## **Scheduling a Sign Language Interpreter**

- 1. If you will need an interpreter, request as early as possible. There is generally an extra fee for last-minute requests.
- 2. For appointments less than 2 hours, you may only need one interpreter. For more than 2 hours, unless there are a lot of breaks, you will need two interpreters.
- 3. A list of certified interpreters and their contact information is maintained at the Division of Rehabilitation Services website. Some are freelance interpreters that can be hired directly by your agency. You can find the list here by clicking on the blue heading "SD Interpreter Registry": https://dhs.sd.gov/rehabservices/deafservices.aspx#interp
- 4. There are 3 interpreting agencies in South Dakota. You can find their contact information below. Interpreters can be available at all hours as needed for emergencies, and these agencies have the greatest numbers of interpreters to contact to ensure someone will be available to come.



Email:

GrateInterpreting@gmail.com

Phone:

(605) 906-7900 (Voice/text)



Email:

Info@interprecorps.com

Phone:

(605) 362-3507 (Voice)

ISI, LLC.



Email:

kasey@interpreterservicesinc.com

Phone:

(605) 331-7800 (Voice)

5. You can also contact Communication Service for the Deaf (CSD) offices for assistance.

CSD of Sioux Falls 117 West 39th Street Sioux Falls, SD 57106 (605) 362-2618 CSD of Rapid City 2040 West Main St, Ste 306 Rapid City, SD 57702 (605) 394-6864 CSD of Aberdeen 1707 4th Ave, Ste C Aberdeen, SD 57401 (605) 626-2668

