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*IfJ is a charity with a vision*

*... of access to justice for all*

*... of a justice system where all people, including those with vulnerabilities, can understand the questions they are asked and can tell what has happened.*

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## *Intermediaries for Justice*

### **Aims to:**

-  **raise awareness of how intermediaries, as communication specialists, work within the justice system.**
-  **share knowledge and understanding of vulnerable people's communication needs with justice professionals.**
-  **raise awareness of the communication needs of vulnerable people.**
-  **provide a platform for intermediaries to discuss, develop and collaborate on all aspects of their work.**







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### **IfJ increases understanding, knowledge and skills by:**

-  providing presentations to other professionals in the justice system, such as the police and witness service.
-  providing high quality workshops, seminars and conferences for IfJ members & all those with an interest in the justice system.
-  promoting and supporting research in the justice system.
-  establishing and maintaining links with allied organisations.

### **IfJ develops access to justice by:**

-  providing a free online referral system to solicitors and others requiring intermediary services in the wider justice system (with defendants, in family courts, tribunals and hearings)
-  proactively responding to news, articles and events in the media.

### **IfJ shares information by:**

- informing the wider public on matters of equal access to justice.
- consulting members & representing their views in response to strategies, position statements and policies in the justice system.



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## Intermediaries for Justice

Welcomes

everyone who shares the vision of  
'access to justice for all'

### Full UK membership:

Intermediaries who have been trained & accredited by the Ministry of Justice, Communicourt or Triangle

### Full international membership:

Intermediaries who have been trained & accredited in their country of origin

### Associate membership:

Non-intermediaries



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## Intermediaries for Justice

*As a valued member you will have access to:*

- ✓ a growing library of practical resources, research, academic articles, case studies and pertinent references.
- ✓ closed Facebook and Whatsapp discussion groups.
- ✓ Special Interest Groups (SIGs).
- ✓ IfJ's referral system for defendants / suspects, Family Court, Tribunal & Hearings cases.
- ✓ regular e-newsletters with up-to-date intermediary related topics and IfJ activities.
- ✓ training and professional development events.
- ✓ preferential rates for professional indemnity cover.
- ✓ individual support as appropriate



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## Membership fees:

These rates will be available when the new website launches at the end of May 2019

Join us here

<http://www.intermediaries-for-justice.org/join-us/>



### UK membership

- ✓ Full UK member £60
- ✓ Recently qualified (RQ) UK member £30  
For the first year of membership a reduced rate is available to all who apply within 3 months of completing training & qualifying as an intermediary with Ministry of Justice, Triangle or Communicourt.
- ✓ UK associate member £40



### International membership

In countries ***where there are established intermediary schemes***

- ✓ Full international member £45
- ✓ Associate international member £25



### International membership

In countries ***where intermediary schemes are not yet available***

- ✓ Free associate membership  
Please apply directly by email to [secretary@intermediaries-for-justice.org](mailto:secretary@intermediaries-for-justice.org)



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