

Accessible Route

**4.3.10° Egress.** Accessible routes serving any accessible space or element shall also serve as a means of egress for emergencies or connect to an accessible area of rescue assistance.

## 4.3.11 Areas of Rescue Assistance.

**4.3.11.1 Location and Construction.** An area of rescue assistance shall be one of the following:

- (1) A portion of a stairway landing within a smokeproof enclosure (complying with local requirements).
- (2) A portion of an exterior exit balcony located immediately adjacent to an exit stairway when the balcony complies with local requirements for exterior exit balconies. Openings to the interior of the building located within 20 feet (6 m) of the