

UCCDM Accessible to All (A2A) Checklist



By completing this form you are telling the United Church of Christ that the congregation you represent desires to become fully an officially designated Accessible to All (A2A) congregation. UCCDM expects A2A congregations to be able to answer yes to each yes/no item on the checklist.

Congregational Information

Congregation's Name *(required)*:

Pastor's Email *(required)*:

A2A Contact Person for Congregation *(required)*:

Congregation's Address *(required)*:

A2A Contact Person's Email *(required)*:

A2A Contact Person's Phone Number *(required)*:

UCC Conference *(required)*:

Pastor's Name *(required)*:

Checklist Signed By (Your Name) *(required)*:

Pastor's Phone Number *(required)*:

Title of Person Signing Checklist *(required)*:

UCC Association *(required)*:

Date Checklist Completed *(required)*:

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Tell us about what you're doing to include people with disabilities and persons with mental health/brain disorders.

After study, reflection, discussion, and working with allies in the disability community, our congregation is ready to be designated a UCC "Accessible to All" Congregation. This means more than having a ramp to us. Not only will we continue to make our building more accessible, we have taken steps to do the same with all other aspects of our life as a community of believers.

Our congregation will be listed in the UCC web directory as an A2A church, designated by a blue square with "A" for Accessible to All. This symbol says we are working on this commitment

and having an organized structure in place to assure that the issues of access and inclusion remain part of every aspect of our common life. In becoming Accessible to All we are committing ourselves to a process and attitude and not merely an outcome. *(required)*

Yes

No

Our governing body and pastor has endorsed becoming A2A. *(required)*

Yes

No

We have an Inclusion Committee/Team at our church. *(required)*

Yes

No

We have studied the UCCDM disability curriculum. *(required)*

Yes

No

We have notified our Association and/or Conference that we are working towards designation as A2A. *(required)*

Yes

No

About This Form

This checklist is designed as a fillable PDF form. If you require accommodation for filling this checklist out, please contact info@uccdm.org.

Our church has accessible parking reserved by the sign showing the accessible symbol. *(required)*

Yes

No

Our church building is accessible to all including at least one accessible restroom. *(required)*

Yes

No

We include information about disabilities, including the brochure “A2A Etiquette: What You Should Know” that is available in our training for Church Staff, Ushers, and Greeters. *(required)*

Yes

No

Our church celebrates Access Sunday. *(required)*

Yes

No

We know who we can call on (special ed teacher or therapist who works in the field) for help in designing church school programs and modifying resources if necessary. *(required)*

Yes

No

We know where to find American Sign Language Interpreters and their fee schedule. *(required)*

Yes

No

We use or modify worship resources to reflect our commitment to becoming A2A. *(required)*

Yes

No

We advertise our church as being accessible / inclusive. *(required)*

Yes

No

Our website is accessible (is programmed so people with visual challenges are able to use screen readers and other technology to navigate the website).*(required)*

Yes

No

Our church publicly describes our congregation as “Accessible to All.” *(required)*

Yes

No

We commit to making an annual donation to the UCC Disabilities Ministries and/or the Virginia Kreyer Endowed Scholarship for Theological Education. *(required)*

Yes

No

Your Congregation's Response to the UCCDM Accessibility Audit

The last five questions ask about the Church Building and Program Accessibility Audit available from UCCDM.

We have completed the recommended building and accessibility audit. *(required)*

Yes

No

Our score from the Church and Congregational Audit: _____ of 56 (We recommend a minimum score of 35.) *(required)*

Based upon our audit findings we have identified the following things as goals to achieve/things to change this year *(required)*:

Based upon our audit findings we have identified the following things as goals to achieve/things to change in the next three years *(required)*:

Based upon our audit findings we have identified the following things as goals to achieve/things to change in the next five years *(required)*:

Is there anything else you would like to share with the UCCDM Board at this time?
(Comments/Questions)

The A2A Symbol - Use it!

