How do you ask for an Interpreter?

- 1. Ask for the interpreter when you make the appointment.
- 2. If they say no, then ask to speak to the office manager or the doctor.
- 3. Ask the office manager or the doctor.
- 4. If they say no, say that you are deaf and you will not understand if you do not get an interpreter. Tell them that it's your right under the ADA, and provide them this article or information from the ADA website about medical information.
- 5. Try to ask for their fax number so you can give them the information.
- 6. Call before the appointment to make sure than an interpreter will be there.