

ACCESSIBILITY GUIDE FOR THE BEAUMONT HOTEL

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WELCOME

Grand in style yet warm and welcoming, the opening of The Beaumont in 2014 was eagerly anticipated and since then has delivered on its promise and earned numerous awards, including the AA Best Hotel in London 2016/2017 as well as being featured on the Condé Nast Traveler Gold List three years running and as one of TripAdvisor's Top 25 Hotels in the World in 2018. The hotel was shortlisted for Best Upmarket Hotel in 2019/20

Blue Badge Awards; the winner of 2016 BBS Award for 'Best Accessible Venue in a Listed Building by Historic England' and winner of 2017 Blue Badge Best Accessible Hotel.

A luxury, five-star hotel with just 50 rooms, 13 studios and 10 suites, The Beaumont is superbly located on a quiet garden square, close to the boutiques, galleries and museums of Mayfair, Marylebone, St James's and the West End, as well as the new Elizabeth Line station at Bond Street.

An important Listed building dating back to 1926, its interior design is inspired by the great Art Deco hotels of the 1920s, with beautifully appointed rooms and public areas full of original art and antiques, including the glamorous Colony Grill Room restaurant, the stylish Magritte Bar, an exclusive residents' lounge and an elegant spa and gym.

A striking element of the hotel is ROOM, an inhabitable sculpture commissioned from the Turner Prize-winning British artist, Antony Gormley. Forming the bedroom of a suite, ROOM is a massive, modular piece made of stainless steel and fumed oak, placed on a low-level wing to the south side of the building's facade.

The Beaumont is a family-friendly hotel, with interconnecting rooms. Our kitchens cater for a variety of diets. Assistance dogs are welcome.

AT A GLANCE

3 Level Access

- There is level access from the main entrance to:
 - The restaurant
 - The bar
 - Accessible Toilet

The lobby floors are smooth.

Hearing

• Hearing loop available at Reception and Concierge.

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- Some parts of the venue have low lighting.
- Lift access and all bedroom numbers are written in braille.
- Lift announces floors and the direction of travel.

♀ General

- There are two public toilets for disabled visitors.
- Corridors are wide enough for wheelchairs.
- Operational staff have disability awareness training.

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- 3 BBS ticks
- Blue Badge Style & Bespoke Access Award, BEST UPMARKET HOTEL 2017

GETTING HERE

8 Balderton Street Brown Hart Gardens Mayfair W1K 6TF London UK

Travel by public transport

- Bond Street tube station: step-free access to the Jubilee line and train access via manual boarding ramp for the Central line
- Nearest bus stops: Selfridges BB and Selfridges BX

Travel by taxi

• Concierge can request accessible taxis for guests and visitors.

Parking

- There is parking on the small private forecourt in front of the hotel.
- There are public accessible parking spaces. The parking is less than 50 metres from the main entrance.
- There is a drop-off point at the main entrance. The drop-off point has a dropped kerb.

ARRIVAL

Path to main entrance

- From the street to the main entrance, there is level access.
- The path is 3000mm wide, or more.

Main entrance

- The main entrance has level access.
- The door is 1000mm wide.
- The main door is side hung and automatic.



Hotel front access

GETTING AROUND INSIDE

Visual Impairment - General Information

Some parts of the venue have low lighting.

疎 Lift

- Two lifts are available.
- You can get a lift to all floors.

Lifts to all floors

- The lift door is 900mm wide.
- The lift is 1500mm wide. The lift is 1300mm deep.
- The lift buttons have raised numbers and braille markings.
- The lift shows the floor number, at each floor.
- The lift announces both direction of travel and floor number.

*** Public toilet

Accessible Toilet

- There are two public toilets for disabled visitors.
- From the main entrance to the ground floor public toilet, there is level access. The route is 1000mm wide, or more.
- The toilet door is 850mm wide.
- The direction of transfer onto the toilet is to the right.
- There is 300mm at the side of the toilet and 600mm on the access side. There is 1500mm in front of the toilet. The toilet seat is 420mm high. The toilets have handrails.
- The toilet contains a floor level and seated level alarm cord linked directly to assistance.

Place to eat and drink

- From the main entrance to the bar and to the dining area, there is level access.
- To get to a table, there are no steps.
- The route through the dining area is 1200mm wide, or more.
- There is background music sometimes.

- The table and plates have high colour contrast.
- We cater for vegetarian and vegan specific diets, and can cater for various allergies, including gluten-free.



Restaurant access from the bar



with a wheelchair

Access to lower level tables for guests

GUEST ROOMS

Accessible Rooms

- 5 guest rooms are fully accessible.
- Fitted with alarm cords in bathrooms and bedroom linked directly to assistance.
- Wood flooring in the hallway and carpets in the bedroom are easy to wheel over.
- Beds and desks are wheelchair height.
- Bedrooms interconnect with a second bedroom for carers.
- The bathrooms have recently been upgraded with removable HEWI grab rails and with wheelchair-friendly shower screens.



Guest room accessible bathroom

CUSTOMER CARE SUPPORT

Accessibility equipment

- We have a hearing loop at reception.
- We can provide water bowls and bedding for assistance dogs.
- We have a wheelchair and crutches available upon request.
- A doctor on call service is also available to guests.

Emergency evacuation procedures

 We have emergency evacuation procedures in place for disabled visitors and guests.

Customer care support

- All staff have disability awareness training.
- Baby changing facilities and highchairs are available.

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