NOVA Northern Virginia Community College

INTERPRETER/CART SERVICES AGREEMENT

The Interpreter Services Office (ISO) of Northern Virginia Community College agrees to provide professional, qualified Interpreters/CLTs and/or CART (Communication Access Real-time Transcription) in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) for classes, school-sponsored and class-sponsored activities.

The ISO will notify your instructor(s) and will provide guidelines for working with Interpreters/CLTs/CART.

By signing this agreement you agree to adhere to the following:

- 1. Submit all requests *on time*. Requests for Interpreters/CLTs/CART should be submitted *four (4) weeks prior* to the start of class. We will accept requests later, but cannot guarantee that you will have Interpreters/CLTs/CART on the first day of classes.
- 2. To request Interpreters/CLTs or CART you **must** do the following:
 - Register for classes in SIS
 - Go to the Accommodations and Accessibility Services website at https://www.nvcc.edu/accommodations
 - Click on Access Profile button and log in using your myNOVA/SIS username and password
 - (MFA Multifactor Authenticator required) to download your MOA.
 - Give your MOA to your professors.
- 3. At the beginning of the semester, check your syllabus carefully. If you know you will have a quiz, test, or some other kind of activity and will not need Interpreters/CLTs/CART for the day, email interpreters@nvcc.edu AT LEAST 48 HOURS in ADVANCE to cancel services.
- 4. Let us know 48 hours in advance, when possible, if you are going to be late or absent, or if your class is canceled. In your email, include the <u>name</u>, <u>day</u>, <u>date</u> and <u>time of class</u>. Do NOT use words like "today", "tomorrow", "next week", etc. Send your notice to <u>interpreters@nvcc.edu</u>.
- 5. Check your *student* email every day. This is the only email the ISO will use to communicate with you.
- 6. On the first day of class, provide your instructor with a copy of your Memorandum of Accommodations (MOA).
- 7. Arrive 15 minutes before the start of each class to log into the CART session and to trouble shoot any problems, if necessary.
- 8. If you experience technical difficulties with CART, email interpreters@nvcc.edu so we can let the captioners know.

Missing classes without notifying the ISO results in a financial burden to the college. Please notify the ISO at <u>interpreters@nvcc.edu</u> AS SOON AS YOU CAN if you must miss class.

I have read and agree to the terms above.

Student (Print)

Student Signature

ID#

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