

Mapi: Language Services

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Corporate Description

Mapi Language Services is the worldwide leader in medical translation and Linguistic Validation of COAs, with first-hand knowledge of local languages and cultures, regulations, and healthcare practices. We work in close collaboration with developers, assuring conceptual equivalence and international harmonization of all language versions. Our Language Services experience includes more than 170 languages, as well as translation of patient facing research materials on over 300 research programs a year for the last 20 years.

Mapi is the industry's most trusted company, with more Clinical Outcomes researchers entrusting Mapi with exclusive translation support than all other providers combined.

Mapi Language Services has the proven capability of providing a quality service through a fully traceable process and the industry's most qualified linguists, assuring that our customers' medical translations are done to global standards. We're the first Language Services provider to achieve ISO 17100 Certification on all Linguistic Validation & Medical Translations processes globally.

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Linguistic Validation

MAPI understands that if measures are to be used across cultures, the items must not only be translated well linguistically, but must also be adapted culturally to maintain the content validity of the instrument at a conceptual level across different cultures.

This process aiming at the production of appropriate translated language versions is linguistic validation, a process that we were the first to develop in a coherent manner. Our initial work inspired the ISPOR guidelines.

Mapi is a pioneer in Linguistic Validation, with over 40,000 translated versions of more than 2500 COAs!

Only Mapi can deliver this level of expertise:

- Over 1,000 PRO linguistic experts in over 100 countries
- More than 2,500 PRO instruments translated into over 170 languages
- Editor of the Linguistic Validation Manual, the reference in cross-cultural adaptation
- The most trusted Linguistic Validation expert by questionnaire authors, managing exclusivity on over 250 instruments

Medical Translation

Our medical translation services draw on our extensive linguistic experience to customize solutions that meet your every objective.

- Over 300 international studies conducted every year across over 100 countries
- Significant breadth of coverage for all therapeutic areas

By working in close collaboration with the developers of the original instruments, we can ensure conceptual equivalence and international harmonization of all language versions.

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