

NATIONAL INTERPRETER ASSOCIATIONS COALITION

Mission: To promote unity in the interpreting field in the United States.

Purpose: To establish a unified front for the profession in the US, actively collaborating to support & advocate for interpreters in all fields.

Criteria: 1) large presence in the US, 2) national organization 3) representation of at least one field of interpretation



AIIC USA is the US division of AIIC, the only global association of conference interpreters. Since its very founding 60 years ago, AIIC has been setting professional and ethical standards for the profession and promoting the working conditions that high quality interpreting requires. Today AIIC has over 3,000 members in 100 different countries. AIIC USA has over 100 members in 22 US cities. For more information go to: <http://www.aiic-usa.com>



The **American Translators Association's** primary goals include fostering and supporting the professional development of translators and interpreters and promoting the translation and interpreting professions. ATA, founded in 1959, has 11,000 members in over 90 countries. Mark your calendar for ATA's 54th Annual Conference in San Antonio, Texas, November 6-9, 2013. For more information on ATA, please visit www.atanet.org.



The **International Medical Interpreters Association (IMIA)** is a non profit organization founded in 1986, with over 2,500 members, most providing interpreting services in over 70 languages, making it the oldest and largest medical interpreter association worldwide. While representing medical interpreters as the experts in medical interpreting, membership to the IMIA is open to all stakeholders, such as providers, organizations, advocates and trainers. Policy makers, health care administrators, and others interested in medical interpreting are also welcome to join us as associate members. The IMIA is recognized as the standard-setting organization for the profession of medical interpreters. www.imiaweb.org



Mano a Mano is a non-profit [501(c)(3)] organization of trilingual (Spanish, English and American Sign Language) interpreters in the United States who work in communities and settings where Spanish is prevalent. As interpreters, we regularly work with American Sign Language (ASL), Puerto Rican varieties of ASL, Spanish, and English. Our work is often called "trilingual interpreting". www.manoamano-unidos.com



The **National Association of Judiciary Interpreters and Translators' (NAJIT)** mission is to promote quality services in the field of legal interpreting and translating. Our members play a critical role in ensuring due process, equal protection and equal access for non-English or limited English proficient (LEP) individuals who interact with the judicial system. As of 2012, membership in the National Association of Judiciary Interpreters and Translators totals over 1200 professionals. www.najit.org Annual Conference May 17-19, 2013 St. Louis, MO



Website: www.ncihc.org

Mission: The **National Council on Interpreting in Health Care (NCIHC)** is a multidisciplinary organization whose mission is to promote and enhance language access in health care in the United States.

Values: We pursue our mission with a commitment to:

- Social justice
- Respect for and acceptance of all peoples, including small communities, native peoples, and cultural communities whose tradition is oral
- The empowerment of limited-English-proficient communities
- The evolution of culturally appropriate practices in health care interpreter training



The **Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc. (RID)**, a national membership organization, plays a leading role in advocating for excellence in the delivery of interpretation and transliteration services between people who use sign language and people who use spoken language. In collaboration with the Deaf community, RID supports our members and encourages the growth of the profession through the establishment of a national standard for qualified sign language interpreters and transliterators, ongoing professional development and adherence to a code of professional conduct. RID was founded in 1964 and currently has 16,000 members. www.rid.org



TAALS

THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
OF LANGUAGE SPECIALISTS

Founded in 1957, **The American Association of Language Specialists (TAALS)** is an international association of conference interpreters and translators, whose mission is to foster successful communication across languages and cultures. Many members of TAALS are permanently employed by international organizations and governments. Currently TAALS has 110 members throughout the Americas. More information is available at: www.taals.net