



Episode 9: Accessible Play Areas

Resources from the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ)

- [Guidance on the 2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design](#)
Source: U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ)
Link: ada.gov/regs2010/2010ADASTandards/Guidance2010ADASTandards.htm
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Resources from the U.S. Access Board

- [Technical Assistance Guide on Play Areas](#)
Source: U.S. Access Board
Link: access-board.gov/guidelines-and-standards/recreation-facilities/guides/play-areas
- [Frequently Asked Questions about Play Areas](#)
Source: U.S. Access Board
Link: access-board.gov/guidelines-and-standards/recreation-facilities/guides/play-areas/frequently-asked-questions
- [About the 2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design \(2010 SAD\)](#)
Source: U.S. Access Board
Link: access-board.gov/guidelines-and-standards/buildings-and-sites/about-the-ada-standards
- [About the Architectural Barriers Act \(ABA\) Standards](#)
Source: U.S. Access Board
Link: access-board.gov/guidelines-and-standards/buildings-and-sites/about-the-aba-standards
- [About the Requirements for Recreation Facilities in the ADA and ABA Standards](#)
Source: U.S. Access Board
Link: access-board.gov/guidelines-and-standards/recreation-facilities/about-recreation-facilities

Other Resources

- [Webinar: Accessible Play Areas – Accessibility Online Webinar Series](#)
AccessibilityOnline represents a collaborative training program between the ADA National Network and the US Access Board. The program includes a series of free webinars and audio

conferences on different topics of accessibility. Sessions are held on a monthly basis and cover a variety of topics concerning accessibility to the built environment, information and communication technologies, and transportation. (December 2, 2010)

Source: ADA National Network

Link: accessibilityonline.org/Archives/index.php?app=4&type=transcript&id=2010-12-02

- **[A Longitudinal Study of Playground Surfaces to Evaluate Accessibility: Final Report](#)**

Author: Jennifer Skulski, National Center on Accessibility, Indiana University-Bloomington (October 23, 2013)

Source: National Center on Accessibility

Link: ncaonline.org/resources/articles/playground-surfacestudy-finalreport.shtml

- **[Accessible Playgrounds Database](#)**

Source: National Public Radio (NPR)

Link: apps.npr.org/playgrounds/

- **[Establishing Best Management Practices for Recycled Tire Rubber Playground Surfaces to Comply with New ADA Accessible Design Requirements](#)**

Source: CAL Recycle - California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery

Link: calrecycle.ca.gov/Publications/Detail.aspx?PublicationID=1496

- **[Department of Education Issues Finding on St Johns County School Playgrounds](#)**

Source: National Center on Accessibility

Includes: [Resolution Letter](#) & [Resolution Agreement](#)

Link: ncaonline.org/news/news_doe_playground.shtml

Resolution Letter: www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/docs/investigations/more/04131269-a.html

Resolution Agreement:

www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/docs/investigations/more/04131269-b.html