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## Bio

Aaldert Meinema is 34 years old and lives in Groningen. He's is single and works as a freelance data analyst. Due to his autism and dyslexia he is socially not very active, but he works hard and performs well. He likes computer gaming, motorcycling and racing his mountain bike.

## Digital access

Digital knowledge	Expert
Devices	Computer, telephone, tablet, laptop
Tools	Voice recording
Irritations	Aaldert does not like unclear and inconsistent information.  Neither does he like sudden surprises or information that is non- literal like sarcasm, metaphors and irony. Understanding textual clues can be challenging for him. He really dislikes it when content is too big or without any structure.

## **Top tips**

- Information should be clear, unequivocal and easy to understand.
- Forms and content should be partitioned into logical paragraphs and easy guidelines.
- Keep interactions simple and brief.
- Using well-structured content including headers, clear whitespace, bulleted lists and icons.