

Wayfinding processes	Sign type	Use of the sign
Orientation	Information sign	Indicates specific locations within an environment, helping in understanding.
Route decision and monitoring	Directional sign	Guide users through the environment to their destination.
Recognition	Identity sign	Display necessary information for users to identify a place.
Advice	Advisory sign	Draw attention to objects, situations or behaviours that may affect the well being and convenience of users or operations in the environment.

Table 12. Sign types according to wayfinding processes

14.4. Information signs

Information signs are meant to inform the user about their own position relating to their destination. Therefore, it is necessary that:

At any street corner the name of the street in both Arabic and English shall be posted.

- Information about the nearest means of public transport and the distance to them shall be displayed at least at every second street corner
- A map of the community containing the main services within this community and a map showing the position of the community in relation with the city shall be displayed in all bus shelters, metros, tramways and ferry stations.
- Information displaying the nearest exit, nearest toilets and the distance to them shall be displayed at least every 70 meters in all parks.
- All maps presented in open spaces shall be designed with the North in the upper part and displaying a North symbol.
- Maps and directories shall be mounted in entrances to help visitors to navigate.
- Maps shall be easy to understand, without too much information and they shall use contrasted colours and symbols.