Accessibility Statement for Herefordshire and Worcestershire Wellbeing and Recovery College Website

Introduction

Welcome to the **Herefordshire and Worcestershire Wellbeing and Recovery College** website. We are committed to making our website accessible to everyone, regardless of their abilities or disabilities. This statement outlines our efforts to improve accessibility and provides information on how users can navigate and interact with our site.

Our Commitment

- We strive to meet the **Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG)** 2.1 at the AA level.
- Our website is continuously monitored and tested for accessibility issues.
- We value feedback from users and are committed to addressing any accessibility concerns promptly.

Accessibility Features

Visual Design

- Our website uses high contrast colors to enhance readability.
- We provide **alternative text** for images to convey their content to screen readers.
- Users can adjust font sizes using browser settings.

Keyboard Navigation

- All interactive elements are keyboard accessible.
- Users can navigate through the site using the **Tab** key.

Screen Readers

- Our website is compatible with popular screen readers such as JAWS, NVDA, and VoiceOver.
- We use **semantic HTML** to ensure proper screen reader interpretation.

Captions and Transcripts

• Videos on our site include **captions** or **transcripts** for users with hearing impairments.

Forms and Documents

• Our forms are **accessible**, with clear labels and instructions.

• We provide accessible PDFs and other documents.

Known Issues

While we strive for full accessibility, we are aware of the following issues:

- 1. Alt Text on Images is currently pending on the site (27-02-24)
- 2. Some PDF documents need to be reformatted (27-02-24)

We are working to resolve these problems and these should be completed by – 12-03-24

Contact Us

If you encounter any accessibility barriers or have suggestions for improvement, please contact our accessibility team at <u>hw_wellbeingrecoverycollege@comfirst.org.uk</u>

Legal Compliance

Publishing an accessibility statement is one of the requirements under the **accessibility regulations.**