

Chinese Canadian Museum - Access Guide



Access Overview

The Chinese Canadian Museum is located in the historic Wing Sang Building in Vancouver's Chinatown. The museum is not a traditional theatre venue. It will host the Festival performance in a gallery located on the second floor, accessible by stairs or elevator.

Address

51 E Pender St, Vancouver BC V6A 1S9

Getting here

Public Transit

The 4, 7, 19, and 22 bus lines all stop at the intersection of Carrall Street and Pender Street across from the museum.

The museum is less than a 10-minute walk from the Stadium-Chinatown Station. Exit the station from the Keefer Place exit, go down the steps and turn left onto Abbott

Street. Continue until you reach Pender Street. Turn right onto Pender Street and continue until you arrive at 51 E. Pender St.

Parking

The museum does not offer on-site parking. There is an EasyPark parkade located in Chinatown Plaza at 106 Keefer Street. Limited metered parking is also available along Pender Street in front of the museum. Please allow extra time to find parking. Chinatown street parking is \$2 per hour.

Accessibility of the building

Entrances

- A loading zone is located on Pender Street near the front entrance of the museum.
- Entrance and ticketing are located at street level.

Path of Travel

- Upper and lower levels are accessible by elevator and stairs.
- The narrowest doorway located in the museum on our third floor School Room is 28.85 inches (73.3 cm) wide. Visitors using mobility devices are encouraged to check their equipment dimensions before visiting. Travel through this doorway is not necessary to access the performance venue.

Lobby / Rest Areas

- Lockers available for coat and bag check
- Wooden benches on elevator landings of each floor
- No water fountains, but self-serve water dispensers available at the bar

Policies

- Service animals welcome.

Accessibility inside the gallery

Seating Format

- This event will have general seating
- There are no steps or tiered seating inside the gallery

Seat Details

- Standard seats: armless, sturdy folding chairs with light cushioning (approx. 30.75"H x 15"L, supports up to 300lbs)
- Roomier seating on gallery furniture: curved, upholstered felt sofas with backrests
- Space available for guide dogs beside or under chairs.

Mobility Device Seating

- Folding chairs can be easily reconfigured to accommodate patrons using mobility devices and their companions

Washrooms

General Access

- All washroom facilities are located on the upper floors, accessible by elevator or stairs

Gender-Neutral Washrooms

- All washrooms are gender-neutral
- Available on the second and third floors
- Push-plate automatic door opening switches to enter the washroom; sliding levers to lock stall doors
- Centre flush buttons

Single-Occupancy Accessible Washroom

- Located on the second floor and accessible via elevator or stairs
- Fully wheelchair-accessible
- Push-plate automatic door opening switches to enter and lock the washroom
- Transfer from toilet is to the right and front; grab bars located on right and back walls

- Centre flush buttons

Baby Changing Facilities

- Available in the single-occupancy accessible washroom on the second floor, accessible via elevator or stairs

Assisted Listening Devices

N/A

More Information

Venue website: <https://www.chinesecanadianmuseum.ca/visit>

Contact PuSh

Please do not hesitate to contact Andrea, the Accessible PuSh Coordinator if you have any further questions about this venue, or if you'd like assistance reserving accessible seating. Email her at access@pushfestival.ca or call 604-605-8284 x204.