



## The Universal Design Project

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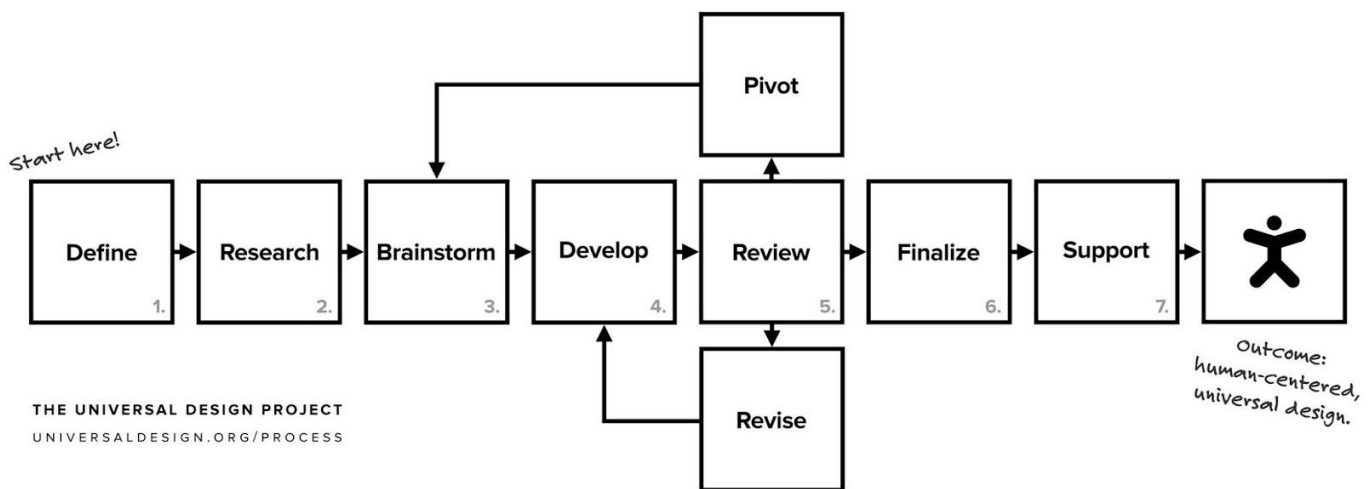
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### Our mission:

To help make communities more welcoming to people affected by disability.

### What we do:

1. **Design** new homes, activities, & events.
2. **Share** the plans with communities everywhere.
3. **Support** implementation efforts.



### Our design process:

- Step 1: **Define** a problem.
- Step 2: **Research** the problem.
- Step 3: **Brainstorm** possible solutions.
- Step 4: **Develop** a solution.
- Step 5: **Review** work in development.
- Option A: **Pivot**: Back to step 3.
  - Option B: **Revise**: Adjust, change, edit, or fix something to make it better. Back to step 4.
- Step 6: **Finalize** design.
- Step 7: **Support** implementation.

### Here's how you can help!

1. **Research**: we have a short 4-question online survey that we use to generate new ideas and develop training material. *This is primarily for individuals and/or caregivers.*  
  
Please share: [universaldesign.org/survey](http://universaldesign.org/survey)
2. **Design Advisors**: our design advisors assist with more in-depth research, but most importantly, participate in the review part of our design process. *This is an online-only volunteer opportunity for anyone with disability experience.*  
  
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**Objective:** to create a library of design plans for universally designed homes and inclusive opportunities for social participation that can be used by communities throughout the USA.