

# 40 Alternatives to Politically Incorrect Terms



## Alternatives

Ancestors  
Artificial  
Average Person  
Banned  
Bartender  
Best Person for the job  
Businessperson  
Chairperson  
Chief assistant  
Cosmetic Surgery  
Person with a disability  
Economically deprived area  
Extortion  
Fairness  
Firefighter  
First name  
Flight Attendant  
Gender reassignment  
Has (e.g. asthma)  
Hearing impaired

## Terms no longer in use ✗

Forefathers  
Man-made  
Man in the Street  
Blacklisted  
Barman, Barwoman  
Best Man for the Job  
Businessman  
Chairman, Chairwoman  
Right-hand man  
Plastic Surgery  
Cripple  
Slum  
Blackmail  
Sportsmanship  
Fireman, Firewoman  
Christian name  
Steward, Stewardess  
Sex change  
Suffers from (e.g. asthma)  
Deaf

House helper	Maid
Human Resource	Manpower
Humanity	Mankind
Intellectually disabled	Mentally handicapped
Mail carrier / Postal Worker	Postman
Manager	Manageress
Outcast	Black sheep
Overweight	Fat
People with disabilities or disabled people	The disabled
Person with a mental health disability	Schizo, mad
Police Officer	Policeman, Policewoman
Salesperson	Salesman, Saleswoman
Server	Waiter, Waitress
Sex Worker	Prostitute
Single woman	Spinster
Tax Officer	Taxman
Irregular Immigrant	Illegal immigrant
Utility Hole	Manhole
Visually impaired	Blind
Wheelchair user	Wheelchair-bound / Confined to a wheelchair

