

**Deaf Interpreter-Provisional
Application**
NH Interpreter Classification System (NHICS)

Name: _____
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State
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Requirements for the Deaf Interpreter-Provisional

Candidates for the DI-P Basic:

- Must be at least 18 years old and be required to submit the following documents:
- Submit letters of reference from two NH Licensed interpreters indicating the candidate's ability to be a Deaf Interpreter working in a team and the licensed interpreter's willingness to work with the candidate.
- Submit letters of reference from two members of the Deaf community indicating the candidate's ability to be a Deaf Interpreter and to their standing within the Deaf community
- Will provide evidence of 8 hours of training, at least half of which need to be in the Code of Professional Conduct (provided by NHRID)
- Will work a maximum of 100 contact hours per year
- Will only take assignments referred through a NH interpreter referral service
- Will only work in conjunction with a Licensed NH Interpreter
- Will not work in legal settings.
- Must earn 5 hours of interpreting related CEUs yearly.

Candidates for the DI-P Advanced:

- Must be at least 18 years old and be required to submit the following documents:
- Submit letters of reference from two NH Licensed interpreters indicating the candidate's ability to be a Deaf Interpreter working in a team and the licensed interpreter's willingness to work with the candidate.
- Submit letters of reference from two members of the Deaf community indicating the candidate's ability to be a Deaf Interpreter and to their standing within the Deaf community
- Will provide evidence of 150 hours of Interpreter Training, with a minimum of 40 hours of training focused on Deaf Interpreter Training (Through Interpreter Training Program, Road to Deaf Interpreting or similar)
- No limit on number of hours per year.
- Will only work in conjunction with a Licensed NH Interpreter
- Will not work in legal settings.
- Must earn 20 hours of interpreting related CEUs yearly

I am applying for: (please check)

	<i>Deaf Interpreter-Provisional (Basic)</i>	<i>\$20.00</i>
	<i>Deaf Interpreter-Provisional (Advanced)</i>	<i>\$50.00</i>

Please make check or money order payable to: Treasurer–State of New Hampshire
Send application with check to: NH Interpreter Classification System
Office of Deaf & Hard of Hearing
Vocational Rehabilitation, Department of Education
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 20
Concord, NH 03301

Letters of Reference:

2 from NH Licensed interpreters who can talk about your ability to be a Deaf Interpreter working in a team and their willingness to work with the candidate.
2 from members of the Deaf community who can talk about your ability to be a Deaf Interpreter and your standing within the Deaf community.

Training:

Basic Requirements

8 hours of training, at least half of which need to be in the Code of Professional Conduct (provided by NHRID)

Advanced Requirements

150 hours of Interpreter Training, with a minimum of 40 hours of training focused on Deaf Interpreter Training (Through Interpreter Training Program, Road to Deaf Interpreting or similar)

Please attach proof of training (copy of diploma, transcript, certificate of attendance, or signed letter from trainer)

OR ask trainer to fill out the information below.

Training Provided by:

Name: _____ Address: _____

Dates of training: _____ # of hours: _____

Description of Training or experience:

Services Provider/Presenter Signature

<i>I have read, I understand and agree to follow the RID Code of Professional Conduct.</i>	
<i>I, _____, swear that the above information is true and correct and understand that any incorrect information may result in losing my Deaf Interpreter-Provisional classification.</i>	
_____ Signature of DI-P Candidate	_____ Date

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