

A photograph of two elderly women sitting and talking. The woman in the foreground is wearing a purple patterned shawl and is smiling. The woman behind her is wearing a red jacket. The background is slightly blurred, showing other people in a social setting. Several large, semi-transparent circles in shades of blue and purple are overlaid on the image.

# FREE SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETING FOR DEAF SENIORS



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**If your Deaf client is over 65, or over 50 for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, you can book a free sign language interpreter or live captioning - only through Deaf Connect!**

## What can you book an interpreter for?

The National Sign Language Program supports Australian seniors to better engage with:

- Medical appointments
- Aged Care System Navigators
- My Aged Care
- Regional Assessment Services
- Aged Care Assessment Teams
- Home Care Package Providers
- Commonwealth Home Support Programme (CHSP) Providers
- Residential Aged Care service providers
- Other organisations delivering Australian Government funded aged care services

## What services are available?

In-person and online interpreting appointments are available 7 days a week (after-hours when required) and live captioning. Available in all states and territories in Australia.

## How to book a free interpreter

Book online or contact the team at Deaf Connect Connections who can support you through the booking process.



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\*This program is not available to those who have an NDIS plan.



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