walk west/east along ... Street --- past Cedar Square --- a set of traffic lights --- turn left/right into in the middle of --- opposite the dance center --- go east along .... Street --- on the corner of as you approach the airport --- make your way back into the terminal ---get off at the first bus stop walk through the main entrance --- on the right/left --- at the north end of the airport ---

## **Asking for directions**

The best way to get to ... is --- take the metro --- travel two stops and get off at .... --- walk along --- on the left hand corner --- there is a tunnel which runs under the river --- the entrance is just outside the hotel --- the park sits on a hill --- the park overlooks the beach --- it's uphill --- the buses run every 5 minutes --- the entrance is at the south end of the park --- just to the right of the coach park --- head straight to the deckchairs --- carry on past the picnic ground --- as the footpath bends ---

Could you tell me how to get to (... the pool)? How do I find (...StarBucks Coffee Shop)? Pardon me, I'm lost, how do I get to the (...the main lobby)? Which is the best route to (...Phuket Town)? Could you direct me to (...the beach)? Which way do I go to get to (...the hospital)?

Guest: Could you tell me how to get to the Spa?

Staff: Take this passage-way and go down the steps on your right. At the bottom of the steps there is a wooden bridge. Go over the bridge and turn right. Follow the path until you get to the Spa. It's about 40 meters from the bridge.

Guest: How do I find the Thai Thai restaurant?

Staff: Just follow the pathway to the left of the reception desk in the Andaman lobby. The walk-way will take you directly to the Thai Thai Restaurant.

Guest: Which way do I go to get to the beach?

Staff: From the Bell Desk in the Andaman Lobby, turn left and follow the path on the right and go past the pond and up the steps. From there, walk straight across the beach road, the beach will be right in front of you.

Guest: Pardon me, I'm lost, how do I get to the gym?

Staff: From the main lobby, walk away from the beach and take the first staircase on your right down. The staircase is next to the portrait center.

The gym is on your right at the bottom of the stairs.

Guest: Which is the best route to the Phuket City?

Staff: Get on the road to Patong and drive north on the 4233. At the end of the beach road in Patong, turn right on the 4029 and drive east. Take the 4029 about 4 kilometers and turn right on the 4020. That road will take you into Phuket city.

## **Giving directions**

Take this **passageway** --- Go up/down the steps --- On your right/left --- Turn right/left --- Take the elevator/escalator --- It's on the third floor --- Follow this path --- Turn right/left at the corridor --- It's about 50 meters Go above 3 kilometers --- Cross the street --- It's on your right/left --- It's in the middle of the block --- It's on the corner --- Drive south on 4233 --- It's next to/ across from/between/in front of --- Drive to Jackson street and turn left/right

## Prepositions of location used when giving directions

go straight go to right left
cross on your right on your left beside
next to behind across from in front of
on the corner of (to be very specific NE, SE, NW, SW corners)

**Additional Vocabulary** 

sidewalk footpath road
pedestrian main road street
avenue boulevard round about
dead end cul de sac pavement/sidewalk
Land marks

bridge castle temple art gallery department store cathedral cinema Z00 post office museum opera police station railway fire station bus station train station stop light traffic light stop sign T-iunction