Web Accessibility Statement

The Chartered Professional Accountants of Ontario is committed to creating an accessible online environment for its visitors and to making its web documents available to everyone. Our website has been updated to ensure a high degree of WCAG2’s Level A compliance, as required by Ontario's AODA Information and Communication Standard of the Integrated Accessibility Regulations. We continue to add and improve this website's accessibility features.

We strongly urge users keep their browsers up-to-date to take advantage of new and updated assistive technologies.

In alignment with the WCAG 2.0 Guidelines, CPA Ontario aims to ensure our website meets certain criteria, including but not limited to the following:

Perceivable

- Ability to provide text alternatives for any non-text content.
- Text equivalents to video and audio multimedia
- Use of ALT tags and title tags
- Proper use of colour

Operable

- A high level of keyboard navigation support – IE using the Tab key instead of mouse
- Multiple ways to navigate and find content – Search, Quick Links & Navigation
- Users have enough time to read and complete tasks

Understandable

- CMS provides ability to manage content in a way which is readable and understandable.
- Input assistance to help users avoid and correct mistakes.

Robust

- High compatibility with screen readers and with multiple browsers
- Markup language is used to facilitate accessibility

Due to conditions beyond our control, there are some instances where we are unable to provide information in an accessible format. These include a number of member and student online business registrations and content pages that use non-compliant third party software. In addition, a number of independently produced training videos do not have captioning or transcripts. In all of these cases suppliers have been notified and future updates should be in proper compliance.

If you have any difficulties accessing aspects of the site, contact accessibility@cpaontario.ca