ASL Connection LLC

HOW WE FOLLOW THE RULES SO YOU ARE PROTECTED

What you can expect from every ASL Connection assignment, in writing

Interpreter access carries legal and privacy obligations that land on your organization, not on the interpreter. These are the standards we hold on every assignment so that those obligations are already met when our interpreter walks in. Keep this page in your vendor file.

WHO SHOWS UP

Certified only. Every interpreter holds RID national certification (NIC, CDI) or EIPA for classrooms, and is on the Washington ODHH roster where the setting requires it. We verify credentials and expirations ourselves and keep them current in our system.
Vetted by a working interpreter. Our founder interviews every interpreter before they represent us. No one is placed from a résumé alone.

K-12 AND YOUTH SETTINGS

Background clearance under RCW 28A.400.303 and .330 is completed before a classroom placement, and we provide the sworn affidavit and roster your district needs for its audit. Where a clearance is still in process, we tell you before placement and follow your district's rule on in-process status.
Student records. Interpreters treat IEP, 504, and evaluation content as confidential under FERPA and the RID Code of Professional Conduct. Nothing about a student leaves the room.

CONFIDENTIALITY AND PRIVACY

RID Code of Professional Conduct binds every interpreter we send: confidentiality, impartiality, and no involvement beyond the interpreting task.
Healthcare and mental health. Interpreters complete HIPAA training and sign a business associate agreement with us before any medical assignment. Our booking system carries no patient information; the interpreter learns details on site.

INSURANCE AND LIABILITY

Commercial general liability and professional liability are in force, with a certificate of insurance naming your organization as additional insured available on request.
Independent contractors, our responsibility. Interpreters contract with us, not with you. We handle their agreements, W-9s, 1099s, and payment. You receive one invoice from one vendor.

HOW ASSIGNMENTS ARE RUN

Written confirmation for every booking, with the interpreter's name, time, and location, so your record is complete before the day arrives.
Team interpreting of two interpreters for assignments over two hours, which protects accuracy and prevents fatigue. We tell you up front when a team applies.
Cancellations. Our terms are stated on every confirmation; no surprises on the invoice.
One number that answers. Day-of changes go to a working interpreter who can act, not a call center.

WHAT THIS MEANS FOR YOU

You can accept a request for an interpreter, book us, and know that credentialing, clearance, confidentiality, insurance, and contractor compliance are already handled. If an auditor, parent, or attorney asks how the interpreter was qualified, the answer is on this page and in your confirmation email.