

FACT SHEET

Accessible and Inclusive Design



What is accessible and inclusive design?

Accessible and inclusive design ensures that the needs of people with disabilities and mobility challenges are considered.

Beyond its obligations under the *Disability Discrimination Act 1992*, Council aims to provide facilities, services and programs that are inclusive and promote participation by people with all abilities in the life of the City.

How does the Logan Planning Scheme 2015 promote accessible and inclusive design?

The Logan Planning Scheme 2015 requires that building work and operational work be designed and undertaken in accordance with Australian Standards and the National Construction Code where relevant. These standards have been developed in consideration of access and inclusion.

In addition, the Logan Planning Scheme 2015 makes several specific references to safe, accessible and inclusive design. These references are outlined below.

Theme	Part of the Logan Planning Scheme 2015
Safe and accessible built environment	Strategic framework
Accessible traffic islands	Planning scheme policy 5
Accessible movement network	Planning scheme policy 5
Graded kerb ramps	Planning scheme policy 5
Graded detention systems for open space use	Planning scheme policy 5
Accessible building entrances	Planning scheme policy 8
Accessible formal and informal spaces within centres	Planning scheme policy 8
Accessible street layout adjoining centres	Planning scheme policy 8

Queensland Government's Wayfinding Design Guidelines

Council encourages development that progresses beyond statutory requirements for accessible and inclusive design. Council actively encourages development to consider the design measures outlined in the Queensland Government's Wayfinding Design Guidelines.

Way finding aims to ensure that people with a sensory impairment know where they are in a building or an environment, where their desired location is and how to get there from their present location.

The Wayfinding Design Guidelines identify a number of strategies and solutions for the four primary way finding elements, being architectural, graphic, audible and tactile communication.

The Wayfinding Design Guidelines can be accessed from the website of the [Department of Housing and Public Works](#).

Further information

For further information:

- visit Council's [Planning & Development webpage](#);
- visit Council's [People Living With Disability webpage](#);
- contact Council using the details provided in the footer of this Fact Sheet; or
- visit the Planning, Building and Plumbing counter at 150 Wembley Road Logan Central; opening hours and directions are available on Council's [website](#).

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