

## IPP1111 - Introduction to Interpreting

Credits:	3 (3/0/0)
Description:	This course introduces the field of interpreting and the role of a sign language interpreter. It covers interpreting as a field of professional practice, the current nature of the field, the variety of employment opportunities, interpreter training, interpreter certification and professional ethical standards.
Prerequisites:	
Corequisites:	
Pre/Corequisites <sup>*</sup> :	
Competencies:	<ol> <li>Describe the interpreting process.</li> <li>Apply techniques for managing the interpreting process.</li> <li>Demonstrate understanding of the business aspects of interpreting.</li> <li>Identify the current national evaluation and certification process for interpreters.</li> <li>Define and communicate to others the appropriate role of an interpreter.</li> <li>Establish appropriateness for interpreting, either standing or being seated in front of an audience.</li> <li>Illustrate ways interpreters function in specific settings and with specific populations.</li> <li>Convey issues that are currently relevant to the field of interpreting and to the Deaf community.</li> <li>Demonstrate understanding of the need for continuing education as a professional interpreter and of opportunities for such continuing education in the community.</li> </ol>
MnTC goal areas:	None

\*Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.