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The bibliography contains a list of 126 basic references on barrier free design. Entries include research reports, reviews of government activities, guidebooks on design of buildings and facilities, handbooks for simplifying daily activities, and discussions on general issues related to barrier free design. Entries are arranged alphabetically by author and include title, publisher, date, and a brief annotation. (CL)

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FOREWORD

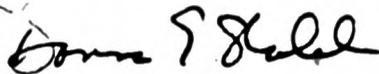
Over the last decades, Americans have been learning to see what we have never seen before. I refer not to flying saucers but to people -- people who have been hidden from us by prejudice, by custom, and by ignorance. Ralph Ellison described the phenomenon for blacks in his powerful novel, The Invisible Man.

Today, finally, we see the black population; we are only beginning to see other groups -- women, the American Indian, the elderly, the handicapped -- see them both as national resources and as groups having claims on the national conscience.

This publication is one of a series of six, the titles of which are listed in the acknowledgements, that HUD's Office of Policy Development and Research has sponsored to accomplish the important task of making buildings accessible to and usable by the physically handicapped through improving the American National Standards Institute's A117 standard.

Prepared under the supervision of the Office of Policy Development and Research, these volumes have won a research award from Progressive Architecture. To quote from the jury comments: "In terms of the effect that the work will have on future architecture and planning, the new ANSI standard A117.7 has got to be the blockbuster of all.....It's a very solid piece of work."

It is indeed. I am proud to present it to you.



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Introduction

This bibliography contains a list of basic references on barrier-free design. The entries include research reports, reviews of government activities, guidebooks on design of buildings and facilities, handbooks for simplifying daily activities, and general behavioral issues related to barrier-free design. There is also a list of audio-visual materials on these subjects.

Many of the entries have been selected from the large number of available publications on the subject of barrier-free design. They are augmented by materials from the fields of gerontology and general behavioral sciences. All articles included are either easy to obtain or have a unique value in that they provide information that cannot be obtained elsewhere.

There are many design guidebooks and checklists on barrier-free design of buildings that have not been included in this bibliography. Most guidebooks and checklists are based on the same data sources and thus have similar information. We have included a representative sample of these books, focusing on those that are well illustrated and comprehensive, as well as easy to obtain. We have not included material that is solely of "human interest" value. There is a great deal of such material available in local and national printed news media. Such material would provide little information of use in planning and design of an accessible community that is not already included in the entries selected.

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