

**58-80a-303 Qualifications for certification.**

A person qualifies as a certified medical language interpreter if the person:

- (1) acts as a medical language interpreter between English and at least one of the following languages:
  - (a) Spanish;
  - (b) Russian;
  - (c) Bosnian;
  - (d) Somali;
  - (e) Mandarin Chinese;
  - (f) Cantonese; or
  - (g) Navajo;
- (2) passes an examination administered by, or under contract with, the division, that tests:
  - (a) the following areas, with respect to the language for which the person applies for certification:
    - (i) basic language fluency;
    - (ii) basic medical terminology, including the ability to:
      - (A) name human body parts;
      - (B) name internal human organs;
      - (C) describe basic medical symptoms; and
      - (D) describe basic medical instructions, including dosage amounts and frequency; and
    - (iii) basic cultural competency relating to medical care beliefs and practices that are common to people who speak that language;
  - (b) knowledge and understanding of the national standards of practice; and
  - (c) a basic understanding of medical confidentiality requirements, including the confidentiality requirements of the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act;
- (3) signs a statement agreeing to abide by the national standards of practice; and
- (4) pays the fee described in Section 58-80a-305.

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