

## **Checklist for Interpreter and Translator Billing**

An interpreter/translator should gather the following information and documentation before beginning a billing packet in *MyJAC*. The case <u>must</u> be opened by the attorney (or pro se defendant) before the interpreter/translator will have access to the case.

The following information is required on the JAC Invoice:

	Attorney's name and bar ID (if the Defendant is pro se, then the Defendant's name);
	County with case jurisdiction;
$\Box$	Case number;
$\sqcap$	Defendant's name;
	Vendor's name (the JAC Invoice pre-populates with information from the vendor's MyJAC account);
	Payee tax ID number (the JAC Invoice pre-populates with information from the vendor's <i>MyJAC</i> account);
	Invoice number (created by the vendor for their accounting purposes);
	Type of service, certification and language;
$\Box$	Check Billing for Multiple Dates if applicable;
$\Box$	Service date or last service date if billing for multiple dates;
$\Box$	Start time and end time;
$\Box$	Hours (in tenths of an hour) and hourly rate;
	Travel or other reimbursement costs if applicable;
	Total amount billed;
	Vendor printed name, signature and date; and
	Vendor Signature and Attorney Signature. (If the defendant is Pro se, then the signature of
	Defendant or Standby Counsel).
Requir	red Documents (in PDF or Tiff format):
	<b><u>Detailed</u></b> hourly invoice/statement listing the language being translated, the name of service provider, the start and end times of the translation session(s), the length of the media, the date the media was recorded or the date of deposition, and the file name of the media or full name of deponent or witness; and
	Motion/Order authorizing interpreter/translator services: Must include hourly rate(s) when rate(s)
	differ from circuit (established) rates and maximum amount allowed (cap); and Motion/Order authorizing travel or other reimbursement costs if applicable. See
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	https://www.justiceadmin.org/court_app_counsel/formsandrates.aspx#travel for important information about authorized travel); and
	Receipt showing zero balance or proof of payment; i.e. the front and back of a cancelled check if
	applicable.

<u>Note:</u> The billing packet is <u>not</u> received by JAC until the attorney certifies and submits it to JAC. The vendor will receive email confirmation at that time. Billing packets deemed to be untimely received are subject to penalty according to the JAC contracts.

## **BILLING QUESTIONS?**

Please email any questions to onlinesupportteam@justiceadmin.org