



Accessible Holiday Accommodation in the Heart of England (Hereford, Worcester, Staffordshire)

This list has been compiled as a result of many requests for information for fully accessible holiday accommodation. Unlike the majority of our literature we have not visited all the places included. Those with an asterisk * we have visited and whilst we have tried to ensure the information is correct we strongly urge you to consult with the owners of each property about the appropriateness of the accommodation for your own specific needs. N.B. In most cases prior arrangement is required when bringing your pet so please check.

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Portland House

Whitchurch, Ross-on-Wye, Herefordshire, England, HR9 6DB

Phone: 01600 890757 / 07937 675062

www.portlandquesthouse.co.uk/index.html

Portland House has an interesting history (some parts dating back to the 17th century) including in the nineteenth century becoming the doctor's quarters adjoining the Whitchurch Hospital and Asylum. It is situated close to the border between England and Wales in the Wye Valley. It is family run and has been specifically developed to accommodate family guests including those with limited mobility. The Lloyd suite is all on one level with a double and single bed plus easy chairs. It also has a small conservatory leading from the bedroom and overlooking the garden.

The White Hart Inn

157 Evesham Road, Headless Cross, Redditch, Worcestershire, England, B97 5EJ

Phone: 01527 545442

www.whitehartredditch.co.uk/

Situated in the old town the White Hart is only minutes away from the Worcestershire countryside but is also only a short drive from Birmingham International Airport and the National Exhibition Centre. N.B. The White Hart website states that they serve meals but this service is no longer available.

SELF CATERING

Grafton Villa Farm Cottages

Grafton, Hereford, Herefordshire, England, HR2 8ED

Phone: 01432 268689

www.graftonvilla.co.uk

Grafton Villa Farm lies only two miles from the Cathedral city of Hereford, but is set in a rural landscape. It offers guests three holiday cottages set within the farmhouse Victorian walled garden. Two of which are wheelchair accessible. Anvil is on one level and has a twin room with profiling bed, a double room and an adjoining large shower room. Apple Bough has a ground floor double bedroom with adjoining wetroom. It also has a twin and a double room upstairs. Please contact the owners for assistance with choosing which cottage will be suitable for your own specific needs.

HOTEL

Travelodge Hereford *

Pomana Place, Hereford, Herefordshire, England, HR4 0EF

Phone: 0871 984 6343

www.travelodge.co.uk/search_and_book/hotel_overview.php?hotel_id=327

The hotel is situated adjacent to the Cider Museum near the city centre and has 3 accessible rooms with en-suite wetrooms. Two (1 and 2) are ground floor and one (104) is on the first floor. There is a hearing loop in the reception area and pets are welcome at £10 per dog. There is a bistro adjacent to the hotel. Please note the bed in room 1 is low.

Castle House *

Castle Street, Hereford, Herefordshire, England, HR1 2NW

Phone: 01432 365909

www.castlehse.co.uk

Castle House is a beautiful Georgian Town House situated in the heart of Hereford within easy wheeling distance of the Cathedral and the city centre. There is a wheelchair accessible ground floor suite with its own separate ramped entrance. All of the public areas in the hotel are accessible including the bar (that serves light snacks) the lounge and the restaurant. There is also a wheelchair accessible twin/double room on the 1st floor with a low level bath. Please note that the shower room is compact and in our opinion would not be suitable for electric wheelchair users who cannot transfer.

Express By Holiday Inn Redditch

Hewell Road, Enfield, Redditch, Worcestershire, England, B97 6AE

Phone: 01527 584658

www.hiexpress.com/hotels/us/en/redditch/bhxd/hoteldetail

The Express by Holiday Inn Redditch is located adjacent to the Redditch British Rail Station and Bus Station and offers complimentary on-site car parking. The hotel offers various attraction packages for Cadburyworld, Warwick Castle, Birmingham Sea Life Centre, West Midlands Safari Park, Severn Valley railway & Drayton Manor theme park.

Premier Inn Trentham Gardens *

Stone Road, Stoke on Trent, Staffordshire, England, ST4 8JG

Phone: 0870 423 6466

www.premierinn.com/en/hotel/STOTRE/stoke/trentham-gardens

The hotel is situated adjacent to Trentham Gardens and Leisure Complex. It has 6 accessible rooms, two of which are on the ground floor. The restaurant serves light lunches and evening meals and special dietary requirements can be accommodated with prior notice. There is a large designated toilet (right hand transfer) adjacent to the dining area on the ground floor. For further details about Trentham Gardens and other attractions in Staffordshire visit our Stafford pages in the Midlands region accessed from our home page.

Splash Landings Hotel *

Alton Towers, Alton, Staffordshire, England, ST10 4DB

Phone: 0871 222 1100

www.altontowers.com/hotels/splash-landings-hotel/

The Splash Landings Hotel has 12 accessible rooms with en-suite level access shower rooms. The rooms sleep up to 4 people with a double and single (with pull out single underneath however utilising this will use up the wheelchair access space so for practical purposes with a wheelchair user it will sleep up to 3) in each room although there are several accessible family rooms with bunk beds that can sleep up to 6. There is designated parking outside the level access main entrance and a low level check in counter (with hearing loop). Access around the ground floor is good and the lift to the lower ground floor where the bedrooms are situated has controls at a wheelchair user's height and sufficient internal dimensions to allow wheelchair turning space. The television is operated by a keyboard that can be placed anywhere in the room. Adjoining is the Cariba Creek water park with accessible changing rooms and pool accessible wheelchairs to transfer to that then can be wheeled down a ramp into the pool. Also available is a portable hoist if preferred. There is a spa facility however as the treatment rooms are upstairs the staff can arrange treatments in two ground floor rooms with prior notice. N.B. Access to the theme park from the hotels is via the monorail. There is a steep ramped entrance to the monorail platforms but there is level access from the platform to the wheelchair accessible last carriage on each train. The other hotel on site, Alton Towers, is situated next door to Splash Landings by the main car parks for the theme park. (N.B. The Alton Towers Hotel only has accessible rooms with low level baths). For our researchers report on the theme park and ideas for other accessible attractions to visit in the area check out the Stafford page on the DHI website.

Express By Holiday Inn Stafford

Acton Gate, Acton Court, Stafford, Staffordshire, England, ST18 9AP

Phone: 0870 7202295

www.hiexpress.com/hotels/gb/en/stafford/sffso/hoteldetail

The Express by Holiday Inn Stafford hotel, on Jct 13, M6, is ideally situated when wishing to visit the nearby local Staffordshire Potteries such as Lorna Bailey, Moorcroft and Wedgwood.

Express By Holiday Inn Lichfield

Wall Island, Birmingham Road, Lichfield, Staffordshire, England, WS14 0QP

Phone: 0870 7201078

www.hiexpress.com/hotels/us/en/lichfield/lhfuk/hoteldetail

The Express by Holiday Inn Lichfield hotel is located at Junction T5 of the M6 Toll lies within the midlands high speed road connections to the whole of the UK via the M6 Toll south, east and west, M42, A5 and the A38 north with Birmingham centre only 20 minutes away. Airports are easy to access with Birmingham International only 20 minutes and Nottingham East Midlands Airport 40 minutes drive away. From the hotel it is also only a short journey to Alton Towers, Drayton Manor Park (Tamworth) and NEC.

Express By Holiday Inn Burton on Trent

2nd Avenue, Centrum 100, Burton on Trent, Staffordshire, UK, DE14 2WF

Phone: 01283 504 300

www.hiexpress.com/hotels/us/en/burton-on-trent/butuk/hoteldetail

The Express by Holiday Inn Burton-upon-Trent is situated on the Centrum 100 Business Park. Located next to the A38, we are easily accessible from all major destinations. Surrounding cities include Derby, Nottingham, Stoke-on-Trent & Birmingham.