

388-97-3280 Safety - Handrails

The nursing home must:

(1)

Provide handrails on each side of all corridors and stairwells accessible to residents; and

(2)

In new construction ensure that:(a) Ends of handrails are returned to the walls; (b) Handrails are mounted thirty to thirty-four inches above the floor and project not more than three and three-quarters inches from the wall; and (c) Handrails terminate not more than six inches from a door.

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