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Universal Design Sound Guidance for Buildings and Services used by the Public







Easy to Read consultation questions

Consultation Questions



Some people don’t like the sound in places like shops, post offices and train stations. If there are a lot of people in a shop, it can be very noisy. Noise can be stressful.



If there is glass at the post office desk, it can be hard to hear and understand what the staff are saying.



Sometimes announcements at train stations are hard to hear, because the speaker isn’t very clear.



Question 1

Have you ever had a problem with the sound in a building?

What happened?

Why was this difficult for you?

Question 2



Is there anything you would like people who build buildings and design services to know about sound?

What is helpful for you?

What do you not like?



Can you think of a time when it was really easy to find your way around a building or use a service because of the sound?



It might be when the lift tells you what floor you are on.



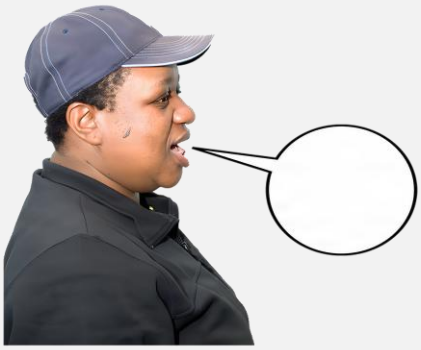
It might be a place that is calm and quiet, like a library.



Question 3

What made it easy?

What did you like about that place?



Is there anything else that you would like to say about sound in public buildings?



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