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| **Checklist for ADA Compliance in Online Courses** | Yes | No | N/A |
| Links | 1. Provides wordings for the links. Avoids using “click here” for the links.
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| 1. Uses text descriptions for the links.
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| Text | 1. Uses **serif fonts** for easy readability
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| 1. Uses dark font colors on light backgrounds (preferably use black text on a white background)
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| 1. Avoids extremely bright colors as a background colors.
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| 1. Uses one font throughout the site.
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| 1. Avoids overuse of all CAPS, bold or italics
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| 1. Avoids underlining words, as the screen reader can mistake it for a navigation link.
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| Images | 1. Images are clear.
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| 1. Image files are optimized for efficient loading.
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| 1. Use of animated images is limited to only those that contribute to the learning experience – supporting the course content.
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| 1. Avoids animated or blinking images, text or cursors. These can cause seizures for some people.
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| 1. All Images have alt texts/long descriptions attached to them.
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| Audio | 1. Audio quality is clear.
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| 1. Audio file length is adequate to meet the goals of the activity without being too large to restrict users’ ability to download the file on computers with lower bandwidths.
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| 1. A written transcript is provided with all audio files.
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| 1. Audio file length is adequate to meet the goals of the activity without adding unnecessary information.
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| 1. Audio player required is compatible with multiple operating systems and requires only a standard, free plug-in.
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| Video | 1. Video quality is clear.
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| 1. Video file length is adequate to meet the goals of the activity without being too large to restrict users’ ability to download the file on computers with lower bandwidths.
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| 1. Provides closed-captioning or has accompanying text-based scripts for all videos.
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| 1. Video file lengths are adequate to meet the goals of the activity without adding unnecessary information.
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| 1. Video player required is compatible with multiple operating systems and requires only a standard, free plug-in.
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