Coast Community College District BOARD POLICY

Chapter 3
General Institution

BP 3722 Accessibility Standards for Electronic and Information Technology

References:

Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990;
Rehabilitation Act of 1973;
29 U.S. Code Section 794d;
36 Code of Federal Regulations Sections 1194.1 et seq.;
Government Code Sections 7405, 11135 et seq., 11546.7;
Title 5 of California Code of Regulations Sections 59300 et seq.;
Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.1
BP 3720 and AP 3720 Computer and Network Use

The District is committed to providing equitable access to information and data posted on all of its websites and Learning Management Systems. These forms of Electronic and Information Technology ("EIT") are significant and growing means by which the District provides information to students, faculty, staff, and other constituents.

As mandated by state and federal law, the Chancellor shall ensure equitable access to EIT for individuals with disabilities.

All web pages, digital documents, digital content in courses, and other digital resources published, hosted, or otherwise provided by the District, and by each College within the District, must be in compliance with the World Wide Web standards defined in Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Library resources cited for course use must also be in compliance with Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.

The District recognizes the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG 2.1 Level AA) of the World Wide Web Consortium (W3C) as the standard for World Wide Web accessibility and compliance with Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.

All web pages published, hosted, or otherwise provided by the District, and by each College within the District, must display contact information for the Accessibility Compliance Officer.

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