

# Forcing youtube to show subtitles

Log into YouTube and edit the settings for the video you need to add subtitles to.

The screenshot shows the YouTube video settings interface. On the left, the 'Video details' section includes fields for 'Title (required)' with the text 'Adding availability to Brighton Therapy Centre Website' and a 'Description' field with the text 'Tell viewers about your video (type @ to mention a channel)'. Below this is the 'Thumbnail' section with a preview image. The 'Audience' section is set to 'Made for kids' with radio buttons for 'Yes, it's made for kids' (selected) and 'No, it's not made for kids'. At the bottom of the 'Audience' section, the 'Age restriction (advanced)' option is expanded, showing a 'SHOW MORE' link and the text 'Paid promotion, tags, subtitles, and more'. This 'SHOW MORE' link is circled in blue. On the right, the video player shows the video title 'Adding initial therapy appointment to the booking manager' and a list of settings: 'Video link' (https://youtu.be/a96Wbia4VMo), 'Filename' (screen-capture.webm), 'Video quality' (set to 1080p), 'Visibility' (set to Unlisted), 'Restrictions' (Made for kids), 'Subtitles' (with an edit icon), 'End screen', and 'Cards'.

Scroll to the bottom of the page and click “show more”

Somewhere on this page you will see tags

## Tags

Tags can be useful if content in your video is commonly misspelled. Otherwise, tags play a minimal role in helping viewers find your video. [Learn more](#)

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Enter a comma after each tag

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## Language and captions certification

Select your video's language and, if needed, a caption certification

Video language English (United Kingdom) ▼	Caption certification <span>?</span> None ▼
Title and description language Select ▼	

To manage other languages, go to [subtitles](#).

## Recording date and location

Add when and where your video was recorded. Viewers can search for videos by location.

Recording date None ▼	Video location None
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Add the following tag

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