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Alterations Level 1 – Accessibility Provisions

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Question:

Since the provisions for accessibility have been deleted for Alterations Level 1, does that mean I do not have to meet any accessibility provisions for the components being replaced as part of an Alterations Level 1 scope of work?

Answer:

No. New components and elements that are installed or replaced as part of an Alteration Level 1 are required to meet the requirements for accessibility as required by Section 702.4 for materials and methods requirements for new work. Any other work that would trigger the requirements for accessibility would be considered Alterations Level 2 work and be required to conform to the provisions of Section 806 for accessibility.

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