

## CAMPAIGN OFFICE

### ACCESSIBILITY CHECKLIST



**Canadian Disability Policy Alliance**  
**Alliance Canadienne concernant  
 les politiques reliées au handicap**

<b>Campaign Office &amp; Entrance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is there a drop-off point near the main entrance?</li> <li>• Are there designated accessible parking spots?</li> <li>• Is the approach to the building free of barriers &amp; obstacles (eg. uneven pavement, narrow path)?</li> <li>• Does the building have an access point for wheelchairs (eg. level entrance or ramp)?</li> <li>• Are there handrails present on all stairs?</li> <li>• Are doors wide enough to permit entrance of a wheelchair (~ 30").</li> <li>• Is signage large, at eye level, in bold print and in a contrasting colour to the walls for visually impaired participants?</li> <li>• Are there an automatic sliding doors an automatic door button easy to access/;</li> <li>• Are there accessible washrooms in lobby and close to all meeting rooms?</li> <li>• Are elevator buttons at low level &amp; with Braille?</li> <li>• If doors are glass is there enough contrast provided to make the doors visible to someone with partial sight or another suitable indicator?</li> <li>• Are counter/reception areas clear of communication barriers like plexiglass?</li> <li>• Is the background music turned off in the reception area and meeting rooms?</li> </ul>	
<b>Volunteer Opportunity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Can someone with mobility, visual, speech, and hearing disabilities participate in volunteer activities for your campaign?</li> <li>• Is equipment assistive equipment available at your campaign office?</li> </ul>	
<b>Meeting Rooms</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Can someone with a wheelchair (manual or power) enter the room?</li> <li>• Are tables high enough to accommodate someone in a wheelchair?</li> <li>• Is there adequate manoeuvring room and wide doorways?</li> <li>• Is the path to meeting rooms clearly marked by signage appropriate for visually impaired clients as described in Section 1?</li> <li>• Are there wheelchair accessible washrooms nearby?</li> </ul>	
<b>Information</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Does any information available (pamphlets, hand-outs) take account of disability?</li> <li>• Are printed campaign materials offered in alternative formats (eg. large-print, plain language, Braille, audio-enhanced)?</li> </ul>	
<b>Customer Service</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is there written policy regarding accessibility?</li> <li>• Have all staff received disability awareness training?</li> <li>• Are support services available for the hearing-impaired constituents (sign-language interpretation, audio augmentation, text to text systems)?</li> <li>• Is assistance available for light attendant care needs?</li> <li>• Are staff familiar with guiding someone who is blind or partially sighted?</li> <li>• Are staff aware they must allow service animals to accompany guests?</li> </ul>	

© Canadian Disability Policy Alliance, 2011