

Housing Channel

Title: Barrier Free Access (2)

Uncle Chuen Rub some herbal oil on it when you get home

Auntie Chuen It's all right
 Just a slight injury

Female neighbour Hey, Auntie Chuen, are you okay?

Uncle Chuen She tripped over the fence
 around the guide paths under construction
 What a nuisance they are!

Auntie Chuen We shouldn't really say that
 These barrier free facilities
 are important for people with special needs

Female neighbour That's right. Maybe one day we'll need them too

Uncle Chuen I hope not!

Female neighbour It's true, Uncle Chuen
 I've experienced it first-hand
 When my eyes gave me trouble, I had some surgery
 After a few months
 I still couldn't see clearly

VO At first, I needed a guide when I went out
 Only then did I find that many estate facilities
 were specially fitted out for the visually impaired

Super Tactile guide paths
 Nosing and tread in contrasting colours
 Audible system in lifts

VO Things like tactile guide paths
 coloured nosing strips on the edges of stairs

and the audible system inside the lifts

After I got used to it

I went out without anyone accompanying me

and still managed to get about safely

Female Neighbour Some things are unpredictable

These barrier free facilities

will help us to lead safer and easier lives on the estate

Hey, Uncle chuen, are you all right?

Uncle Chuen I had a fall and broke my leg!

Auntie Chuen The doctor said he'll be in a cast for some time

Luckily there are barrier free facilities in the estate

Otherwise, I don't know how I could take him out

Super Ramps
Dropped kerbs
Suitable drain covers and grilles
Accessible toilets

Uncle Chuen Thanks to these barrier free facilities

I can take a walk in the park, or go and have tea

instead of sitting at home bored

Auntie Chuen You said these facilities were useless!

Female neighbour That's right, Uncle Chuen

These facilities are needed in the estate

Person with disabilities or able-bodied, young or old

everyone can use them – even you and me

With these facilities

there'll be no more barriers, for anyone

Super Barrier free access for a happy life