Handicap Accessibility Information

There are areas of the Pearl S. Buck House that are not easily accessible by wheelchairs or walking support devices. The Pearl S. Buck House Tour is also featured in a tour DVD. This can be used in conjunction with the walking tour to support areas that guests may be unable to navigate.

Golf cart transportation is available upon request between our Welcome Center and the historic house.

Wheelchair Accessibility:
Welcome Center: Yes
Janet L. Mintzer Center: Yes
Exhibit Gallery in Welcome Center: Yes
Restrooms: Yes
Grave Site and property tour: Yes
Cultural Center: Yes
Cultural Center Restrooms: Yes
House Tour: Limited; first floor to living room. *Note: If chair can be transported down three stairs with help from another person, the full first floor can be accessed. There is NOT a handrail on this set of stairs into the Large Library.

The second floor area can be seen with a DVD shown in our Welcome Center area if the stairs cannot be used.

Second Floor Stairs
Hand rail: yes

Measurements For Guests Using Walking Aids:
First Floor Accessibility
Bell door width (with ramp entrance) 31”
Kitchen doorway width 28”
Dining room doorway width 32”
Front Door width 39.5 “ and (3 inch step)
Courtyard Door (Living Room) 35.5”
Secretary Office width 32.5”
Courtyard Steps 3 steps highest is 10.5 riser
Walsh Door width 31.5”
Large Library French Doors 4 inch step and courtyard steps
Pearl S. Buck Office door width 33.5”