

# Recommended Accessibility Providers

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## CART Providers

Communication access real-time translation (CART), also called open captioning or real-time captioning is the general name of the system that stenographers use to convert speech to text.

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## ASL Providers

American Sign Language (ASL) is the predominant sign language of Deaf communities in the United States and most of Anglophone Canada. ASL is a complete and organized visual language that is expressed by facial expression as well as movements and motions with the hands.

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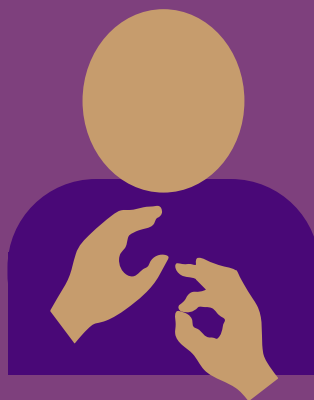
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## International Sign Providers

International Sign is a pidgin sign language that is used in a variety of different contexts, particularly at international meetings such as the World Federation of the Deaf Congress and informally when traveling and socializing. Unlike ASL and other sign languages, it is not a full language of its own, so some nuance and context is lost in translation.

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## Braille and Audio Description

Braille is a form of written language for blind people, in which characters are represented by patterns of raised dots that are felt with the fingertips.

Audio description refers to as a video description, described video, is a form of narration used to provide information surrounding key visual elements in media work for the benefit of blind and visually impaired consumers.

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