

# Interpreter Certification and Resource Center-ICRC

Our staff administers the certification process for sign language interpreters for the State of Oklahoma.

Qualifications to become a certified interpreter will include:

- 18 years and older to take the written and skill-based performance.
- Must have 30 hours of college credits related to Interpreting (ITP) or 60 hours of Interpreting CEUS (must provide transcript and/or CEUS when applying for the written test or skill-based performance.
- Pass ICRC written general knowledge test.
- Expressive and receptive sign language proficiency skilled based performance test level of I-III or IV-V.
- Professionalism in the support of the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Code of Professional Conduct-RID CPC, ICRC Level of Limitations, and Oklahoma Educational for the Deaf Acts and Legal Laws.

Our Oklahoma certification Level of Limitations are as follows:

- V/V Master
- IV/IV Accomplished
- III/III Advanced Beginner
- II/II Intermediate Beginner
- I/I Beginner



## How to reach us

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# OKLAHOMA Rehabilitation Services

# Services for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

Vocational Rehabilitation

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## How we assist you

DRS staff believes in empowering individuals by providing them with the knowledge and support they need to become experts in their own lives. People with hearing loss are capable of making decisions about their work and living situations.

DRS' Services for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing offers clients the information they need to make the best decisions for themselves and their employment goals.

## DRS services offered

Services can include:

- Career counseling and guidance.
- Vocational evaluation.
- Job placement.
- Assistive technology devices.
- Interpreter and captioning services.
- Training.
- Social Security benefit planning.
- Transition school-to-work.



Oklahoma City's Services for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing office location is at 5005 N. Lincoln Blvd, Suite 205.

Tulsa's Services for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing office location is at 8740 E 11th Street, Suite F.



## How counselors prepare clients for work

- Our counselors help Deaf and Hard of Hearing clients prepare for, obtain, keep or advance in jobs.
- Assist Deaf and Hard of Hearing clients in finding resources in the community, which are available for people with hearing loss.
- Provide sign language interpreters for vocational rehabilitation consumers and for VR services statewide.
- Work and provide consultation with other general VR counselors with clients who have hearing loss.
- Act as consultants for other agencies or organizations regarding information, resources and accessibility responsibilities related to serving people with hearing loss.