

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

Community

Educational

Apprentice
 Can only work when teamed; can not work in legal or medical.

Skilled
 May work in legal, medical, or postsecondary educational with due caution; can work in K-12.

Advanced
 May work in legal, medical, or postsecondary educational with due caution; can work in K-12.

Master
 May work in legal, medical, or postsecondary educational with due caution; can work in K-12.

Apprentice
 Can only work in the grade level and modality assessed.

Intermediate
 Can only work in the grade level and modality assessed.

Advanced
 Can work in any grade level; only in the modality assessed.

EIPA 3.5-3.9; or NAD level II; or ACCI level II; or a DI in the process of becoming a CDI

RID NIC or CI or CT; or EIPA 4.0 - 4.7 and RID Ed: K-12; or NAD level III; or ACCI level III

RID NIC: Advanced, or CI and CT, or CSC or CDI; or EIPA 4.8 - 5.0 and RID Ed: K-12; or NAD Level IV; or ACCI level IV

RID NIC: Master, or MCSC, or SC: L or CDI; or NAD level V; or ACCI level V

EIPA 3.0 and EIPA Written Test; or ESSE: I Level 3 and EIPA Written Test

EIPA 3.1-3.9 and EIPA Written Test; or ESSE: I Level 4 and EIPA Written Test

EIPA 4.0 - 5.0 and EIPA Written Test; or ESSE: I Level 5 and EIPA Written Test; or RID certified

Professional Development Plan or RID's ACET program; and Plan of Mentoring

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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

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

NRS 656A



Nevada law on
qualifications and
registration for:

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Cued speech transliterators
and
CART and realtime
captioning providers**

Brian Sandoval, Governor

**Richard Whitley, Director
Department of Health
and Human Services**

**Dr. Edward Ableser, Administrator
Aging and Disability
Services Division**