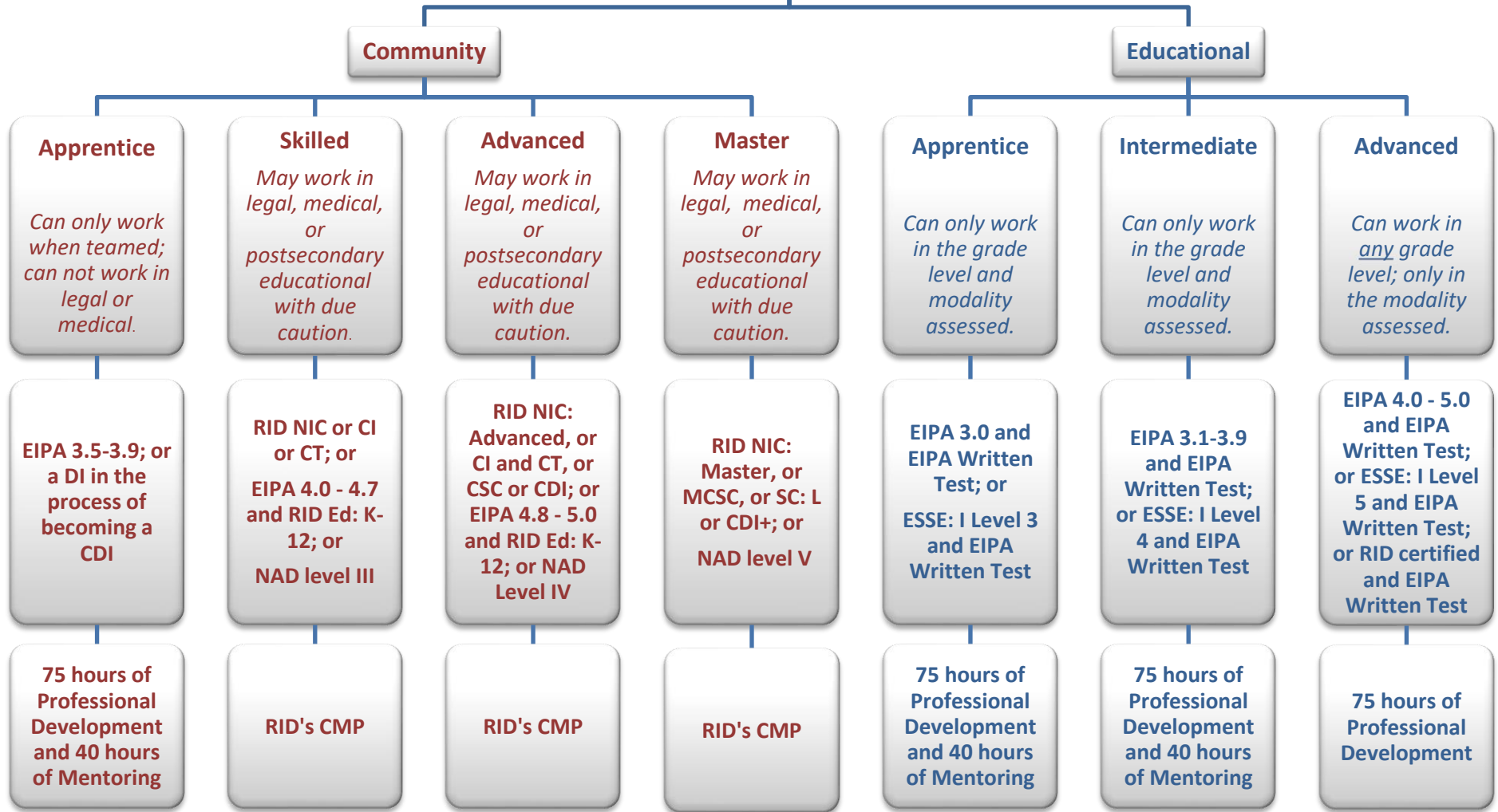


Sign language interpreters in Nevada must:  
 be 18 years or older, have a high school diploma or G.E.D., provide current photo, copy of current picture ID with birthdate, and sign and adhere to a Professional Code of Ethics



For more information or to register please visit: [http://adsd.nv.gov/Programs/Physical/ComAccessSvc/Interpreter\\_Registry/Interpreter\\_Registry/](http://adsd.nv.gov/Programs/Physical/ComAccessSvc/Interpreter_Registry/Interpreter_Registry/)

Registration is required for:

**Sign language interpreters\***

**Cued speech transliterators**

**CART and realtime  
captioning providers**

In

**community or educational**

settings who

provide services in the

**State of Nevada**

**for more than 30 days**

in a calendar year.

**For more information, contact**

Jenn Montoya:

(775) 434-0237

(775) 431-0135 (Text only)

[InterpreterRegistry@adsd.nv.gov](mailto:InterpreterRegistry@adsd.nv.gov)

\*An “interpreter” is any person who facilitates communication between persons who are deaf or whose hearing is impaired and other persons.

(NRS 656A.030, 656A.060)

Registered providers are responsible for:

- ✓ Reporting employment information (for educational interpreters only)
- ✓ Remaining current on their professional development plans and plans for mentoring (if required)
- ✓ Updating their contact information with the Registry
- ✓ Updating the Registry of changes in their assessment or certification status
- ✓ Renewing their registration every 3 years (for noncertified interpreters), or every 5 years (for certified interpreters)
- ✓ Providing proof of registration

Exceptions:

Those who provide services only for:

- ❖ Nonprofit civil or religious organizations,
- ❖ An emergency medical situation,
- ❖ Occasional social situations where a qualified provider is not required (according to the ADA or section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973)
- ❖ Broadcast (applies only to CART or realtime captioning providers)

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