

Interpretation and Language Services Quick Reference Guide for Members

There are two ways to request an interpreter and/or language (translation) services:

- 1. Complete the *Language Access Services Request Form* available on the <u>member forms page</u> of the Iowa Total Care website (iowatotalcare.com/members/medicaid/resources/handbooks-forms.html)
- 2. Call Member Services: 1-833-404-1061 (TTY: 711). Hours of operation are Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. CT.

Iowa Total Care offers five types of language services:

Services Offered	Guidelines
Face-to-face and sign language interpretation services	 Schedule interpreter as soon as a medical appointment is scheduled to ensure interpreter availability. Cancellations or appointment changes should be made 48 hours in advance.
Phone interpretation services	 Schedule interpreter as soon as a medical appointment is scheduled to ensure. interpreter availability.
TTY services for the hearing impaired	 Services are available for the deaf or hard of hearing during business hours via TTY line: (711). After-hours services are available through Relay 711 or Iowa Total Care's 24/7 Nurse Line at 1-833-404-1061.
Vital documents provided in threshold languages	 Materials translated include enrollment, eligibility, and membership information. Members must indicate their preferred written language to receive materials.
Additional materials translated upon request	 Materials that are member-specific (e.g., denial, delay or claims letters) are sent in English with the offer of translation upon request. We send translated materials to the member no later than 21 days from the request date. Oral translations will be provided for all languages.

Email issues, concerns, and questions to: <u>C&L@iowatotalcare.com</u> or call Member Services: 1-833-404-1061 (TTY: 711)



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Language assistance services, auxiliary aids and services, larger font, oral translation, and other alternative formats are available to you at no cost. To obtain this, please call 1-833-404-1061 (TTY: 711). | Usted tiene a su disposición, sin costo alguno, servicios de asistencia lingüística, ayudas y servicios auxiliares, material en letra grande, traducción oral y otros formatos alternativos. Para obtener estos servicios, llame al 1-833-404-1061 (TTY: 711). | 我们免费为您提供语言协助服务、辅助设施和服务、更大字体、口头翻译和其他替代格式。如需获得此服务, 请致电 1-833-404-1061 (TTY: 711) 。