

**OAKLAND COUNTY CIRCUIT AND PROBATE COURTS
LANGUAGE INTERPRETER FEE SCHEDULE
AND SERVICE POLICY**

The court may set reasonable compensation for interpreters who are appointed by the court. *MCR 1.111(F) (4)*

Payment Fee Schedule

Certified Interpreters
 \$75.00/hour
Qualified Interpreters
 \$50.00/hour
Firm (last resort)
 \$80.00/hour

Payment Policies

Interpreting Services are paid by the hour with a two-hour guarantee. The Court **does not pay for** travel time, mileage, lunch hours, or emergency services. When reasonable, one interpreter will handle multiple clients.

Cancellation Policy

The Court is required to give notice 24 hours in advance for any cancellation. Anything less than 24 hours, the court will pay the two hour minimum.

Extraordinary Fee Policy

Extraordinary fees outside the standard Payment Fee Schedule will not be paid unless prior approval from the Chief Court Business Operations. All requests for extraordinary fees will be determined on a case-by-case basis.