



ODHH Public Town Hall: Washington Signed, Protactile, and Trilingual Interpreter Workgroup Updates

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Overall Project Goal

Develop community-based solutions that support equitable access to communication by increasing the number and availability of signing, protactile, and trilingual interpreters in all communities, including rural areas and historically marginalized populations.

Responsible: ODHH / Vivid Co.

Project Roles & Responsibilities

Workgroup

- Contribute perspectives
- Contribute expertise
- Develop recommendations

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- Plan & facilitate workgroup
- Collect data
- Synthesize data & workgroup recommendations

Vivid Co.

- Project management
- Conduct research
- Analyze data
- Summarize findings
- **Draft & submit legislative report**

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- Decision-making

Workgroup Objective - Recommendations

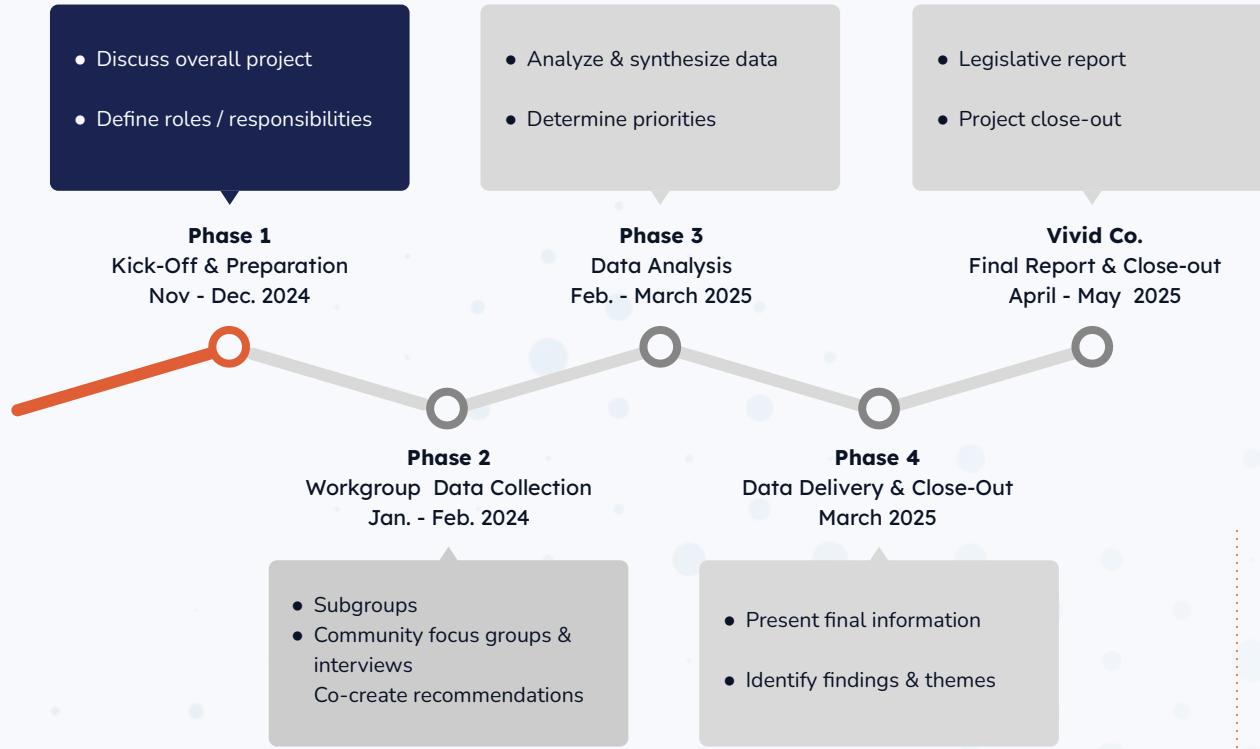
- Training and certification standards
- Increasing signed, protactile, and trilingual interpreters across all communities (rural, BIPOC, protactile, CDI/DI, LGBTQIA, specialized, etc.)
- Strategies for professional development
- Pathways for interpreters to be financially supported statewide

Responsible: Workgroup members / Innivee Strategies

Subgroup: Roles & Responsibilities

Subgroup A Licensing & Certification	Subgroup B Supply & Retention	Subgroup C Education & Professional Development	Subgroup D Financial Support
How can we ensure that interpreters have the right skills to provide quality services?	How can we increase interpreters, including rural areas, minority groups, CDI/DI, & trilingual interpreters?	How can we establish vibrant ITP programs, apprenticeship & mentoring, and professional development opportunities?	How can we develop financial pathways for interpreters to live and work?

Workgroup Timeline



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We need you!

Interested in sharing your perspective and experience by participating in a focus group or interview?

Contact Innivee Strategies at WWG@innivee.com by Friday, January 3, 2025.

Thank you.

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