



Overview

Elizabeth Ainsworth is conducting a series of workshops during 2018 that will be lecture style with use of photos to illustrate examples of home modification solutions to

barriers within and outside the home. Resources and tools will be discussed and participants will receive an extensive information pack.

There will be time for group work to ensure participants have the opportunity to share experiences, problem solve and network.

Ramps and Rails Workshop

Bathroom Modifications Workshop

Introduction to Home Modifications Workshop

Advanced Home Modifications

Home Modification Case Study Discussion Day

Presenter



Elizabeth Ainsworth (B Occ Thy, Hons; M Occ Thy, Contemporary Practice) is a private practice Occupational Therapist and Access Consultant who has been working in the housing field for the last 21 years. She has had extensive experience providing recommendations to organisations on the housing needs of a diverse range of people including older people and people with disability. She is a specialist in recommending home modification and

new construction solutions. Elizabeth has co-authored a second edition textbook on home modification practice for Occupational Therapists that has been published in the USA. She has a keen interest in Universal Design and has present papers both nationally and internationally on the impact of this design approach on housing design and home modification practice in Australia. She is a consultant to clients in the insurance, legal and construction industries.

Ramps and Rails



[Pacific Golf Club](#),
430 Pine Mountain Road,
CARINDALE Q 4152

Free parking on site.

The ramps and rails workshop aims to provide information about:

- The broad principles for designing ramps for domestic homes
- How to measure up areas for the design and installation of ramps
- Resources to assist with measuring and designing ramps
- Current literature and research influencing the prescription of grabrails
- The biomechanics and measurement techniques to inform clinical reasoning processes for grabrail prescription
- Resources to assist with prescribing grabrails and handrails
- The relevance and application of the Australian Standards, the Disability Discrimination Act and the Premises Standards for grabrail, handrail and ramp design in domestic environments

Bathroom Modifications



[VELG Training](#)
1/52 Jeffcott Street
Wavell Heights Q 4012

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The bathroom modifications workshop aims to provide:

- Knowledge about broad principles for designing bathrooms for domestic homes
- Practical information on products and designs to suit bathrooms for older people and people with disabilities
- Information about resources to assist with problem solving a range of client scenarios
- Direct discussion about technical building issues, with a builder who is present at the workshop
- Opportunity to discuss and problem solve case scenarios from their own work setting

Introduction to Home Modifications



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The introduction to home modifications workshop aims to provide:

- An understanding of current models of practice and the application of clinical reasoning
- Information on the relevance and application of access standards to home modification practice
- Information on how to measure the person, their equipment and carer
- Practice measuring the built environment
- Information on how to translate the various measurements into features in the built environment
- Practice drawing to scale by hand
- Information on essential detail to include in OT reports
- Information on research and practice relating to grabrail prescription
- Resource information to enhance practice

Advanced Home Modifications



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The advanced home modifications workshop aims to provide:

- Information on the rights of a private home owner when modifying their own home
- An understanding of common barriers in the home, and the range of home modification solutions – through viewing photos of barriers and solutions
- Information on how to review products to determine their suitability for use in home modification practice
- Practice reviewing a plan and redesigning a home using a case study
- Resource information to enhance practice

Case Study Discussion Day – **NEW WORKSHOP**



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This case study discussion day aims to provide:

- Opportunity to discuss individual case scenarios
- Tips for problem solving simple and complex home modification issues for people with diverse needs
- Information about principles for the redesign of key areas of the home
- Information on legislation, codes, and standards, and their applicability to case studies.
- Direct discussion about technical building issues, with a builder who is present at the workshop
- Information on resources for practice.

Registration

Applications for registration must be accompanied by payment to secure your place in the course.

Payment to be made at

www.homedesignforliving.com

Return completed form to:

Elizabeth Ainsworth

PO Box 504, Coorparoo Q 4151

OR Email

info@homedesignforliving.com

Enquiries

Phone

0408 781 554

Brisbane Workshop Schedule and Registration Details

Full Name		
Address		
Email Address		
Phone Number		
Profession		
Dietary requirements or specific needs		
Please tick the workshop/s you wish to attend:		
Friday	2 March	Ramps and Rails Workshop
Friday	4 May	Bathroom Modifications Workshop
Thursday	19 July	Introduction to Home Modifications Workshop
Friday	20 July	Advanced Home Modifications
Friday	5 October	Home Modification Case Study Discussion Day
By signing, I indicate that I understand and accept the terms and conditions of registration		
Date:		

8:30am Registration | Workshops 9:00am - 4:30pm | Clinicians - \$350 +gst | Students - \$200 +gst

Registration Conditions and Administration

Disclaimer: Elizabeth Ainsworth reserves the right to cancel the course if a minimum number of attendees is not achieved by the closing date for the course – 2 weeks in advance of the course date. Applicants will be advised of the cancellation of the course and will be provided with a full refund of course fees.

Payment of Fees: Applicants submitting registration information must provide payment in full. This payment is to be done on line at www.homedesignforliving.com. The course fee covers course registration, course notes, morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.

All receipts will list Elizabeth Ainsworth ABN 844089759040

Minimum numbers are required for the course to proceed. If minimum numbers are not established

by the closing date, the course may be cancelled. Late registrations may be considered if places are available and if the course is going ahead.

A waiting list will be established in case of cancellations. Applicants who are placed on a waiting list will not have to pay until they are contacted and offered a place. Full payment is required upon acceptance of the place.

If you need to cancel your registration, you are required to contact Elizabeth Ainsworth as soon as possible. A refund will be made if a cancellation is made more than 2 weeks in advance of the workshop otherwise there will be no refund. Registrants who fail to attend the event will not receive a refund of the workshop fee.

A certificate of attendance will be presented to each participant at the end of the workshop.

Elizabeth Ainsworth must be advised of any special dietary requirements at the time of registration. Space has been made available on the registration form for listing of specific dietary information or information can be emailed to Elizabeth Ainsworth.

Elizabeth Ainsworth will make every effort to provide a venue that is wheelchair accessible to ensure attendees with mobility issues have appropriate access to the venue. Parking and venue information is available prior to the event, if required.

Copyright Protection: Registrants who attend the event must agree to sign a Statement of Participation to ensure copyright protection (pursuant to the Copyright Act 1968 (Cth) of both the information and material presented by Elizabeth Ainsworth. Registrants who refuse to sign this Statement will not be permitted to participate in the workshop and will not receive a refund of the workshop fee.