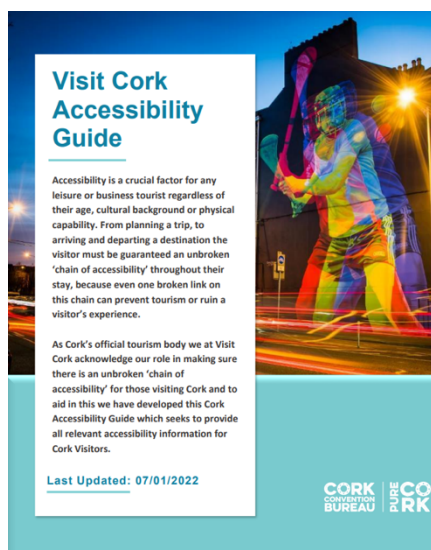


4.1.1.4 Accessible City Guides: Cork; Essen; Gdynia; Padova; San Sebastián; Seville; Szeged; Zagreb

Accessibility Guide by Visit Cork; Cork: In 2021, Visit Cork has developed an 'Accessibility Guide' to welcome and accommodate visitors with additional needs. Accessibility is a key element of Visit Cork's sustainability strategy and as part of the commitment it wants to enhance the visitor experience. The guide provides reliable, up-to-date and easy to access information on attractions, transport lines, hotels and venues throughout the region. It supports visitors with accessibility challenges and was compiled in consultation with the Cope Foundation. The non-profit organization supports over 2,800 children and adults with intellectual disabilities or autism, and their service users contributed feedback for the 'Accessibility Guide' during the consultation period.



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Find out more at: <https://www.corkconventionbureau.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/Visit-Cork-Accessibility-Guide-1.pdf>

Sign Language Guided Tours for Christmas Market; Essen: offers various services for people with special physical challenges. For instance, the city offers guided tours of the Christmas market in sign language, thus encouraging other city tours to build accessibility to hearing-impaired people.



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Find out more at:

https://www.visitessen.de/essentourismus_veranstaltungen/essen_weihnachten_fuehrungen_1/rundgaenge.de.html?fbclid=IwAR1sCu5EFVP3wluOX6vk7TSMXR7xP2pXNYrSsRRwj2icKqWWrw5-OQaHto

Tourist Information Points and “Gdynia for everyone” informing about accessibility of tourist sites; Gdynia: Tourist Information Points in Gdynia provide information on accessibility of the city’s tourist attractions for domestic and international tourists. The “Gdynia for everyone” tourist guidebook, published by the Gdynia City Hall in 2014, also provides information on accessibility for people with disabilities when presenting attractions, monuments, and features of the city. The guidebook also includes information on the accessibility of Gdynia’s forests and was published in two language versions - Polish and English.

Find out more at: https://www.inyourpocket.com/gdynia/tourist-information-center_53481v

“Padova per tutti” Project; Padova: Thanks to a wide network of local public and private bodies dealing with disabilities and aiming at making the city more usable for everyone, the “Padova per tutti” project started in 2019. Its main output is the online “Accessible tourist itinerary in Padova”, a guide of Padova and especially the city’s historical and cultural attractions, providing useful information on the accessibility of the route. In total, 2.5 km can be travelled on foot or with aids such as wheelchairs, with indications on the barriers for both people with motor disabilities and reduced mobility, which includes elderly people and visually impaired ones.

Find out more at: <https://padovapertutti.wordpress.com/2020/10/30/guida-itinerario-turistico-accessibile-di-padova-il-cuore-della-citta/>

A new information tool on accessibility; San Sebastián: A new website has been launched by San Sebastián and can be considered as a new information tool on accessibility in the city. Users can find information about the degree of accessibility offered by tourist services and