

## **Accessibility Guidelines**

The New Mexico Family Portal is developed in compliance with the World Wide Web Consortium's (W3C) Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.0, Level AA for optimal compatibility with assistive technology products and features. As part of this effort, eMetric utilizes the W3C's Accessible Rich Internet Application (ARIA) recommendation to improve the interaction between assistive technology and the portal. Browsers and assistive technology products should comply with the User Agent Accessibility Guidelines (UAAG) and support the ARIA recommendation for the best user experience.

There are a wide variety of assistive technology products available in the market for different accessibility needs. Examples of commonly used screen readers include:

- JAWS® (Job Access With Speech) a screen reader which provides speech and braille output for computer applications.
- NV Access (NVDA) is only available for PCs running Microsoft Windows. A comprehensive listing of assistive technology products can be found at the American Foundation for the Blind website.

## Please note,

- The functionality in trial versions of assistive technology products may be limited.
- Screen magnification can be achieved by using the zoom functionality in the browser settings for Chrome, Firefox, and Internet Explorer.
- Assistive technology products named in these guidelines are commonly used and are not endorsed by Cognia or eMetric.