INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

To: State Fire Marshal

From: GSFIC/State ADA Coordinator’s Office

Subject: Technical Assistance for Georgia Accessibility Code/2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design

Date: April 2015 Revised

213 Toilet Facilities and Bathing Facilities – 606 Lavatories and Sinks

Question: Are sinks required to be accessible?

Answer: Yes. Lavatories are required to be in compliance with 606. Section 606 combines lavatory and sink requirements together. Therefore, there are no exceptions under 606.2 that would allow public sinks in rooms such as dental or doctor's offices or hospital exam rooms or patient rooms in medical care facilities to be inaccessible. The exceptions are specific to section 203.9 Employee Work Areas and section 606.2 Lavatories and Sinks.

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