BATHROOM MODIFICATIONS / ACCESSIBLE SHOWERS



Bathroom modifications may be beneficial if you experience reduced mobility and shortness of breath while bathing. Some bathroom modifications which may be of help include: a level access shower, shower seat, grab rails, folding rails, slip resistant flooring, ventilation, raised toilet, and rearrangement of bathroom furniture.

A grant is available to assist with bathroom modifications (see section on Disabled Persons Grant). It is necessary to submit quotations from 2 separate contractors with a copy of each contractor's *Tax Clearance Certificate of C2 Card. All* quotations submitted must be in accordance with the specifications outlined in your Occupational Therapist's report. Send the quotations and a completed application form to the Disabled Persons Grant Section at your local health authority (see section on Local Health Authority Offices).

VAT (Value Added Tax) is charged but is redeemable (see section on Tax Relief). In 2007, the maximum grant available towards installation of an accessible shower and bathroom modification was 6,000 Euro.

Tips!

- ✓ It may be worth getting a number of quotations for bathroom modifications as prices may vary.
- Keep photocopies of your completed application form and the quotations from the contractors.

SUPPLIERS OF BATHROOM EQUIPMENT & ACCESSORIES

The following list of companies may be worth contacting for quotations. This list is not all inclusive. Local contractors may be able to assist you. Ask your Occupational Therapist for their recommendations.

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<u>CONNAUGHT</u>

Home Care Medical Shop Ltd.

Terryland Retail Park, Headford Road, Galway. Tel: (091) 567812 or Lo-call: 1890 390 590 Website: www.homecaremedicalsupplies.ie Email: info@homecaremedicalsupplies.ie

Home Care Medical Shop Ltd.

Knock Road, Kiltimagh, Co. Mayo.

Tel: (094) 938 1361

Website: www.homecaremedicalsupplies.ie Email: info@homecaremedicalsupplies.ie

MMS Medical Ltd.

Units 2&3, Kilkerrin Park, Liosban, Tuam Road, Galway. Tel: (091) 768868

Website: www.mmsmedical.ie Email: info@mmsmedical.ie

LEINSTER

Alpha Engineering Heat Providers Ltd.

Finglas Business Centre, Jamestown Road, Finglas East, Dublin 11.

Tel: (01) 864 6061 Email: ashling@heatproviders.ie

Baileboro Supplies Ltd.

Baileboro, Co. Cavan. Tel: (042) 966 6889

Website: www.baileborosupplies.ie Email: info@baileborosupplies.ie

Beechfield Healthcare.

69 Heather Road, Sandyford Industrial Estate, Dublin 18. Tel: (01) 291 5800

Website: www.beechfieldhealthcare.com Email: info@beechfieldhealthcae.com

Classic Bathrooms.

Longmile Centre, Longmile Road, Walkinstown, Dublin 12.

Tel: (01) 450 5411

Website: www.classicbathrooms.ie Email: classicbathrooms@eircom.net

DPMS.

56A Hebron Industrial Estate, Kilkenny.

Tel: (056) 770 2759

Website: www.dpmsireland.ie Email: dpmstony@msn.com

Healthcare 21.

Unit 6B, Stadium Business Park, Ballycoolin Road, Dublin 11.

Tel: (01) 866 5770

Website: www.healthcare21.ie Email: info@phc.ie

Irish Stairways Ltd.

Unit 17, Thompson Industrial Estate, Clane, Co. Kildare.

Tel: (045) 892 696

Website: www.irishstairlifts.com Email: info@irishstairways.ie

Irish Stairways Ltd.

6 Scarlett Row, West Essex Street, Dublin 8.

Tel: (01) 616 7099

Website: www.irishstairlifts.com Email: info@irishstairways.ie

J.S. Dobbs & Co. Ltd.

84-85 Baldoyle Industrial Estate. Dublin 13.

Tel: (01) 839 1071

Website: www.jsdobbs.ie Email: sales@jsdobbs.ie

Lifestyle Mobility.

Unit 3, Bay Road Business Park, Mountmellick, Co. Laois.

Tel: (05786) 44793 Email: sales@lifestylemobility.ie

MMS Medical Ltd.

Unit 81, Western Parkway Business Park, Lower Ballymount Road, Dublin 12.

Tel: (01) 450 0582

Website: www.mmsmedical.ie Email: info@mmsmedical.ie

Modern Plant Ltd.

Otter House, Naas Road, Clondalkin, Dublin 22.

Tel: (01) 459 1344

Website: www.modernplant.ie Email: sales@modernplant.ie

Murray's Medical Equipment Ltd.

Leo Murray Chemist. 21-22 Talbot Street, Dublin 1.

Tel: (01) 855 5733

Email: info.pharmacy@murraysmedical.ie

Necoflex Ltd.

Unit 5, Kilcoole Industrial Estate, Kilcoole, Co. Wicklow.

Tel: (01) 287 6111 Email: support@necoflex.ie

Patron SVS Ltd.

81 Baldoyle Industrial Estate, Dublin 13.

Tel: (01) 839 1299

Website: www.patron.ie Email: info@patron.ie

Shires (Ire.) Ltd.

Broomhill Road, Tallaght, Dublin 24.

Tel: (01) 404 7600

Email: shiresireland@qualeram-shires.com

Simply Bathrooms.

3 Beechfield Avenue, Walkinstown, Dublin 12.

Tel: (01) 450 8728

Website: www.simplybathrooms.com Email: simplybathrooms@eircom.net

Tools for Living. Unit 50 Airways Industrial Estate, Santry, Dublin 9.

Tel: (01) 842 9405

Website: www.tools-for-living.co.uk Email: tools.for.living@virgin.net

<u>MUNSTER</u>

Active Healthcare.

Units 1&2, City Link Industrial Park, Forge Hill, Kinsale Road, Cork.

Tel: (021) 431 3144 or Lo-call: 1850 923 192

Website: www.activehc.ie Email: info@activehc.ie

Enable Supplies.

7 Kilnagleary Business Park, Crosshaven Road, Carrigaline, Cork.

Tel: (021) 437 2607

Website: www.enablesupplies.com Email: info@enablesupplies.com

Medical Express.

4 Parnell Street, Limerick.

Tel: (061) 416 671 Email: medicalexpress@eircom.net

Medical Mobility.

Ballaugh, Killarney, Co. Kerry.

Tel: (064) 33006 or 086 230 8788 Email: medicalmobility@eircom.net

MMS Medical Ltd.

51 Eastgate Drive, Little Island, Cork.

Tel: (021) 461 8000

Website: www.mmsmedical.ie Email: info@mmsmedical.ie

Mobility Ireland.

Mill Building, Donnybrook Commercial Centre, Donnybrook, Douglas, Cork.

Tel: (021) 489 9142

Website: www.mobilityireland.ie Email: sales@mobilityireland.ie

Modern Plant Ltd.

Tramore Road, Cork. Tel: (021) 496 8755

Website: www.modernplant.ie Email: sales@modernplant.ie

Nursing Needs Ltd.

13 Gladstone Street, Waterford.

Tel: (051) 874 622

Website: www.nursingneeds.ie Email: nursingneeds@yahoo.ie

Original Bathrooms & Tiles. T/A OB Heating & Plumbing.

South City Link Road, Cork.

Tel: (021) 431 0000

Personal Lifting Systems.

12 Elm Park, Gort Road, Ennis, Co. Clare. Tel: 087 238 1048

Email: sales@personalliftingsystems.com

South East Medical Supplies Ltd.

City Enterprise Centre, Waterford Business Park, Cork Road, Waterford.

Tel: (051) 845 420 Email: info@medicalsupplies.ie

Tools for Living. Unit 11, Westlink Industrial Estate, Cork.

Tel: (021) 421 2199 Website: www.tools-for-living.co.uk

Email: tools.for.living@virgin.net

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Chiltern Invadex.

5 Balloo Way, Bangor, BT19 7QZ, Co. Down.

Tel: (048) 91 450 497 Website: www.chilterninvadex.co.uk

The Care & Assist Company.

46A The Brae, Ballygowan, BT23 5TJ, N. Ireland.

Tel: (048) 9752 1552

Website: www.careandassist.com Email: ghyoung@tiscali.co.uk

Disability Needs.

1 York Road, Belfast, BT15 3GU, Co. Down.

Tel: (048) 9074 5333 (showroom) or (048) 9042 5886 (office)

Easa Group Ltd.

Moira Industrial Estate, 34 Old Kilmore Road, Moira, BT67 0LZ, Co. Armagh.

Tel: (048) 9261 2500

Moorings Mediquip.

Mobility & Independent Living Centre, 515 Laght Road, Ballymena, BT42 2JH.

Tel: (048) 2563 2777

Website: www.mooringsmediquip.co.uk