

Medical Terminology for Healthcare Interpreters



Is understanding the language and terminology used by healthcare professionals making you feel like a deer in headlights? You are not alone! Learning how to navigate medical terminology is like learning a whole other language. We can help!

This workshop will help interpreters understand the foundations of medical terminology, their structure and meaning. You will learn why diseases, conditions, and anatomical terms have the names they do and how they interrelate. In addition, you will learn how to use this knowledge to help you navigate complicated medical language before, during, and after your interpreting encounter. Although no one can learn medical terminology in a day, the program provides valuable continuing education.

This 8-hour class will cover the following:

- The Latin and Greek basis of medical terminology.
- Critical English vocabulary of: the circulatory system - the digestive system - the respiratory system - the male and female reproductive systems - the endocrine system - the musculoskeletal system - the nervous system.
- Terminology related to tests, procedures and symptoms
- A system to expand your medical vocabulary over time.
- This workshop is open to interpreters of any language

Who Should Attend?

- Interpreters preparing for medical interpreter certification (NBCMI or CCHI)
- Experienced Medical Interpreters looking for a refresher
- ASL interpreters wanting to specialize in healthcare
- Any healthcare professional who wants to have a greater understanding of medical terminology.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS NOVEMBER 08 TH, 2019

\$125.00 per person

Payment can be made by credit card or by check (made out to: Medical University Hospital Authority).

Credit card payments can be made at 843-792-9055.

Saturday, November 16th, 2019

9:00 am - 5:00 pm, with a hour for lunch

MUSC Community Training Center

1 South Park Circle, Suite 300, Charleston, SC 29407

CE Credits?

This program includes a certificate and is approved by the the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf for **0.8 RID CEUs**

How to Register?

Register online at <http://musc.edu/musclearning>. Create and log into your account. In the search toolbar type course name and click on the course. Read the course information and select desired course date to enroll.



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