Website Accessibility

European Accessibility Act's (EAA) requirements

Here are 10 things you should consider to ensure that your website is ready to meet the European Accessibility Act's requirements:



Provide Useful Alt Text for Non-Text Content

This helps to ensure that non-decorative images, media, applets, and other nvon-text content can be understood by users of assistive technologies, such as screen readers.



Ensure All Content Is Accessible Via Keyboard

Keep in mind that some visitors are physically unable to use a mouse.



Design Forms for Accessibility

Your forms should be effective, usable, and logical. Clearly label fields, provide pertinent information/instructions, and identify any form entry errors, such as required fields being empty.



Use Moving, Flashing or Blinking Content Carefully

Content that blinks more than three times per second could trigger episodes for visitors with epilepsy.



Use WAI-ARIA for Dynamic Elements

Any changes to content that occurs without the page reloading should be clearly communicated to users of assistive technology.



Ensure Page Titles are Sufficiently Descriptive

Your page title should accurately reflect its content.



Ensure Link Text is Unique and Descriptive

All links should be accompanied by a descriptive name and anchor text that clearly identifies the link destination.



Ensure Headings are Properly Marked Up

Help visitors, particularly users of assistive technology who may override or disable CSS, understand how the different information on the page is related.



Don't Impose Time Limits

Remember that some people require more time than others to complete a task.



Select Your Colors and Ensure Sufficient Contrast Between Text and Background

Can your content be perceived easily by all visitors? You can check and select effective color combinations using Monsido's Color Contrast Checker





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