

MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MD - DISABILITY NETWORK DIRECTORY

Sign Language Interpreting Services

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Access Interpreting, Inc.

571-730-4330 (V)
202-540-8617 (Videophone)
www.ainterpreting.com

Services include sign language interpreting, deaf interpreting, video remote interpreting, and Communication Access Realtime Translation (CART).

Ad Astra, Inc.

E-mail: info@ad-astrainc.com
www.ad-astrainc.com

Services include various areas of interpreting, including Tactile, Close Vision, Signed English, PSE, ASL and teaming, cued speech, Communication Access Realtime Translation (CART), voice writing service, captioning, and Video Remote Interpreting (VRI).

American Sign Language Classes - Montgomery College

Dept. of World Languages & Philosophy
Pauline Laster, Associate Professor of ASL
240-567-5393 (V)
301-637-2935 through Video Relay Service (VRS).
E-mail: pauline.laster@montgomerycollege.edu
E-mail: pauline.laster@gmail.com
Beginner, advanced, and certificate courses, and Associates of Arts degree for American Sign Language.

American Sign Language Interpreters, LLC

Nancy Kowalski, President
301-460-1833 (V)
Sign language interpreting services.

Birnbaum Interpreting Services (BIS)

David S. Birnbaum, President
8730 Georgia Avenue, Suite 210
Silver Spring, MD 20910
301-587-8885 (V)
1-800-471-6441 (Toll Free)
E-mail: bisinfo@bisworld.com
www.bisworld.com
Interpreting, transliterating services, and video remote interpreting as well as a number of workshops, seminars, and training sessions for both interpreters and businesses that work with deaf or hard-of-hearing employees and customers. Provide experienced individuals who can interpret ASL, PSE, MCE, Tactile/Deaf-Blind interpretation, cued speech transliteration, and oral transliteration. Offer captioning services.

Capital Sign Language

Judi Rockhill, President
301-728-5740 (V)
E-mail: judi.rockhill@capitalsignlanguage.com
www.capitalsignlanguage.com

Provide sign language interpreters for a variety of settings and offer sign language classes. ASL, Pidgin Signed English, Signed English, Oral and Tactile. Offer provide short term educational classes for individuals, groups, offices and businesses. We have provided classes for federal agencies, children's playgroups, parent groups, after school programs and medical facilities.

Carrie Quigley and Associates, Inc.

11804 Bristolwood Terrace
Laurel, MD 20708
301-776-2395 (V/TTY)
E-mail: pcquigley@comcast.net
Sign language interpreting services.

CIRS Interpreting/HASA

5900 Metro Drive
Baltimore, MD 21215
410-318-6780 (V)
E-mail: cirsrep@hasa.org
<http://hasa.org/programs/interpreting/>
American Sign Language interpreters and oral transliterators, American Sign Language classes, and deaf awareness workshops.

Clear Sign Interpreting, LLC

Susie Barber Needham, NIC Certified ASL /
English Interpreter
240-472-1005 (V)
E-mail: info@clearsigninterpreting.com
Sign language interpreting services.

Deaf Access Solutions

6900 Wisconsin Avenue, #311
Bethesda, MD 20824
202-391-0074 (V)
703-348-6527 (Videophone)
E-mail: info@deafaccess.com
www.deafaccess.com
Sign language interpreting, captioning, CART, consulting, and assistive technology support and training.

Deafnet Association – Interpreter Referral Service

551 Jefferson Street
Hagerstown, MD 21741
301-791-9025 (V)
240-329-9687 (Videophone)
E-mail: deafnet@deafnetmd.org
www.deafnetmd.org

Interpreters are available 24 hours per day, 7 days per week. Offer sign language classes and training. Serve Frederick, Allegany, Garrett and Washington Counties.

Dream Management, Inc.

210 W 28th Street
Baltimore, MD 21211
443-552-5512 ext 5520 (V)
Email: jward@dream-mgmt.com
www.dream-mgmt.com

Provide on-site, telephonic, and video remote ASL and foreign language interpreting services for minority and deaf communities throughout MD, VA and DC.

Gallaudet Interpreting Services (GIS)

800 Florida Avenue, NE
Washington, DC 20002
202-651-5199 (V)
202-250-2115 (Videophone)
E-mail: gis@gallaudet.edu
www.gallaudet.edu/gallaudet-interpreting-service
Sign language interpreting services, transcription services, and video relay service. Serves the Gallaudet community and the general Washington D.C. metropolitan area.

Hands in Motion

1-877-310-8389 (Toll Free)
E-mail: info@himservice.com
www.himservice.com

Offer American Sign Language interpreting services 24/7 and support; emergency requests (those with less than 48 hours notice); workshops and ASL Classes; Communication Access Real Time Transcription (CART); Video Remote Interpreting (VRI); and ASL Tours. Specialize in education, medical, government, legal, platform/conferences and performing arts.

HIS Sign, LLC

1-877-458-7408 (Toll Free – 24/7)
571-252-5387 (Videophone)
E-mail: info@HISsign.com
www.HISsign.com

Provide American Sign Language interpreting services to the deaf community, to the business community, and the interpreting community. Provide around-the-clock interpreting services to schools (K-12 to post-secondary), private businesses, outpatient medical facilities, government agencies, hospitals, and more. Also offer Video Remote Interpreting services to customers seeking last-minute interpreting needs or ongoing needs where an onsite interpreter is not required. Serve MD, VA, WV, and DC.

Independent Interpreters

www.independentinterpreters.com
Online directory of independent, direct hire, direct contact, freelance, professional American Sign Language interpreters in VA, MD, and DC.

Joyful Signing, LLC

13813 Doctor Edelen Drive
Accokeek, MD 20607
240-585-0280 (Office)
443-854-7423 (Emergency Requests)
E-mail: scheduling@joyfulsigninginc.com
www.joyfulsigning.com
ASL interpreting and transliterating services. Serve the Washington, DC and Baltimore metropolitan areas.

Partners in Sign, Inc.

1200 G Street, NW, Suite 800
Washington, DC 20005
202-638-5630 (V)
E-mail: information@pinsdc.com
www.pinsdc.com
Sign language interpreting services.

Professional Interpreter Exchange (PIE)

9101 Cherry Lane, Suite 104
Laurel, MD 20708
301-725-3402 (V)
410-724-3299 (V)
410-389-8820 (After Hour Emergencies)
301-725-3404 (TTY)
E-mail: scheduler@pieinc.com
www.pieinc.com

Provide interpreting, transliterating and tactile services to deaf, deaf-blind and hard-of-hearing clients. Also provide Certified Deaf Interpreters (CDI). Serve MD, DC, and VA area.

Purple Communications, Inc.

1-866-669-7707 (On-site Interpreting/CART Services)
1-800-618-2418 (Video Remote Interpreting)
1-800-549-6000 (After Hours)
1-877-467-4877 (English Video Relay Services)
1-877-467-4875 (Spanish Video Relay Services)
www.purple.us

Sign language interpreters and video relay services for a variety of public and private sector settings. ASL English/Spanish.

Sharava, LLC

11301 Maiden Drive
Bowie, MD 20720
301-919-3366 (V)
E-mail: sharava@hotmail.com
www.sharava.net

Provide sign language interpreting services for government agencies, private companies, educational institutions, religious and community organizations. Also provides sign language interpreter training.

Sign Language Interpreter Services for Montgomery County Government Sponsored Events

240-777-6197 (ADA Compliance Team)
240-777-6196 (TTY)

E-mail: adacompliance@montgomerycountymd.gov
www.montgomerycountymd.gov/DGS-ADA/AuxiliaryAid.html#SignLanguage

The County will provide sign language interpreter services, including American Sign Language, Pidgin Signed English, Oral Interpreting, Cued Speech, Tactile Interpreting and Certified Deaf interpreting as well as CART upon request. Requests should be made to the program sponsoring the event or to the ADA Compliance Team with as much notice as possible (a lead time of 3 business days will help us to engage the most highly qualified interpreters for the job). **Video**

Relay Phones (Video Relay Service, or VRS) -

Several of the County Public Libraries maintain video relay phones—instruments that send and receive sounds and a moving picture at the same time—for public use. A user can sign (or talk) over one of these phones to another person with a similar phone or can make calls through a Video Relay Service to call any telephone. They are currently available for public use at four libraries: Rockville Memorial (2nd floor), Germantown (upper level), Gaithersburg, and Silver Spring.

Signing Hands

7432 Alban Station Boulevard
Springfield, VA 22150
703-451-4828 (V)
703-451-8408 (TTY)

Southern Maryland Interpreting Service, Inc.

P.O. Box 871
Prince Frederick, MD 20678
410-414-9124 (V)
E-mail: smis4you@yahoo.com
www.somdinterpreting.com

Provide services to federal, state, city and county entities, private corporations, educational institutions, and health care providers. Serve Southern Maryland and the suburban communities of Washington D.C.

TCS Associates

8757 Georgia Avenue, Suite 500
Silver Spring, MD 20910
301-960-2580 (V)
240-221-1227 (Video Phone)
E-mail: info@tcsinterpreting.com
www.tcsinterpreting.com

On-site and remote sign language interpreting, on-site and remote CART, ASL classes and training, business consulting, and assistive technology.

Vital Signs, LLC

Joyce Dworsky, Owner/Director
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