

Figure 45. Fixed bars positions

6. An additional vertical bar with the dimensions of the above drawing shall also be installed.

## 5.20. Accessible showers

Where showers are provided, at least one shall be accessible

Showers shall meet the following requirements:

- 1. The shower floor surface shall be flush with the level of the surrounding area. The maximum slope for water evacuation is 4%.
- 2. If a shower is provided it shall have a minimum dimension of 865 mm x 1200 mm and have a seat of at least 400 mm x 400 mm. This seat shall be located at a height between 450mm and 500 mm from the floor and be separated from the wall between 150 mm and 200 mm. The seat shall be free of sharp edges. Adjustable height seats are preferred; especially in hotels and residences.
- 3. Accessible showers shall have a horizontal grab bar to assist in transferring and a vertical one for support. The horizontal bar shall have a length of 800 mm and be mounted at a height of 700 mm to 750 mm from the floor level in the wall beside the shower seat. The vertical bar with a length of 800 mm shall be installed in the lateral