

15 Most Common Problems Pedestrians Face



Tripping Hazards

along walking paths and streets can lead to injury



Lack of Shade

causes excessive heat and makes walking uncomfortable in the summer



Poor Signage

can cause confusion and may deter people from walking



Noise Pollution

can make walking unpleasant and reroute walkers



Poor Transit Infrastructure

without disability- and age-friendly design reduces walking to transit stops



Missing Crosswalks

makes local walking trips unsafe



Minimal Lighting

may make pedestrians feel unsafe or unsure



Aesthetic Drawbacks

such as trash and graffiti can discourage people from walking



Too Few Benches

does not provide age-friendly resting points



A Lack of Local Destinations

reduces the need and want to walk



Cars Speeding

often makes walking and crossing the street feel unsafe



Disability Inaccessibility

reduces the ease of walking for people with disabilities



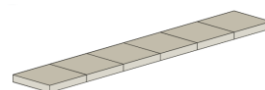
Short Pedestrian Signal Times

cause discomfort while crossing intersections, particularly for people who are older or who have disabilities



Abundant Parking

increases pedestrian interactions with cars



Narrow Sidewalks

reduces safety and the desirability of walking