Submitting digital files for Access 21

Producers can submit their programs as digital files. Multiple programs can be placed on a single thumb drive (USB drive), or other media, but make sure to name them properly (ShowName_AirDate) and note the names on the proper forms to avoid incorrect airings.

Access 21 recommends the following guidelines for files created with any third-party hardware or software to ensure optimal playback on the Access 21 playback system:

Format: h.264 or mp4

VIDEO

Profile Setting: High

Frame Rate: 29.97 pictures per second

Bit Rate: 10-20 Mbps is allowed, but we recommend starting at 10, raising

only if you have issues.

CBR Bit Rate: 18 Mbps

Resolution: 1920 x 1080, progressive or interlaced

AUDIO

Codec: AAC, AC3, MP3, MPEG Layer II

Bit Rate: 192 Kbps or 320 Kbps

Sample Rate: 41 or 48 KHz

Channels: Stereo

If unsure, prepare a small sample file (about 1 minute) and bring it in to the office. We can then follow the normal process and make sure that it works.