**WXYZ Studios**

**Accessibility Guide**

LGI seek to make WXYZ Studios a venue that’s accessible for as many people as possible. To support this, we have a range of facilities in place to support broad access:

* **Step-free entrance** to WXYZ Studios is at 41 Little Dryburgh Street South.
  + This entrance has level access and an internal ramp into Studio 2.
  + Ramp gradient 1:12.
  + Access code keypad/intercom at this entrance are 90cm above the ground.
  + There is a small curb cut of 5cm and three rows of cobblestones connecting the road to the pavement.
  + Please note that our office entrance on 130 Dryburgh Street has a single step and keypad / intercom positioned 1.5m above the ground.
* **Step-free entrance** to office only is at 130 Dryburgh Street via a temporary ramp.
* **Level access throughout the top floor.** This links the step-free entrance to the two dance studios, kitchen, changing rooms and bathroom. There is a total of 16 stairs connecting the Dryburgh Street entrance and LGI office with the studios.
* **An accessible bathroom** with a lockable door, containing:
  + One RH toilet with handrail plus a lowered basin with a levered tap.
  + One shower with adjustable shower head and levered handle with a fold-down bench and wrap-around shower curtain.
  + One small table for possessions.
* **Theatre drapes** that can be closed across the windows in both studio spaces to create lower stimulation environments.
  + In Studio One, there are additional drapes that can be closed across the studio corridor to make Studio One a more private space and reduce distractions.
* **Lighting** in both studio spaces is currently limited to overhead strip lights, or natural light during daytime.
* All bathroom and changeroom facilities at WXYZ Studios are **all gendered**.

## **Facilities that WXYZ Studios does not currently provide**

* A dedicated quiet space. If this is needed for your activity, please discuss options with us in advance of your visit.
* Tactile indicators.
* A hearing induction loop.
* Braille signage.
* In-house interpreters.

**Parking Space for disability badge holders**

* ****Space is located [at](https://www.google.com/maps/place/Little+Dryburgh+St+S,+North+Melbourne+VIC+3051/@-37.8030954,144.9417995,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m5!3m4!1s0x6ad65d3ed1292f55:0xca4aaa2ea047c03d!8m2!3d-37.8030954!4d144.9439882) [41 Little Dryburgh Street South](https://www.google.com/maps/place/Little+Dryburgh+St+S,+North+Melbourne+VIC+3051/@-37.8030954,144.9417995,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m5!3m4!1s0x6ad65d3ed1292f55:0xca4aaa2ea047c03d!8m2!3d-37.8030954!4d144.9439882), adjacent to the studios’ wheelchair accessible entrance (white doors in image below).
* Text on the sign reads: **2P 9am - 6:30pm MON-FRI**.
* ****Additional parking (not specifically reserved for disability badge holders) is available on the surrounding streets.

**Step-free entrance to WXYZ Studios at 41 Little Dryburgh Street South**

* The access code keypad and intercom at this entrance have been lowered and are positioned 90cm above the ground.
* **Please note:** The curb cut is bordered by cobblestones and has a lip of around an inch. A temporary ramp is available for use.

**Ramped entrance via Studio Two**

* Ramp gradient = 1:12
* Handrail along length

**Ramped entrance to kitchen**

* Ramp gradient = 1:10
* Handrail along length

**Accessible bathroom facilities**

* RH toilet with handrail
* Shower with fold-down bench
* Adjustable shower head with lever-handle
* Lowered sink with lever-handled tap
* Low table for possessions



