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Living in place: Designing for home adaptations

As we age, many of us will face physical and cognitive limitations that can impact our ability to live independently. Home adaptation can play a critical role in helping us maintain our independence and quality of life. With more and more aging adults wishing to stay at home, the term, “aging in place” or “living in place” as it’s often called has become more important than ever.

The importance of home adaptation cannot be overstated. For many, their home is their sanctuary and the place where they feel most comfortable.

Considerations:

- Durability
- No raised transitions
- Ease of rolling
- Appropriate slip resistance
- Surfaces need to be water-resistant + easily cleanable
- Appropriate use of color and contrast



Product recommendations:



Altro Aquarius

Altro Aquarius was developed for lasting performance in wet environments, shoes or barefoot. This 2mm safety floor has been extensively tested on a variety of shoe types (and bare feet) to ensure peak performance in accessible showers and bathrooms where soaps and gels are present and create hazardous conditions for aided care.

In collaboration with North American healthcare interior designers, Altro Aquarius now offers six neutrals specifically created to match popular Sherwin-Williams® colors.



Altro Wood

This attractive, general purpose wood-look sheet flooring is available in a range of designs with different plank sizes and shades, including a fine-line design, a classic wide plank and rustic designs, helping you create the right look for areas where people live.

Altro Wood is available in a variety of thicknesses as well as in an adhesive-free option for smooth transition between areas requiring different levels of underfoot comfort and sound absorption.



Altro Lavencia LVT/LVP

Attractive looks and lasting durability are not the only traits that make Altro Lavencia the premier LVT for commercial applications — Altro Lavencia is now proudly manufactured in the USA!

Available in updated films ranging from classic wood tones, coordinating stones, brights and even modern organic looks, Altro Lavencia is a stylish, low-maintenance option for a host of application areas.

Additional recommendations:



Altro Whiterock wall designs

Elegance and durability in natural wood, stone and linen designs on an Altro Whiterock wall sheet, creating a design focal point. Ideal in bathrooms where you need to impress, without compromising on durability.



Altro Tegulis

Hygienic wall panel solution with a chic, authentic tile look and feel. Easy to install and available in interlocking and straight-edge formats with a variety of tile sizes and configurations.