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Universal Design
RESOURCE LIST

The RL Mace Universal Design Institute (UDI)
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Illustrated Universal Design Principles
Written Universal Design Principles
History of Universal Design

Better Living Design Institute (BLDI)
www.Betterlivingdesign.org
Great ongoing publishing on accessible design, universal design, and aging in place. The BLDI has a special focus on one to three family housing.

AARP Guide to Revitalizing Your Home-Beautiful Living for the Second Half of Life by
Rosemary Bakker
Lark Books- A Division of Sterling Publishing Co, NY/London 2010
http://www.aarp.org/entertainment/books/info-08-2010/independent_livinginbeautifulstyle.html
This guide offers information to help assess your current home to determine if universal design solutions can transform it into a home for a lifetime.

AARP Home Fit Guide
http://assets.aarp.org/www.aarp.org_/articles/livable_communities/aarp_home_fit_guide_042010.pdf

This guide offers information and tips to keep your home in top form for comfort, safety and livability.

American Society of Interior Design – Home for a Lifetime
www.asid.org/content/design-aging
This website offers a helpful resource for interior designers on aging design issues, marketing strategies and other useful resources.

Houses that Work For Life!
Lisa Sandlin, 2009, Booksurge Publishing
http://lisasandlindesign.com/suggested-reading/houses-that-work-for-life
A Guide to creating homes that provide security, comfort, and empowerment for all generations.

The Accessible Home: Designing for All Ages & Abilities by Deborah Pierce
Taunton Press, 2012
This guide offers help to aging boomers, or those faced with disabilities, accomplish home accessibility on a deeper level — leading readers through the steps of universal design, from hiring the right architect to creating a pleasing space. Includes 25 case studies.

Building For Boomers: Guide to Design and Construction by Judy Schriener and Mike Kephart
McGraw Hill, 2010
http://www.amazon.com/Building-Boomers-McGraw-Hill-Construction-Series/dp/0071599819
This resource provides the latest housing data, options, and trends to help you plan, design, and construct homes and communities to meet the requirements and expectations of aging baby boomers.

Inclusive Housing: A Pattern Book
Center for Inclusive Design and Environmental Access
W.W. Norton, 2010
Covers development schemes, home design features, and universal floorplans.

Universal Design for the Home by Wendy A. Jordan
Quarry Press, 2008.
http://www.amazon.com/Universal-Design-Home-Abilities-Circumstances-ebook/dp/B003L780UG/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1429557001&sr=1-1&keywords=Universal+Design+for+the+HOme%2C++Wendy+Jordan
This book features a blend of beautiful projects, creative ideas, and substantive planning information. Highly visual, the book features projects showing room contexts, as well as detail shots. The mix of projects encompasses small and large houses; one-story and multi-story houses; and ideas for general accessibility and comfort as well as some targeted more directly at handicap accessibility. There is an emphasis on remodeled projects, but new homes designed with an eye toward accessibility -- present and future -- are included as well.

Universal Design – Principles and Models by Roberta Null
CRC Press, 2013.
http://robertanull.wix.com/ud-principles-2
The book helps readers understand how the principles of Universal Design can be used to evaluate all products and places by showing Best Practice examples and explaining why they are universally designed. It presents a variety of users/groups in different situations and then shows design directives for meeting their needs. It includes both commercial and residential design.

Expanding Implementation of Universal Design and Visitability Features in Housing Stock
By Shannon Guzman, AARP Public Policy Institute; Janet Viveiros, National Housing Conference; and Emily Salomon, Formerly with National Housing Conference, 2017
https://www.aarp.org/content/dam/aarp/ppi/2017/06/expanding-implementation-of-universal-design-and-visitability-features-in-the-housing-stock.pdf

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Universal Design Handbook: Second Edition by Wolfgang F. E. Preiser and Korydon Smith
McGraw Hill, 2011
http://www.amazon.com/Universal-Design-Handbook-Wolfgang-Preiser/dp/0071629238
This handbook provides examples of global standards and design solutions, and covers the full scope of universal design, discussing how to develop media, products, buildings, and infrastructure for the widest range of human needs, preferences, and functioning.

Universal Design-Creating Inclusive Environments by Edward Steinfeld and Jordana L. Maisel
John Wiley and Sons, Inc., 2012
http://www.amazon.com/Universal-Design-Creating-Inclusive-Environments/dp/0470399139
This book introduces designers to the principles and practice of designing for all people. From the foundations of accessibility and aging to the practice of designing interiors, products, housing and transportation systems, all aspects of this growing field are explored. It includes best practices examples to demonstrate the value of universal design as both a survey of the field and reference for researchers.