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To support the accessible community in making informed travel decisions for their individual needs



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The following pages provides travellers with information on the businesses facilities and amenities which aims to support the traveller to make an informed decision on whether the business is suitable for their individual needs.

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OVERVIEW

Business Overview

The business has the following products/services available

- Accommodation
- Event

Our business caters for the following disability types:

- Deaf or low hearing
- Limited mobility
- Wheelchairs or mobility scooters
- Food allergies or intolerances
- Cognitive or people on the Autism Spectrum

Bookings

The business offers the following methods for bookings and enquiries:

- Phone
- Email
- Webportal

Emergency Management

- There are visual device/s to alert occupants to evacuate.
- Exit signs are clear and easy to see
- Exit signs have raised lettering or braille
- Exit access is free and clear at all times

We ensure exit access is free and clear at all times by:

Staff are aware to keep clear exists at all times

- Exits and access to exists are greater than 900mm
- Exit doors are able to be opened by all occupants

- Exits to the emergency evacuation point does not include stairways
- The evacuation point is clearly marked by a sign
- The evacuation point is clearly marked by a sign with raised letters or braille

The business identifies guests who need additional assistance should an emergency occur by:

Phone Call

The procedure for assisting guests who need assisted rescue is:

Management will assist

 Guests with disabilities are noted in the guest log book for emergency and evacuation purposes

Communications

- Our business offers the following alternative communication methods
- Plain English
- There is easy to read signage and information (e.g. menus and emergency information)

Other Information

 For bookings made onsite, the ticket booth/counter/box office is accessible for people using a wheelchair

Guide Dog and Service Animals

• The business provides a secure area with shade and water for service animals

The business provides the following services for services animals:

Any guests with service animals should provide reception a letter detailing requirements

GENERAL

Pre-arrival, arrival and reception

The business has the following in place to support guests during pre-arrival, arrival and reception

- There is a reception/public entryway.
- Seating available at reception
- A lower counter at reception/ticket office
- Large print information sheets and registration forms

N/A

- Information and maps are available in written form
- A familiarisation tour
- Keys are available for each guest
- Luggage assistance

The following steps are in place to ensure that people with fatigue related to their disability are not disadvantaged by long wait times:

Our Maintenance Team will arrange a buggy to assist with guests to check into room.

Cognitive Impairment Support

• Documents are available in plain English for people with cognitive impairment (This may include instructions, guides, menus and general information)

Car Park and Access amenities

The business has the following Car Park and Access amenities

- A drop off zone
- Designated disabled parking bays
- Level or ramped access from the car park to the entrance
- The accessible entrance is clearly signed from the parking bay
- The public transport services available are:

Can be provided by reception

Entry

The business has the following amenities/systems in place for entry

- A drop off point close to the entrance
- A path of access to the building is slip resistance and even
- A path of access to the building is clear of obstruction
- Self opening entry doors or fitted with a self closer
- Glass doors are fitted with a visual sighting strip
- Door jams/doors are of a contrasting colour to surrounding walls
- Door handles are of a contrasting colour to the door
- Signage is written in a contrasting colour
- Signage is written in a Sans Serif font and use upper and lower case letters
- The entry door is a minimum of 850mm wide
- The entry door has self opening or a light opening pressure (for manual operations)
- There a clear space of at least 1500mm x 1500mm in front of all doors.
- The entrance door mats have a thickness less than 13mm and a width of 7500mm or greater

Internal Spaces

- Clear and unobstructed routes through and between buildings
- Interior walls are matte or low sheen
- Floors, walls, counters and furniture are of contrasting colours
- Any protruding or overhanging obstructions are at least 2meters above the floor or are protected
- Menus are available in large print or Braille
- Tableware/glassware contrast with the table surface or table cloth
- Floor surfaces are hard or short pile carpet
- Seating is available for guests unable to stand for long periods
- Accessible facilities are clearly signed and visible from all areas
- All corridors greater than 900mm
- There is a quiet space for parents and children on the Autism Spectrum

Public areas

The public areas have the following amenities in place

Seating

External Paths

External paths of travel have the following amenities are in place

- Surfaces are concrete, asphalt, smooth paving or hard packed fine gravel (max aggregate size 13mm)
- Pathways are wider than 900mm

Public Toilets/Adult change facilities

Public Toilets/Adult change facilities have the following amenities are in place

- There is an accessible toilet for public use
- The door is at least 850mm wide
- There is a minimum of 850mm beside the toilet
- Handrails are fitted
- The toilet seat is 460mm above the floor
- There is Not sure will have to measure mm of clear space in front of the toilet
- The toilet seat of a contrasting colour to the floor
- The height of the toilet seat is: Not sure will have to check .
- There is a registered changing places facility
- There is a 'Changing Place' within Not sure will have to check of our business

ACCOMMODATION

Bedrooms

The bedrooms have the following facilities/amenities in place

- There are 2 rooms available to guests who use a wheelchair
- · Bedroom furniture can be re-arranged on request

The following bed types are available in wheelchair accessible rooms

One double/queen bed/king bed

Layout of room Image(s)



accessible chalet - lounge

Room Amenities

Lower hanging rails are in wardrobes

For guests with a hearing impairment, the following emergency evacuation procedures apply to ensure safe evacuation:

Staff will assist

- Televisions are equipped with closed captioning capability
- There is contrast between the walls, skirtings, floor and furniture
- There is a clear path through the room
- Wardrobe handles are a contrasting colour to the doors and draws
- Doors open fully against the adjoining wall
- There is a clear opening at least 850mm wide
- There luggage racks for at least two suitcases
- There at least one chair with rigid arms

- Wardrobe and drawer handles are easy to grip
- The bedside lamp switch is easy to reach from the bed
- There is at least 850mm clear space beside the bed
- There is at least 130mm clearance under the bed

Bathrooms

The bathrooms have the following facilities/amenities in place

- All heating appliances and hot water pipes are protected or insulated
- All shower, bath and basin taps are clearly differentiated between hot and cold
- Fixtures and fittings have rounded edges
- The hot water is thermostatically controlled to 41 degrees
- The door is at least 850mm wide
- There is a minimum of 850mm beside the toilet
- Handrails are fitted
- There is a minimum of 1400mm of clear space in front of the toilet
- The toilet seat is a contrasting colour to the floor
- The toilet seat is 460mm above the floor
- There is a roll-in shower with fold down fixed seat or a shower chair
- There is a portable shower head on flexible hose
- A door is fitted to the shower
- A door is fitted to the showers with an outward swing at minimum width of 900 mm

Bathroom Image(s)



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COMMON AREAS

Parks and gardens

- Handrails and stairs are built as per state/territory building code.
- Slip resistance surfaces are used.
- A handrail is available and at 865-965mm in height.
- The handrail is continuously graspable along entire length at least one side.

Parks and Gardens Stair entry and exit Image(s)



Reception Entrance and Exit

EVENTS

Events

Events have the following facilities/amenities in place

- There is step free access throughout the venue
- Reception, registration desks or ticket offices have a lower counter section
- All ancillary areas are step free e.g. breakout rooms, dining areas, outside areas and exhibition spaces
- Accessible toilets are available at the venue
- There is clear signage throughout the venue including accessible routes and accessible facilities
- There is good circulation space with the number of people expected to allow people with a disability to move around freely
- Food and water is available for guide and service animals
- Accessible car parking is available
- There are designated drop-off points
- Quiet rooms, marquees or spaces are available

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