

Access to Independence 2015 FAQs:

1. *What is the date and time for Access to Independence?*

Access to Independence 2015 will be held on Wednesday, July 15th between 11:00AM to 2:00PM.

2. *Will the event be held indoors or outside?*

The event will be held outside at the Adam Clayton Powell Jr. State Office Building Plaza at 163 West 125th Street, New York, NY 10027.

3. *What is the cost of the event?*

The event is free and open to the public.

4. *Do I have to RSVP to the event?*

No, you do not have to RSVP to the event.

5. *Is there a rain date?*

The event will be taking place on Wednesday, July 15th 2015, rain or shine.

6. *Who is sponsoring the event?*

The event is sponsored by the New York City Mayor's Office for People with Disabilities and the New York City Department of Transportation. This event is also part of the ADA25NYC celebrations.

7. *Who is the target audience for the event?*

The event is targeted to older adults and individuals with a variety of disabilities (which may include but is not limited to visual, hearing, ambulatory, and/or cognitive disabilities), as well as individuals who provide services to or work with this population.

8. *What exhibitors will be at the event?*

The current list of exhibitors includes:

- 511NY
- AARP New York
- Accessible Pedestrian Signals (NYC DOT)
- AxsMap
- Big Apple Greeter
- Bussani Mobility
- CityBench Program (NYC DOT)
- DV Luxury Transportation Group
- FR Conversions
- Guide Dog Foundation
- HAI Omni*Bus Program

- Independence Care System (ICS)
- InTandem
- IT & Telecom (NYC DOT)
- Language Access (NYC DOT)
- Lighthouse Guild International
- LinkNYC
- Mayor's Office for People with Disabilities (MOPD)
- Mobility Management (NYC DOT)
- Mobility Ventures (MV-1)
- MTA Access-A-Ride
- MTA Mobile Sales Unit
- MTA NYCT Office of ADA Compliance
- New York Metropolitan Transportation Council
- New York Transit Museum
- NYC Department of Education Office for Pupil Transportation (OPT)
- NYC Department of Education Office of Travel Training
- NYC Department of Parks and Recreation
- NYC Emergency Management
- NYC Taxi and Limousine Commission
- Office of Safety Education and Outreach (NYC DOT)
- Parking Permits (NYC DOT)
- PASS Coalition
- Pedestrian Projects Group (NYC DOT)
- Port Authority Trans Hudson Corporation (PATH)
- Safe Routes to Transit (NYC DOT)
- Select Bus Service (NYC DOT)
- Sidewalk Management (NYC DOT)
- Staten Island Ferry (NYC DOT)
- UberWAV
- WalkNYC (NYC DOT)
- YAI Travel Training Program

9. *What is the closest accessible subway station?*

The closest accessible subway is the A, B, C, and D trains, located at the 125th Street station. The elevator is located at the southwest corner of 125th Street and Saint Nicholas Avenue. Nearby bus routes include the M60 Select Bus Service, M2, M7, M10, M100, and the M101.

10. *What accessibility accommodations will be at the event?*

Some accessibility accommodations include:

- Event space that is accessible for individuals using mobility devices, including wheelchairs.
- An American Sign Language interpreter on-site for the Press Conference.
- Designated Access-A-Ride pick-up and drop-off location at the northeast corner of Adam Clayton Powell Jr. Boulevard and 125th Street.

11. *Is Access to Independence on social media?*

Access to Independence 2015 Facebook Event information is available at

<http://on.fb.me/1BhWdUr>. You can also use the hashtags #DOTmobility, #AccessToIndependence, or #ADA25NYC.

12. *Where can I find more information?*

To find more information about the event or other similar events, visit <http://nyc.gov/ada25nyc> or <http://DOTmobility.nyc>.