

Massachusetts Medical Interpreter Training

Helping bridge communication barriers faced by patients accessing health care services.

Spring 2026

Location: Virtual Classes via Zoom

Mondays & Thursdays

Time: 6:00pm – 9:00pm (EST)

forHealth
CONSULTING
at UMass Chan
Medical School



Course Schedule:

Classes start at 6:00pm sharp and end at 9:00pm on all days. Please arrive at 5:55pm.

March 2 Monday	1. Course Overview & Introduction to the Field
March 5 Thursday	2. Role of the Interpreter; Standards of Practice
March 9 Monday	3. Code of Ethics
March 12 Thursday	4. Communication Skills/Triadic Encounter
March 16 Monday	5. Cultural Competency or Responsiveness
March 19 Thursday	6. Medical Interview & Introduction to Medical Terminology
March 23 Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language Coach Sessions 1-6 • Setting the foundation for LC classes and role plays, Medical Terminology Language Specific Research Guidance
March 26 Thursday	7. Digestive System 8. Male & Female Reproduction Systems
March 30 Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language Coach Sessions 7 & 8
April 2 Thursday	9. Nervous System 10. Cardiovascular System
April 6 Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language Coach Sessions 9 & 10
April 9 Thursday	11. Respiratory System 12. Lymphatic, Immune and Blood Systems
April 13 Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language Coach Sessions 11 & 12
April 16 Thursday	Review day 1 – LC instructions review and guidelines / Quiz 1 review – Review with Bindiya
April 20 Monday	PATRIOTS DAY HOLIDAY / NO CLASS
April 23 Thursday	13. Musculoskeletal System 14. Sense Organs: Eye and Ear & Skin
April 27 Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language Coach Sessions 13 & 14
April 30 Thursday	15. Endocrine System 16. Oncology and Pharmacology
May 4 Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language Coach Sessions 15 & 16
May 7 Thursday	17. Urinary System & Radiology and Nuclear Medicine 18. Mental Health & Pediatrics
May 11 Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language Coach Sessions 17 & 18
May 14 Thursday	NO CLASS / Review materials on your own / Catch up work
May 18 Monday	Review day 2 – Quiz reviews / How to be successful for final exam – Review with Bindiya
May 21 Thursday	STUDY DAY
May 25 Monday	STUDY DAY / MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY
May 28 Thursday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written Final Assessments
June 1 Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practicum with LCs (role plays) • Final Oral Exam • Additional dates to be added if needed for Practicum
Retake date TBD	Retake Exam Date (for candidates who don't pass the first time)