

Developing a Comprehensive Patient Education Program

Accessible Education Materials Resources

Federal Plain Language Guidelines, published March 2011. Available in PDF or Word file. <https://www.plainlanguage.gov/guidelines/>

CDC Quick Guide to Health Literacy. A basic overview of key health literacy concepts and suggestions for improving health literacy in your organization. <https://www.cdc.gov/healthliteracy/training/page5741.html>

CDC Simply Put. A guide to creating communication that is clear and understandable. https://www.cdc.gov/healthliteracy/pdf/Simply_Put.pdf

CMS Toolkit for Making Written Material Clear and Effective. An 11-part Toolkit that provides a detailed and comprehensive set of tools to help you make written materials in printed formats easier for people to read, understand, and use. <https://www.cms.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Outreach/WrittenMaterialsToolkit>

Your Guide to Clear Writing. A guide to creating communication that is clear and understandable. <https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/clearwriting/docs/clear-writing-guide-508.pdf>