

**Designing
Pedestrian Facilities
for Accessibility
Workshop**

Section 1

Introduction to Workshop

Welcome

- Developed by the Federal Highway Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation
- Partners in development:
 - U.S. Access Board
 - Public Rights-of-Way Access Advisory Committee (PROWAAC)
- Sponsoring organization:
Association of Pedestrian and Bicycle Professionals (APBP)

Welcome

- Primary audience:
 - Engineers
 - Decision makers
 - Architects
 - Planners
 - Civil Rights Specialists

Interactive Workshop

This is an interactive workshop.

We encourage your questions and participation in discussion.

Instructor(s) Information

- Name
- Profession
- Experience
- Location
- Contact information
- Description of a memorable walking experience or good pedestrian environment

Logistics

- Registration information
- Telephone location
- Lunch plan
- Picking up messages
- Location of restrooms
- Other

Course Agenda

- Section 1: Introduction
- Section 2: Characteristics of Pedestrians and the Pedestrian Environment
- Section 3: Legal Requirements
- Section 4: U.S. DOT and FHWA Policies and Funding Opportunities
- Section 5: Accessible Pedestrian Design

Course Objectives

At the completion of this workshop, the participant will be able to:

- Describe:
 - How people with disabilities interact with pedestrian facilities
 - How restrictive designs affect mobility and safety
 - The range of pedestrians with disabilities

Course Objectives

At the completion of this workshop, the participant will be able to:

- Become familiar with accessibility guidelines and requirements
- Become familiar with design resources
- Know how to enhance pedestrian:
 - Mobility
 - Independence
 - Safety

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At the completion of this workshop, the participant will be able to:

- Define obligations to:
 - Remove barriers
 - Evaluate practices, policies, and activities for discrimination
- Describe importance of documenting decisions

Participant Introductions

Briefly introduce yourself to class:

- Name
- Home / Employer
- Position / Duties
- Description of environment in a good walking experience