

The “Final” Step

It might not be your actual final step. Regardless of when you place it on the ground, it is an important, simple, and, for some people, a crucial accessory. This little step (**fig. 1**) makes it much easier to safely get onto the porch to enter the Hut . . . now, just remember to duck when going in the door!



Figure 1. A step in use in front of a Hut

The steps are made from shorter 2X6s (around 18"–36") we can scavenge from around our shop. We place two 2X6s on edge and fasten 3–4 more onto the top to make a simple step.

But this step doesn't always work for everyone's mobility needs. We have also customized other ways for people to get inside of a Hut, which include longer and more shallow steps, steps with handrails (**fig. 2**), and various types of ramps for wheelchairs or people that use a walker (**fig. 3**).



Figure 2. An example of more gradual steps with handrails designed for someone who went through knee surgery



Figure 3. A ramp for use by someone in a wheelchair. Also, notice the Hut is a custom size to accommodate the larger sized door (36") and larger interior space to maneuver a wheelchair.