

# Creating a Half Height Wall

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The information in this article applies to:



I would like to create a half-wall with a specific height without it affecting the ceiling height of the room I place it in. Is this possible?





## ANSWER

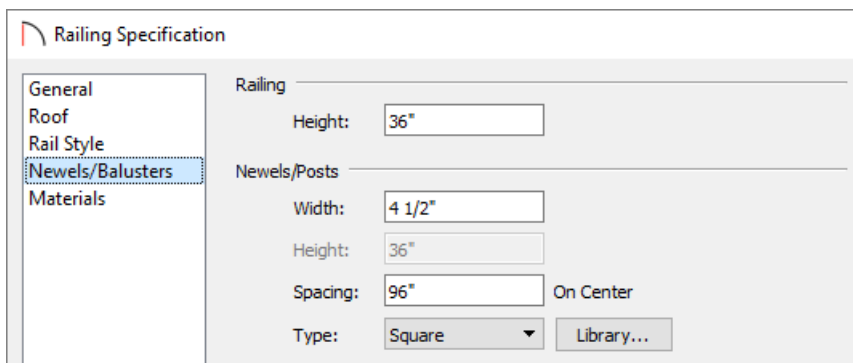
Use the Half-Wall tools to create half-walls in your plan, and then adjust their heights by accessing their specification dialogs.


To create a half height wall

1. Select **Build> Wall> Straight Half-Wall**  or **Build> Wall> Curved Half-Wall**  , then click and drag to create a half-wall.

**Note:** Half-Wall tools are not available in Home Designer Essentials.

2. Once placed, use the **Select Objects**  tool to select the newly created half-wall and click on the **Open Object**  edit tool.
3. On the **NEWELS/BALUSTERS** panel of the **Railing Specification** dialog that opens, set the **Height** to your liking.



4. Next, select the **MATERIALS** panel and set your desired materials for the Interior and Exterior Wall Surface components.
5. Click **OK** to apply these changes and generate a **Camera**  view to see the results.

You can also place half-wall railings inside of doorways. To learn how, please access the "Placing a Railing in a Doorway" resource located in the [Related Articles](#) section below.

#### Related Articles

 [Placing a Railing in a Doorway \(/support/article/KB-00919/placing-a-railing-in-a-doorway.html\)](https://support/article/KB-00919/placing-a-railing-in-a-doorway.html)