

**Internal doors and corridors**

**Performance Statement:**

**Internal doors and corridors facilitate comfortable and unimpeded movement between spaces.**

**Essential**

a. Doorways to rooms on the entry level used for living, dining, bedroom, bathroom, kitchen, laundry and sanitary compartment purposes should provide:

1. a minimum clear opening width of 820mm. See figure 8; and
2. a level transition and threshold (maximum vertical tolerance of 5mm between abutting surfaces is allowable provided the lip is rounded or beveled).

b. Internal corridors/passageways to the doorways referred to in (a) should provide a minimum clear width of 1000mm. See figure 8a.

**Desirable**

As for the Essential except replace (a) (i) with a minimum clear opening width of 850mm and (b) with a minimum corridor/passageway width of 1200mm. See figures 8 and 8a.

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