Digital Accessibility Statement for InPlace

This accessibility statement applies to InPlace.

InPlace is provided by QuantumIT on behalf of the University of Huddersfield. We want as many people as possible to be able to use this website. For example, you should be able to:

- change colours, contrast levels and fonts
- zoom in up to 300% without the text spilling off the screen
- navigate most of the website using just a keyboard
- navigate most of the website using speech recognition software
- listen to most of the website using a screen reader (including the most recent versions of JAWS, NVDA and VoiceOver)

We've also made the website text as simple as possible to understand. AbilityNet has advice on making your device easier to use if you have a disability.

How accessible this website is

We are currently establishing our own testing roadmap for InPlace. We are aware that significant parts of this platform may not be fully accessible.

You may encounter issues with:

- Keyboard Navigation: It can be difficult to tell where you have navigated to when using a keyboard (focus is not always visible). Keyboard navigation is not regular or reliable on the platform.
- Magnification: Pages will not reflow when magnified, meaning you may have to scroll both horizontally and vertically to read content.
- Colour Contrast: Not all text and user interface components (such as icons) meet the required contrast levels, making them difficult to see.
- Pop-ups: Some pop-up windows may appear without warning, which can be disorienting for screen reader users.
- Screen Reader Compatibility: Some information is not conveyed in a format screen readers can read. Additionally, icons lack alternative text descriptions.
- Tooltips: Tooltips may disappear as soon as the cursor moves, or be missing entirely for some icons.
- Colour Usage: Some information may be conveyed using colour alone.

Feedback and contact information

If you need information on this website in a different format, including accessible PDF, large print, easy read, audio recording, or braille, please contact:

The Library Disability Support Advisor

Call: +44 1484 473925

Email: library.disability.support@hud.ac.uk

We will consider your request and get back to you within 2 working days during normal office hours, Monday-Friday.

Reporting accessibility problems with this website and platform

If you find any issues not identified within this statement or think the platform is not meeting accessibility requirements, email it.support@hud.ac.uk. Please be as specific and detailed as you can.

Enforcement procedure

The Equality and Human Rights Commission (EHRC) is responsible for enforcing the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018 (the 'accessibility regulations'). If you're not happy with how we respond to your complaint, contact the Equality Advisory and Support Service (EASS).

Contacting us by phone or visiting us in person

If you have an accessibility requirement for contacting or visiting us, do email the responsible person in advance as accommodations might be possible.

Contact Disability Services

Call: +44 1484 471001

Email: disability@hud.ac.uk

In person: iPoint, Level 4, Student Central, University of Huddersfield, Queensgate,

Huddersfield, HD1 3DH.

Technical information about this website's accessibility

The University of Huddersfield is committed to making its website accessible, in accordance with the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018.

Compliance Status

From initial testing this platform is not compliant with the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines version 2.1 AA standard.

We are currently planning a full accessibility audit to identify non-compliance and will update this statement with our findings and a roadmap for improvements once testing is complete.

Preparation of this accessibility statement

This statement was prepared on 25/11/2025. It was last reviewed on 11/12/2025.

The accessibility declaration of conformance has been prepared by University of Huddersfield's Digital Accessibility Manager.