

FIX IT+ FAQs

1) Where are the rules in FIX IT+?

a) Editing tutorials are located at the top of each transcript record page.

2) Are my edits saved?

a) All edits will be automatically saved but may not be immediately visible by others.

3) How many people need to edit the same transcript?

a) Two editors need to agree on the same line, then it will be locked for editing.

4) What are the transcription conventions?

a) Use your best judgement to transcribe the recording, but for reference, select the Conventions tab at the top of the record page.

5) Are there helpful command strokes?

a) Commands are found in the toolbar along the bottom of the screen with the following shortcuts.

SHIFT + SPACE BAR	Hold shift and press space bar to play, pause, or re-play a line
DOWN ARROW OR ENTER KEY	Press the down arrow key or enter to go to next line
UP ARROW	Press the up arrow key to go to previous line
SHIFT + LEFT ARROW	Hold shift and press the left arrow key to move to previous word
SHIFT + RIGHT ARROW	Hold shift and press the right arrow key to move to next word

6) What does it mean when a line is highlighted in orange in the editor?

a) Lines highlighted in orange await verification. This happens when the first two editors suggest conflicting corrections. Click on the line and select the best transcription from those presented. Once enough contributors agree on the correct transcription, the line will be finalized.

7) What do the progress bar colors mean?

Green = percentage of completion

Yellow = lines have edits

Grey = has been touched, but not completed

8) What do the colors on the transcript mean?

Green = have reached consensus

Grey = still editable

9) Why does the audio cut off between lines?

Please keep in mind this is still a research project and there are bugs we haven't been able to resolve yet. The AAPB would still like to hear your feedback, so please inform your presenter with your comments.

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