

## **TAXONOMY STRATEGY**

**CEIWC** 













#### WHAT IT IS

A taxonomy is a system for naming/labeling/tagging and organizing website information into groups that share similar characteristics.



#### WHAT IT DOES

#### **SHAPES BROWSING**

#### **POWERS EXPERIENCES**

#### PROVIDES FLEXIBILITY



The taxonomy shapes how users browse the site because it determines what information users can access



The taxonomy powers site experiences including search, related content, personalization, and faceted browsing



Faceted browsing enables items within the taxonomy to be accessed and ordered by users in multiple ways (through users applying multiple filters)

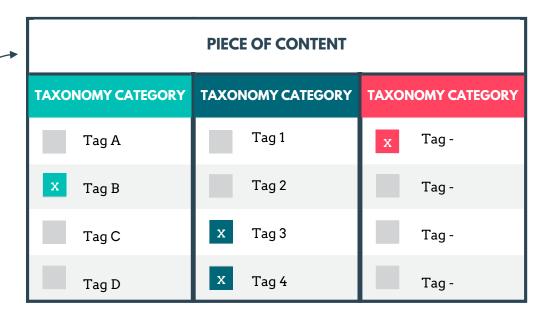


The taxonomy is made up of controlled labels called tags



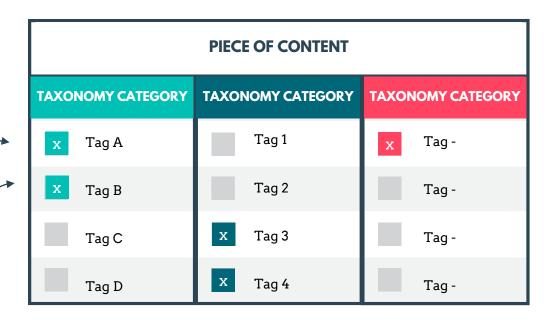


These tags are applied to pieces of content (nodes)



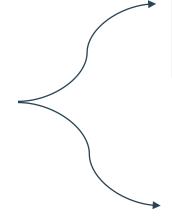


Content can have multiple tags and belong to different groups





One unique tag can be applied to multiple pieces of content



PIECE OF CONTENT X			
TAXONOMY CATEGORY	TAXONOMY CATEGORY	TAXONOMY CATEGORY	
Tag A	Tag 1	X Tag -	
X Tag B	Tag 2	Tag -	
Tag C	X Tag 3	Tag -	
Tag D	X Tag 4	Tag -	

PIECE OF CONTENT Y		
TAXONOMY CATEGORY	TAXONOMY CATEGORY	TAXONOMY CATEGORY
Tag A	Tag 1	X Tag-
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Tag C	X Tag 3	Tag -
Tag D	X Tag 4	Tag -



Content with the same tag are recognized as a group, and presented to the user when he/she searches or filters using that tag

#### **TAGGED WITH B**

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### WHY IT MATTERS

Only 16% of websites provide a good filtering experience, with sufficient filtering types available, a balanced filtering design and a filtering logic that aligns well with user expectations.





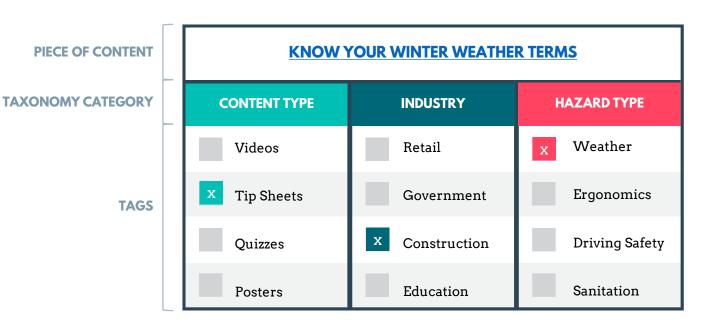
### **SAFETY CENTER TAXONOMY**

We recommend the following taxonomy for safety center content:

CONTENT TYPE	INDUSTRY	HAZARD TYPE
■ Videos	■ Construction	■ Infectious Diseases
Posters	■ Government	Driving
Quizzes	■ Retail	Sanitation
■ Tip Sheets	■ Education	Substance Abuse
■ Training Modules	$\blacksquare$ Groundskeeping	■ Weather
■ Blog Posts	Security	
■ Events	Hospitality	
Webinars		
Kits		
■ Pocket Guides		



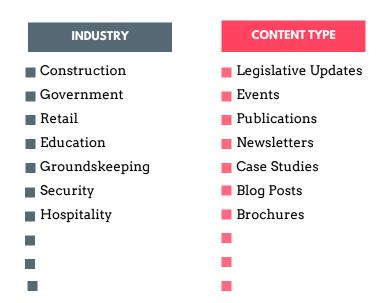
#### **SAFETY CENTER EXAMPLE**





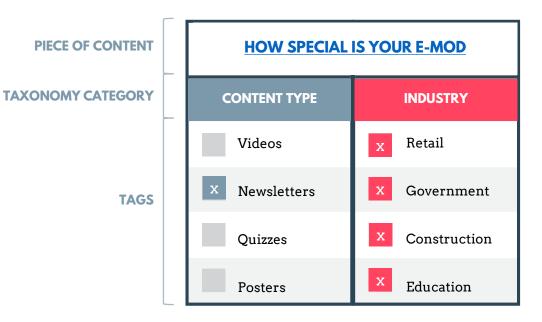
#### **NEWS & MEDIA TAXONOMY**

We recommend the following taxonomy for news and media content:





#### **NEWS & MEDIA EXAMPLE**





### **GUIDELINES: FUTURE TAGGING**

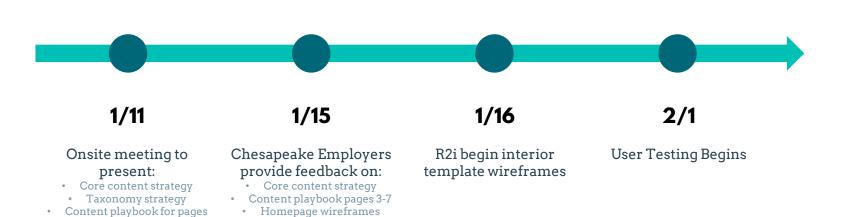
- When tags are user-facing (as many CEIWC tags will be) they must be simple terms that make sense to users
- Tagging CEIWC content and pages will be an ongoing effort as new pages/products are added to the site
- Going forward, tagging should follow a strict process guided by the taxonomy that covers which tags should be applied and when to create new tags
- Being liberal with tagging is detrimental to the user's browsing
- Tags not currently in the taxonomy should only be created when necessary





#### **NEXT STEPS**

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• Homepage wireframes





# THANK YOU