

Accessibility with Disabilities Act (ADA)

Trash/ Recycling Receptacle

As the standard to receptacle in outdoor public environment is not specified in Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Standards nor Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, we use the standards set by local municipality as reference. Canaan's trash and recycling receptacles complies with City of Toronto Accessibility Design Guidelines Section 1.4.9 and 1.6.4 standards.

Mounting

All models allow free standing option; however, it is recommended to securely surface or in-ground mount in busy locations. In open areas such as parks and beach, receptacles should be mounted on concrete pads. Paving should be level, firm, free draining and easy to wash down.

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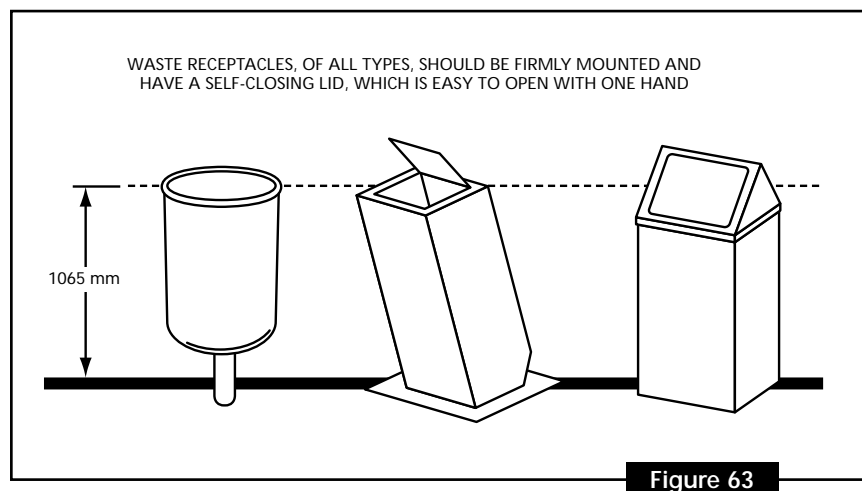
Receptacles are clearly identified by respective signs, decal and colors. They are designed to be unobtrusive and aid persons who have visual limitations.

Door Opening/Liner

Containers should be large enough to contain anticipated quantity of waste in any one location. Both door opening and liner are ergonomically designed for persons to access the unit without excessive lifting.

Deposit Access Opening

The height of deposit access opening should be accessible to all ages and persons using mobility aids. The opening is no higher than 1065 mm from grade. The lids, flares or rims can be easily operated with one hand. Some prefer to remove it in case material sits or gets caught on; however, it does provide the functionality for animal and pest control.



City of Toronto Accessibility Design Guidelines 1.4.9 Waste Receptacles and Recycling Bins