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FREE CORECHI™ PRACTICE EXAM!

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Is fear of taking a test stopping you from becoming certified? Take the free practice exams and see how you do! CCHI has practice exams available at its online training portal <http://cchiinterpreters.org>.

For a limited time, **the CoreCHI™ Practice exam is free** instead of \$30! To access the CoreCHI™ Practice exam, enter the enrollment key - **addCCHI2018** – on the page that appears after you click on the title. Your enrollment is good for 6 months after the date of enrollment. Hurry, this promotion expires on June 12th!

Our **CHI™ Practice exams in Arabic, Mandarin and Spanish are also free.** To access either of them, click on the title and enter the enrollment key – **Study4u** – on the next page.

Additionally, to help you prepare for our exams, we planned **two free webinars** – on March 21 and 28 at 9 pm ET.

The webinar on **March 21, 2018 at 9 pm ET** is about **“Tips for Taking the CoreCHI™ Written Exam.”** To register, go to <https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/2517958982662510594>.

The webinar on **March 28, 2018 at 9 pm ET** is about **“Tips for Taking the CHI™ Oral Performance Exam.”** Registration will start on 3/22/18.

“Spring Cleaning” – Update Your CCHI Profile

Every year we recommend you do some “spring cleaning” in your online CCHI profile at <https://cchi.learningbuilder.com>. Login and review your contact info under the “Account Details” tab. If you forgot the password, contact us at apply@cchicertification.org. Make sure that your email and mailing addresses are current.

Remember that **if you want to be found by potential employers**, you need to check the field “Make Contact Info Available” in the *Status* field. By default, your email is invisible in the online National Certified Interpreters Registry. See this **short tutorial about how to update your profile** at http://www.cchicertification.org/images/pdfs/Your_CCHI_Profile.pdf.



Don't miss upcoming conferences!

www.cchicertification.org/60-stay-informed/faqs-general-/216-conferences

Get Ready for the Next Testing Window – April 16 - May 7!

The Spring 2018 testing for CHI™ candidates will run on **April 16-May 7, 2018**. Call (844) 704-1487 to schedule your exam now if you have the *CHI™ Notice to Schedule*.

You can **search for the test center locations for any of our exams from one page** – click [here](#) – thanks to our testing vendor PSI.

Oral performance CHI™ exams for Arabic, Mandarin and Spanish interpreters are available only 4 times a year (for specific dates in 2018 [click here](#) and scroll down to the middle of the page).



The CoreCHI™ examination is available all year round! You can schedule an exam at any time as soon as you receive your *Notice to Schedule* in the email. To search available sites, [click CCHI Core Certification Healthcare Interpreter Exam™ \(CoreCHI™\)](#) and then enter your zip code to find the CoreCHI™ sites closest to you.



Keep in mind that testing locations may change during the year; ask our representative (at 844-704-1487) about a location closest to you when you call to schedule. If you have any questions about the application process, scheduling or paying for any exam, please contact Malika Sadi-Goodman, our Director of Operations, at CMSspecialist@cchicertification.org.



If you have passed your CoreCHI™ exam, [click here](#) to log into your CCHI profile and take the next steps to schedule your CHI™ exam during the upcoming testing window.

Remember, you have **6 months** from the date when your application is approved, to take the CoreCHI™ exam. You have **12 months** to take the CHI™ exam after you pass the CoreCHI™.

You will need to repeat the process if you miss these deadlines.

We wish you the best of luck on your exam!

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The talents and expertise of many interpreters, trainers and interpreter coordinators are critical to ensuring we get it right, and we invite everyone to visit the [CCHI website](#) regularly for the latest updates.

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