

COURSE OUTLINE

MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY FOR SPANISH INTERPRETERS

TOTAL = 5.5 hours = 5 hours of instruction + 30-minute break

FIRST HALF (2.5 hours):

WE'LL REVIEW +1,000 MEDICAL TERMS INCLUDING ANATOMY, DISEASES, TESTS AND PROCEDURES, ACRONYMS AND MUCH MORE BOTH IN ENGLISH AND SPANISH

1. THE HUMAN BODY 1:

For each of the systems we will analyze:

- PICTURE WITH BODY PARTS FOR EACH SYSTEM (English and Spanish)
- HOW DOES IT WORK?
- MEDICAL CONDITIONS RELATED TO THAT SYSTEM (English and Spanish)
- MEDICAL SYMPTOMS RELATED TO THAT SYSTEM (English and Spanish)

1. THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM
2. THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM
3. THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM
4. THE NERVOUS SYSTEM
5. THE URINARY SYSTEM
6. SPECIALIZED EQUIPMENT: TEETH - EYES - EARS

2. WORD FORMATION:

- LEXICOLOGY:
 - Latin and Greek roots
 - Latin and Greek affixes: Prefixes and Suffixes
 - Compound words
 - Clipping
 - MEDICAL ACRONYMS

3. BRIEF OVERVIEW OF THE MEDICAL SYSTEM IN THE US:

- Medicare and Medicaid
- HMO and PPO
- Medical Facilities
- Medical Billing (Copay, Coinsurance, Deductible)
- SPECIALTIES & SPECIALISTS

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SECOND HALF (2.5 hours):

4. THE HUMAN BODY PART 2:

For each of the systems we will analyze:

- PICTURE WITH BODY PARTS FOR EACH SYSTEM (English and Spanish)
- HOW DOES IT WORK?
- MEDICAL CONDITIONS RELATED TO THAT SYSTEM (English and Spanish)
- MEDICAL SYMPTOMS RELATED TO THAT SYSTEM (English and Spanish)

7. THE FEMALE REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM

8. THE MALE REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM

9. THE LYMPHATIC SYSTEM

10. THE ENDOCRINE SYSTEM

11. THE MUSCULO-SKELETAL SYSTEM

12. THE SKIN

5. MEDICAL PRACTICE SCENARIOS:

- 5.1. SCENARIO #1: A VISIT TO THE DOCTOR'S OFFICE**
- 5.2. SCENARIO # 2: WORKMAN'S COMPENSATION DEPOSITION**
- 5.3. SCENARIO # 3: LIFE INSURANCE HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE**

- **PRESENTATION SUPPORTED BY A POWERPOINT SLIDESHOW**
- **ZOOM MEETING**
- **MEDICAL GLOSSARY PROVIDED WITH COURSE**

