

What is Necessary to Provide an ADA Booth?

When buying or designing a guard booth that needs to be ADA compliant, there are a number of issues that must be addressed. Title 1: Fairness in Employment directive is in place to ensure that all disabled persons have access to employment and public buildings. This may include your guard booth requirements.

Specifications for ADA Guard Booth Requirements:

- Approach to the booth entrance must be accessible, island must have curb access.
- Foundation may be recessed, or a 1:12 ramp must be provided so that maximum change in level from grade to finish floor does not exceed 1/4".
- Threshold heights not to exceed 1/2" (may reduce base of booth up to 4").
- Ample clearance outside booth entrance door to access door. Protective bollard location is critical to allow enough room for booth access.
- Swing door with minimum 32" opening.
- 60" clear turn-around space within booth.
- Light switches and temperature controls no more than 54" above floor.



ADA compliance is not something that can be overlooked when addressing your guard booth or guard enclosure needs. For additional information on ADA Requirements, visit the U.S. Department of Justice, Americans with Disabilities Act website at www.ada.gov.

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