charge.	Supports	Help is available as a Microsoft Word document or as a pdf
(b) End-users shall have access to a description of the accessibility and compatibility features of products in alternate formats or alternate methods upon request, at no additional charge.	Supports with exception	All help files are available online and can be printed. If viewed online, user can use ReadSpeaker feature.
(c) Support services for products shall accommodate the communication needs of end-users with disabilities.	Supports with exception	Customer Service is available to assist with various communication needs.