Inclusive Recreation Resource Center

Stadi	ium/Arena/Grandstand Checklist	*
STAD1	Facility Name:	<b>*</b>
STAD2	Number of stadium/arena/grandstands assessed:	stadiums/arenas
STAD3	Name/location of stadium/arena/grandstands:	
STAD4	Is there a continuous unobstructed route of travel from (if indoor facility) or parking (if outdoor facility) to the stadium/arena/grandstand?	□ yes □ no □ n/a □ photo
STAD5	Is the route of travel well-lit?	□ yes □ no □ n/a □ photo
STAD6	Describe the surface of the route of travel:	
STAD7	Slope of route of travel (at its steepest incline):	% (enter 0% if flat)
STAD8	Width of route of travel (at its narrowest point):	inches (at least 36")
STAD9	Indicate type of structure: ☐ stadium ☐ grandstand ☐ arena	□ other:
STAD10	Location of stadium/arena/grandstand:	☐ indoors ☐ outdoors
STAD11	Is wheelchair accessible seating available?	□ yes □ no □ n/a □ photo
STAD12	If yes, how many wheelchair accessible seats are available?	seats
STAD13	If yes, are designated aisle seats identified by a sign or symbol?	□ yes □ no □ n/a □ photo
STAD14	If the stadium has more than 300 seats, are the wheelchair accessible seats evenly dispersed among the various areas?	□ yes □ no □ n/a □ photo
STAD15	Is the accessible seating an integral part of the seating plan so that people using wheelchairs are not isolated from other spectators or their friends or family?	□ yes □ no □ n/a □ photo
STAD16	Is a companion seat provided next to each wheelchair seating location?	□ yes □ no □ n/a □ photo
STAD17	Are wheelchair seating locations provided in all areas of the stadium, including skyboxes and other specialty areas?	□ yes □ no □ n/a □ photo
STAD18	Do the wheelchair seating locations provide lines of site comparable to the lines of site of other spectators?	□ yes □ no □ n/a □ photo
STAD19	Describe the seating:	□ benches □ chairs
STAD20	Provide the height of the seats:	inches (17"-19")
STAD21	Is there an unobstructed route of travel from the wheelchair seating to accessible restrooms?	□ yes □ no □ n/a □ photo
STAD22	Is there an unobstructed route of travel from the wheelchair seating to other amenities (e.g., concession stands, ticket booths)	□ yes □ no □ n/a □ photo
STAD23	Comments/additional information regarding stadium/arena/grandstand area:	
	* Complete a concession stand checklist if concessions are available.	

## Stadium/Arena/Grandstand Checklist Information

## **Definitions for stadium/arena/grandstands:**

- Arena is an enclosed area, often circular or oval-shaped, designed to showcase theater, musical performances, or sporting events. It is
  composed of a large open space surrounded on most or all sides by tiered seating for spectators. The key feature of an arena is that the
  event space is the lowest point, allowing for maximum visibility. Usually, an arena is designed to accommodate a fairly large number of
  spectators.
- **Grandstand** is a large and normally permanent structure for seating spectators, such as those found at racetracks. This includes both auto racing and horseracing. The grandstand is in essence like a single section of a stadium, but differs from a stadium in that it does not wrap all or most of the way around. Grandstands may have basic bench seating, but usually have individual chairs like a stadium. Grandstands are also usually covered with a roof, but are open on the front. They are often multi-tiered.
- Stadium is a place or venue for (mostly) outdoor sports, concerts, or other events and consists of a field or stage either partly or completely surrounded by a structure designed to allow spectators to stand or sit and view the event
- Wheelchair seating provides space for someone to sit while remaining in their wheelchair.
- Companion seats (in row seating) are located next to the wheelchair seating to allow a person to sit alongside someone using a
  wheelchair.

## Information for completing the stadium/arena/grandstands checklist:

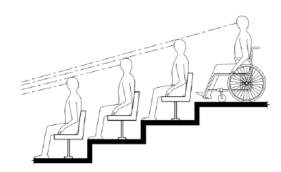
Identification of accessible seating: Each designated aisle seat shall be identified by a sign or marker.

The top of the bench seat surface shall be 17" minimum and 19" maximum above the finished floor or ground.

Wheelchair spaces shall adjoin accessible routes. Accessible routes shall not overlap wheelchair spaces.

Companion seats shall be located to provide shoulder alignment with adjacent wheelchair spaces. Companion seats shall be permitted to be movable. Companion seats shall be equivalent in size, quality, comfort, and amenities to the seating in the immediate area.

A **line of sight** allows a person using a wheelchair to see between the heads and over the shoulders of the persons standing in the row immediately in front and over the heads of the persons standing two rows in front of them.



**Number of Wheelchair Spaces Required:** Use the following table to calculate how many wheelchair spaces must be provided:

Number of Wheelchair Spaces in Assembly Areas Capacity of Seating	Minimum # of Required Wheelchair Spaces	
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(i.e. # of Seats)		
4 to 25	1	
26 to 50	2	
51 to 150	4	
151 to 300	5	
301 to 500	6	
501 to 5000	6, plus 1 for each 150, or fraction thereof, between 501 through 5000	
5001 and over	36, plus 1 for each 200, or fraction thereof, over 5000	