

# COLOR AND IMAGES ACCESSIBILITY CHECKLIST



## Color and Contrast:

Color contrast was tested using either the [TPGI color contrast checker](#) or [WebAIM contrast checker](#).

Color meets the contrast standard of 4.5:1 for regular-sized text or 3:1 for large text, including text within an image. Large text is defined as 18 point font or larger or 14 point when bolded.

All variations in background colors meet contrast standards as needed (i.e., as background colors change, the text overlaid still passes contrast tests)..

Charts, graphs, maps, and other graphical representations include not only colors, but also patterns, labels, legends, shapes, and/or a text alternative to convey information.

Text within images, GIFs, memes, and other visual content meets appropriate color contrast standards.

## Images:

Images include alt text or captions as appropriate.

Alt text or captions describe information important to the context of the image (e.g., the purpose, emotions, actions, and text included).

Alt text or captions are limited to 140 characters or less.

Most text is not included within an image.

“Image of,” “graphic of,” “table of,” etc. are not included within the alt text.

Images explained within the body text do not contain captions or alt text.

## GIFs:

GIFs do not automatically play and can be paused, stopped, or hidden.

GIFs do not automatically flash, blink, or strobe.

GIFs maintain the three-flash threshold, flashing no more than three times per second.

GIFs include alt text, captions, or audio descriptions.

