



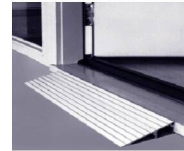
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Ramp Fact Sheet

Modular Ramps



Portable/Barriers



General Overview

Ramps can be divided into two major groups, modular ramps and portable/barrier ramps. Modular ramps are semi-permanent ramps typically used for lengths over 10-12 feet. They can be fitted with hand rails and are ADA compliant. They do not require a permit and are maintenance free. They are typically purchased but can be rented. Portable and barrier ramps cover a wide variety of ramp types. They can be used to roll a wheelchair over a 6 inch threshold or load a power wheelchair into a mini van. Portable ramps come in lengths 2-12 feet long.

Important Considerations

To meet ADA specifications ramps need to be 1 foot long for every inch of vertical height to be covered. The ramp site needs to be examined to ensure there is enough space to accommodate appropriate ramp length.

Insurance Coverage

Ramps are rarely covered by any form of insurance. Usually ramps are only covered in liability claims and are also covered by the VA.

General Pricing Information

Pricing per linear foot is difficult because pricing will vary depending on the components that are used. For example a straight ramp with no turns will price out less expensive than a similar length Ramps with a turn around