

Medical Interpreter

PROGRAM CODE: 31-538-1



Technical Diploma



Location: Downtown Milwaukee Campus

Start Date: August

Admission Requirement: High school diploma or equivalent. This program admits students through a waiting list process. Visit the program's webpage at matc.edu to view the waiting list process and all requirements.

Financial Aid Eligible: Yes. Use code 003866 at fafsa.gov.

Program Description

This program is for bilingual (English/Spanish) students.

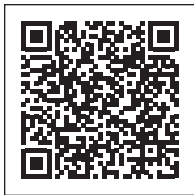
Interpreters form a vital link in providing better healthcare. This program prepares you for employment to facilitate the communication, in Spanish and English, between patients and medical personnel.

Career Outlook

The increasing demand for professional medical interpreters can be attributed to the need to provide quality care through effective communication and federal laws requiring language assistive services.

Program Learning Outcomes

- Interpret bilaterally into English or Spanish in real time.
- Render oral sight translations from English and Spanish texts.
- Translate English and Spanish documents into target language.



Complete Program Details

QUESTIONS? 414-297-6263, 262-238-2281 or healthpathway@matc.edu

COURSES

COURSES	CREDITS
MEDINT-102 Spanish Regionalisms and English Variants	3
MEDINT-103 Introduction to Medical Interpretation ‡.....	3
MEDINT-104 Applied Medical Interpretation 1	3
MEDINT-107 Bilingual Medical Terminology	5
MEDINT-112 Dual Language Enhancement for Healthcare Providers ‡..	3
MEDINT-101 Cultural Awareness	3
MEDINT-106 Introduction to Medical Translation.....	3
MEDINT-108 Ethics and Standards for Medical Interpreters.....	3
MEDINT-110 Applied Medical Interpretation 2 ‡.....	3
MEDINT-111 Applied Medical Interpretation 3 ‡.....	3
PSYCH-199 Psychology of Human Relations.....	3

CREDITS

Total credits needed to complete this diploma

35

‡ Prerequisite required.

Program curriculum requirements are subject to change.

All credits in this technical diploma must be earned at MATC with a 2.0 GPA or higher.

Current MATC students should consult their Academic Program Plan for specific curriculum requirements.

MATC courses are offered in person, entirely online or partially online. Check each course's delivery options in Self-Service at selfservice.matc.edu.