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## QEP Corporation Portfolio



### Detectable Warning Tile



The blister truncated dome as illustrated here is not just extremely durable. It also boasts the benefit of ease of installation and is further complimented as a more aesthetically pleasing product than its fiberglass or resin counterparts. When installed, Visul's detectable warning system benefits from the stone blend giving the appearance of natural brick.

### Detectable Warning Tile



This particular installation of the hazard yellow blister truncated dome tile illustrates our system adhered to an asphalt surface at an intersection where pedestrian traffic crosses the path of vehicular traffic. As you can see, there is no curb separating the road from the pedestrian pathway. Our tile serves as the only warning to the blind or partially sighted.

### Detectable Warning and Tactile Guidance System



A combination of our truncated dome tile and our pathfinder tile have been installed in Asheville, North Carolina to assist blind and partially sighted employees working at the Industries for the Blind to navigate the intersection more safely. The pathfinder product is especially recommended in high traffic areas. Our blister surface is used to indicate roadcrossing points and guidance tile is used to provide a detectable path across an open plaza to the shops.



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### Guidance Tile



The guidance tile has been used to great effect on Docklands Light Railway London. The driverless trains on DLR come to a pre-determined stop position; the guidance tile is used to indicate the position of the train doors and therefore allow the visually impaired to prepare for the train's arrival and make a safe entry into the carriage.

### Detectable Warning & Tactile Guidance System



A combination of different warning and information surface tiles has been used in Belgium to assist blind and partially sighted students in finding their way safely from school to the local shop and back. Blister surface is used to indicate roadcrossing points and guidance tile is used to provide a detectable path across an open plaza to the shops.

### Pathfinder – Helping the blind lead the way.



QEP Corporation has developed an effective guidance system typically installed at intersections, and other areas where vehicular traffic crosses the path of pedestrian traffic. It is also being used by blind manufacturing facilities here in America. Pathfinder gives a visible and tactile detectable demarcation of safe transit routes. The blind and partially sighted can navigate safely along designated routes avoiding potential hazards. Pathfinder is also a vital aide in safe and effective evacuation in an emergency situation.