

4. Definitions

1. Accessible path of travel

Allows a continuous and barrier free movement, with the combination of built elements that guarantee anyone can enter, move, use, exit, orient themselves and communicate autonomously and comfortably both in the public space, and around and inside the buildings.

2. Accessibility

Accessibility include eases of independent approach, entry, evacuation, and/or use of a building and its services and facilities, by all of the building's potential users, regardless of disability, age or gender with an assurance of individual health, safety and welfare during the course of those activities.

3. Built Environment

External and internal environments and any element, component or fitting that is commissioned, designed, constructed and managed for use by people.

4. Clear headroom

Free unobstructed vertical space to allow proper and safe passage.

5. Clear width

Free unobstructed space for access through a doorway, passage, stair, ramp, walkway, etc.

6. Colour Blindness

The most common form of colour blindness is red/green deficiencies in which shades of grey are generally detected in place of red and green. This should be considered when using colour coding or coloured text.

7. Curb Ramp

Construction in the form of an inclined plane that makes it possible to pass from street level to a higher accessible pedestrian path.