Website evaluation worksheet

WEBSITE EVALUATION CHECKLIST

Name of Article: Website:

Criteria	YES	NO
Article/Web page Title		
Author or publisher		
Date Last Updated		
URL Domain		
What are the credentials (Phd, MA, BA, MD,etc) of the author or publisher?		
Is there contact information for the author or publisher?		
Is this a personal page or sponsored by an organization?		
Is it a reputable organization producing this webpage?		
Is the domain of the website using a preferred domain? .edu, .gov, .org, or .net?		
Does the webpage offer valuable information to answer your research questions?		
Does the information appear to be accurate because it matches information found in other resources?		
Is the information up to date?		
Is believable evidence provided to back up all statements?		
Is the information mostly facts or opinions?		
Why was this information written? Was it to inform the reader, persuade, advertise?		
Does the website have active links to other articles or web pages?		

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