## YouTube Compliance Checklist

| Compliance Area | What to Do  | What NOT to Do   |
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| Title           | - Be clear and specific about your video content Avoid using exaggerated claims or sensational language Ensure your title is descriptive and aligns with your content.      | - Use misleading or<br>clickbait titles.<br>- Overuse trigger words<br>that promote illegal activity<br>(e.g., "Get high fast," "Weed<br>smoking").<br>- Use vague or irrelevant<br>titles.            |
| Description     | - Clearly explain your video's content and purpose Include relevant keywords naturally and avoid overusing them Emphasize the educational, artistic, or documentary nature. | - Keyword stuff your description. (don't overdo it) - Promote illegal behavior or consumption in your description Use clickbait or misleading descriptions that don't match the video.                 |
| Tags            | - Use relevant tags that describe the content accurately.  - Avoid over-tagging with repetitive terms.  - Include variations of relevant terms.                             | - Add irrelevant or misleading tags to manipulate search results Use overly generic or vague tags like "best video" or "trending." - Use misleading tags that aren't directly related to your content. |
| Content         | <ul> <li>Focus on educational, artistic, or documentary content.</li> <li>Stay compliant with laws, especially regarding sensitive topics.</li> </ul>                       | - Promote harmful or<br>dangerous behavior (e.g.,<br>substance abuse).<br>- Show illegal activities or<br>encourage harmful actions.   |