

Adult-Size Changing Facilities Code TAG

Meeting Notes

Date: Tuesday, August 29, 2023

Meeting Location: Hybrid – Washington Room/WebEx

Call to order:

Karen Gridley

Attendance:

TAG Members present: Karen Gridley (DLI), Greg Metz (DLI), Steve Kartak (AMBO), Kevin Rolfs (BOMA), Sarah St. Louis (Disability Advocacy), Mara Peterson (Disability Advocacy)

TAG Members absent: Scott Kaminski (MASMS), Corey Mollet (MN AIA)

Guests attending: Amanda Spuckler (DLI), Chad Payment (DLI), Jeff Lebowski (DLI), Don Sivigny (DLI), Josiah Moore (DLI), Rich Lockrem (DLI), Clayton Talbot, Dana Murdoch, Gary Thaden, Jason Zemke, Julie Hagstrom, Marcus Hulmer, Roberta Kehne, Roz Peterson, Sara Koos, Sarah Levens, and Kyle Dimler

1. Call to order

2. TAG members reviewed draft code language for section 613.4.4 and the code change proposals detailed below.

Section 613.4.1 Safety and performance

The TAG members reviewed a code change proposal to revise the safety and performance criteria for adult-sized changing stations. The TAG consensus was to revise section 613.4.1 as follows:

- Item 1 – revise to refer to the guard rail requirements in section 614.4.5
- Item 2 – delete
- Item 3 – delete
- Item 4 – no revision from draft
- Item 5 – revise to require changing stations required by section 613.2.1 to be in anchored in place in accordance with section 903.6
- Item 6 – revise to require the adult-sized changing station surface to be smooth, nonabsorbent, and resistant to corrosion
- Item 7 – no revision from draft
- Item 8 – revise to require operable controls to comply with section 309.4

Section 1109.2.4.1 Where required

TAG members reviewed a code change proposal to modify section 1109.2.4.1 to require adult-sized changing stations in medical facilities that provide outpatient services. The TAG consensus was to modify the proposal to require adult sized changing facilities at hospitals, ambulatory care facilities, and Group B outpatient clinics where an aggregate of six or more male and female water closets are required.

Next Meeting:

Date: September 12, 2023

Time: 9:00 AM

Location: Hybrid – Washington Room/WebEx Event

Meeting Adjourned: 11:00 AM

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