

**Seeking Medical Interpreters**

Culmore Clinic, a nonprofit, interfaith medical clinic serving uninsured adults, seeks interpreters in the three main languages (besides English) spoken by Clinic patients. They include\*: Arabic, Spanish, and Vietnamese.

**What We Are Looking For:**

Medical Interpretation is a specialized skill which enables a patient to receive healthcare in his/her native language. Medical Interpreters facilitate this valued healthcare communication while maintaining a professional distance from the patient, both physically and emotionally.

Culmore Clinic seeks medical interpreters with some or all of the following attributes:

* Native speaker
* Significant time living in an Arabic-, Spanish-, or Vietnamese-speaking country
* Command of what a person is saying to you and the ability to repeat back accurately
* Intuition to ask for clarity when needed
* Culturally sensitive
* Commitment to patient confidentiality
* Ability to enable direct communication between provider and patient and avoid entering equation to offer direct help

**What to Expect:**

Should you be interested in volunteering with Culmore Clinic, you can expect the following:

* Interview, to include exchanges in target language
* Introduction to Interpreter Code of Ethics as well as Clinic interpreter process with the expectation to follow both closely
* Orientation to include shadowing and observation

**Connecting with Culmore Clinic:**

Please email info@culmoreclinic.org to indicate interest or seek further information about volunteering with us! Thank You!