



## ACCESSIBILITY FOR ALL

### On arrival/Parking

The Conference Centre is located within extensive grounds off the main A1307 road into the city centre. The conference car park is accessed along Harrison Drive where there are a number of speed bumps. Turning left into the car park there is a barrier which can be accessed by a pre-authorized code. If, for some reason, you do not have the code, there is a buzzer through to the Porters' Lodge. If disabled parking is required this is available either within the conference car park or at the front of the College. Both can be pre-booked by contacting the Lodge on 01223 747111.

### The Mary Allen Building

Access to the meeting rooms are via flat surfaces and above ground floor level are accessible by lifts. There are disabled toilets on each of the 3 levels. A hearing loop is available for hearing impaired delegates.

### The Conference Centre

There is a slight gradient to access the Conference Centre where 4 of the meeting rooms and all 3 dining rooms are on ground level. The further 3 meeting rooms are on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> floors and all have lift access directly to the rooms. There is a disabled toilet close to the main reception area and a further one close to the Great Hall. Both are alarmed. As before a hearing loop is available for hearing impaired delegates.

### Bedrooms

Bedrooms at Homerton are located within 6 accommodation blocks and all are accessible via lift. Of the 500 en-suite bedrooms, some of which are designed for easy wheelchair access with easily accessible showers. For hearing or sight impaired residents vibrating pillows are available at the Porters' Lodge which will activate in the event of a fire alarm.

### The Exterior

All areas are accessed via a card-swipe system. The control panels for this are located at a sensible height for wheelchair users.

### Dietary needs

Our catering team are well aware that people have different dietary requirements and are happy to meet these needs if indicated in advance.

### Healthcare

There are a number of First Aiders on site in the event of an emergency. There is a College Nurse on site during term time and there is a large A & E department at Addenbrookes Hospital which is a 2 minute drive from the Conference Centre.