

1. What should the minimum level of general education be for medical interpreter educators?

	Response Percent	Response Count
No minimum level of general education necessary	2.3%	17
High School or Equivalent Degree	15.1%	114
Associates Degree	17.5%	132
Bachelor Degree	48.7%	367
Graduate Certificate	6.9%	52
Masters Degree	8.9%	67
PhD	0.7%	5
answered question		754
skipped question		4

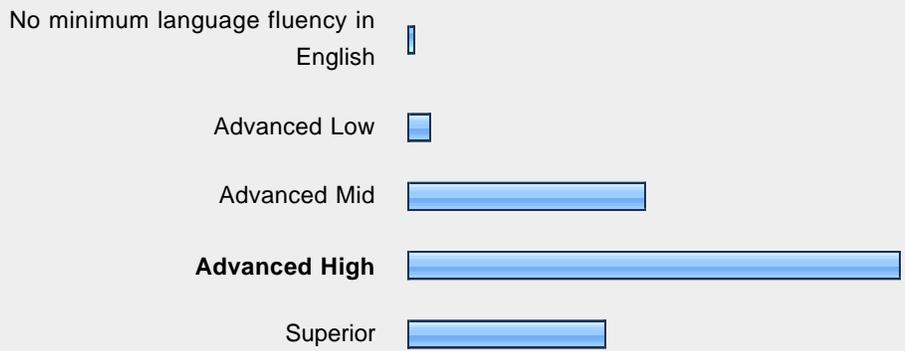
2. What should the minimum level of interpreter training be for interpreter educators?

	Response Percent	Response Count
No interpreter training necessary	3.2%	24
Intensive 40-70 hour Interpreter Training Certificate	50.1%	378
College or University Interpreter Program Certificate	23.6%	178
Bachelors Degree in Interpretation and/or Translation	14.2%	107
Masters Degree in Interpretation and/or Translation	8.4%	63
PhD in Interpretation and/or Translation	0.5%	4
answered question		754
skipped question		4

3. What should the minimum level of interpreter experience be for interpreter educators?

	Response Percent	Response Count
No interpreter experience necessary	2.9%	22
Up to three years of experience	26.5%	200
Over three and up to five years experience	37.7%	284
Over five years up to ten years experience	25.7%	194
Over ten years of experience	7.2%	54
answered question		754
skipped question		4

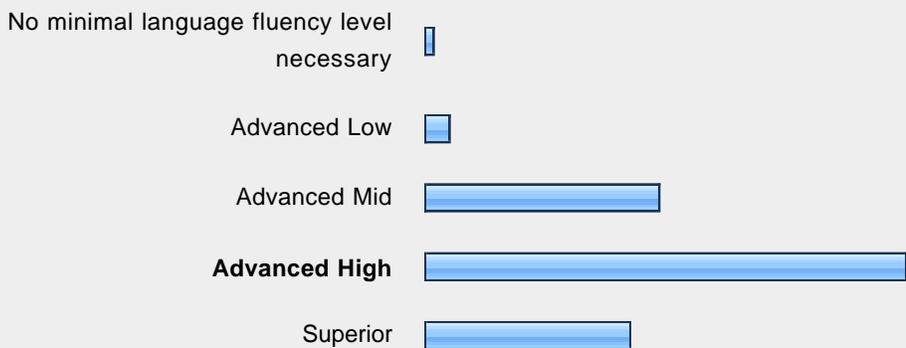
4. What should be the minimum level of language fluency in English for interpreter educators? (Please see definitions of fluency at <http://www.actfl.org/files/public/guidelinespeak.pdf>) Note: National certification requires interpreter educators to have an Advanced Mid level of fluency.



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5. What should be the minimum language fluency level for interpreter educators teaching language(s) other than English? (Please see definitions of fluency at <http://www.actfl.org/files/public/guidelinespeak.pdf>) Note: National certification requires interpreter educators to have an Advanced Mid level of fluency.



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6. What should the minimum level be of education in general adult pedagogy for medical interpreter educators?

	Response Percent	Response Count
No education in general adult pedagogy necessary	8.4%	63
Self study in adult education pedagogy knowledge and skills	22.0%	166
General Adult Education Trainer Certificate	44.8%	338
Bachelor in Education	17.9%	135
Masters in Education	6.1%	46
PhD in Education	0.8%	6
answered question		754
skipped question		4

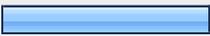
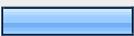
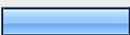
7. What should be the minimum level of interpreter pedagogy for medical interpreter educators?

	Response Percent	Response Count
No interpreter pedagogy (Train the Trainer) certificate required	16.3%	123
Interpreter Pedagogy Certificate (Train the Trainer)	72.5%	547
Masters in Interpreter Pedagogy	10.5%	79
PhD in Interpreter Pedagogy	0.7%	5
answered question		754
skipped question		4

8. Should medical interpreter educators become certified, where available? Note: English written (knowledge) and Spanish oral exams (skills) are already available, see www.certifiedmedicalinterpreters.org)

		Response Percent	Response Count
No national interpreter certification necessary		13.4%	99
Educators should at least have passed the National Board written exam in English		43.1%	319
Educators in Spanish should have passed the National Board written and oral exams		43.5%	322
<i>answered question</i>			740
<i>skipped question</i>			18

9. What are your primary roles in the medical interpreting field? (answer all that apply)

		Response Percent	Response Count
medical interpreter		79.7%	601
medical interpreter trainer		31.4%	237
medical interpreter administrator or vendor		19.5%	147
language access advocate		19.2%	145
healthcare provider		8.5%	64
other		14.9%	112
<i>answered question</i>			754
<i>skipped question</i>			4

10. Are there any other qualifications that should be listed in the trainers profile in the upcoming IMIA National Trainers Directory?

	Response Count
	189
<i>answered question</i>	189
<i>skipped question</i>	569