

# NC LIVE Accessibility Audit

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## Credo Reference

### Empty Button

Location the error occurs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Search Results Page</li></ul>
Number of times the error occurs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Search Results Page - 1</li></ul>
What it means	A button is empty or has no value text.
Why it matters	When navigating to a button, descriptive text must be presented to screen reader users to indicate the function of the button.
How to fix it	Place text content within the <button> element or give the <input> element a value attribute.
WCAG guideline related to the issue	1.1.1 Non-text Content (Level A) 2.4.4 Link Purpose (In Context) (Level A)

### Empty Heading

Location the error occurs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Search Results Page</li></ul>
Number of times the error occurs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Search Results Page - 1</li></ul>
What it means	A heading contains no content.
Why it matters	Some users, especially keyboard and screen reader users, often navigate by heading elements. An empty heading will present no information and may introduce confusion.
How to fix it	Ensure that all headings contain informative content.
WCAG guideline related to the issue	1.3.1 Info and Relationships (Level A) 2.4.1 Bypass Blocks (Level A) 2.4.6 Headings and Labels (Level AA)

## Missing Alternative Text

Location the error occurs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Record-level page</li></ul>
Number of times the error occurs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Record-level page - 1</li></ul>
What it means	Image alternative text is not present.
Why it matters	Each image must have an alt attribute. Without alternative text, the content of an image will not be available to screen reader users or when the image is unavailable.
How to fix it	Add an alt attribute to the image. The attribute value should accurately and succinctly present the content and function of the image. If the content of the image is conveyed in the context or surroundings of the image, or if the image does not convey content or have a function, it should be given empty/null alternative text (alt="").
WCAG guideline related to the issue	1.1.1 Non-text Content (Level A)

## Linked Image Missing Alternative Text

Location the error occurs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Record-level page</li></ul>
Number of times the error occurs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Record-level page - 1</li></ul>
What it means	An image without alternative text results in an empty link.
Why it matters	Images that are the only thing within a link must have descriptive alternative text. If an image is within a link that contains no text and that image does not provide alternative text, a screen reader has no content to present to the user regarding the function of the link.
How to fix it	Add appropriate alternative text that presents the content of the image and/or the function of the link.
WCAG guideline related to the issue	1.1.1 Non-text Content (Level A) 2.4.4 Link Purpose (In Context) (Level A)