

WHAT ARE ISSUES RELATED TO AGING/LIFESTYLE?

- Mobility
 - Dexterity
 - Strength
 - Tactile Senses
- Accessibility
 - Stairs
 - Ramps
 - Handrails
 - Widened Circulation
 - Elevators
 - Fixture Heights
- Hearing
- Vision
- Color and Light

- ## Unit Design Considerations

- Putting bathrooms easily accessible to the bedrooms to reduce the number of falls during the night.
- Paint colors that comfort users.
- Appropriate lighting.
- Adequate sound qualities.
- Efficient space planning.

- ## Aging Myths

- Older people lose their desire and ability to learn
- Elderly means frail
- Seniors have limited financial resources
- Young adults have nothing in common with seniors