Checklist: Evaluating Vendor’s Accessibility

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Use this checklist to evaluate the accessibility policies and practices of the vendors.

1. Ensure the vendor/company has an accessibility department, team, or lead.
2. All users can access the same product, not different and "accessible" versions.
3. Check that the vendor/company has accessibility reports for their products.
4. The vendor or company you are purchasing from provides accessibility product support.

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