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Tactile & Braille Characters

Characters must be raised a minimum of 1/32"

Characters must be accompanied by grade II Braille

Typestyles

Characters must be upper case and sans serif or "simple serif" typestyle

Characters must have a width-to-height ratio of between 3:5 and 1:1

Characters must have a stroke-to-width ratio of between 1:5 and 1:10

Character Height

Tactile characters must be min. 5/8" high, max. 2"

Characters must be 3" high

Characters must be sized to viewing distance

Symbols

Equivalent written description must be placed directly below symbol

Written description can not be within the symbols background field

Border dimensions of symbol background field must be minimum 6" high

Finish & Contrast

Characters and background must be eggshell, matte or other non-glare finish

Characters must adequately contrast with background

Mounting Location & Height

Mounted on wall adjacent to latch side of the door

Mounted to avoid door swing

Mounting height of 60" from floor to centerline of sign

Minimum 80" clearance between overhead sign and floor