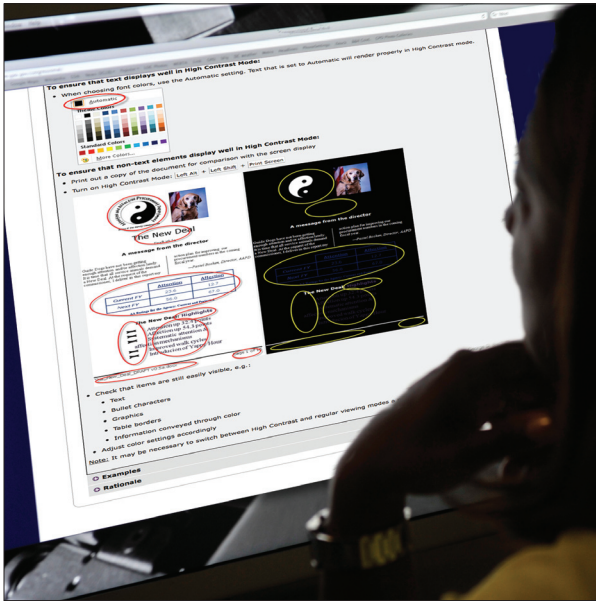


# GPO Solutions Complying with Section 508



The U.S. Access Board\* has ruled that **Federal agencies covered by Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 have a deadline of January 18, 2018**, to comply. Accessibility standards ensure that information and communication technology is available to and usable by individuals with disabilities.

**GPO offers a variety of solutions to Federal agencies to meet Section 508 Standards.**

## 508 Compliance Consulting

GPO solutions offer professional assessment and consultation services from vendor-neutral industry experts. Section 508 consulting services include:

- Evaluation of your agency's current level of compliance
- Cost estimates for services needed to meet Section 508 requirements
- Development of Section 508 compliance SOPs for your agency
- Guidance on Section 508 responsibilities and standards
- Identification of staff training needs

## 508 Compliance Contract Vehicles

GPO offers contracts that provide for:

- The creation, remediation, and distribution of Section 508 compliant PDF files from legacy documents or electronic files
- 508 accessibility for fillable PDF's using Adobe LiveCycle
- An assessment review on how to make a file 508 compliant



To learn more about consulting options and procurement vehicles available to your agency contact the GPO National Account Managers (NAMS) directly at **202.512.1904** or email **NAM@gpo.gov**

## 508 Compliance Training

Section 508 training courses are available to Federal employees through the Institute at GPO. Courses available now include:

- 508 Compliance with Adobe Acrobat & MS Word for Federal Publishers (3 days)
- 508 with Fillable Forms for Federal Publishers (2 days)
- 508 with Adobe InDesign for Federal Publishers (3 days)
- Managing 508 Compliance Workflow for Federal Publishers (1 day)

To view courses and register:

<https://www.gpo.gov/customers/theinstitute.htm>

\*<https://www.access-board.gov/guidelines-and-standards/communications-and-it/about-the-ict-refresh/final-rule>