



# LanguageLine Solutions Switches from Avaya to Flexible, Scalable NICE CXone Solution

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32 million

interactions annually



\$18 million

saved in operating costs



8,000

interpreters worldwide



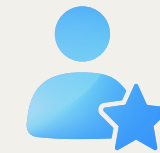
30%

reduction in queue times



96%

customer retention rate



## Customer profile

### About

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### Industry

Service

### Website

[www.language-line.com](http://www.language-line.com)

### Location

Monterey, CA, U.S.A.

### Agents

17,000+

### Products

- CXone Mpower platform
- Quality Management
- Omnichannel Routing

### Goals

- Assist customers from any location
- Providing an omnichannel experience to support customers
- Obtain a customizable platform that supports LanguageLine's unique requirements

### Features

- Customization supports unique business requirements
- Analytics enable decision making in real-time
- Data-driven insights drive efficiency and consistency





## 01 Before

### Old Avaya System Lacked Scalability and Flexibility

LanguageLine's previous on-premises contact center solution was from Avaya, Inc., and supported voice only. The lack of flexibility and scalability in Avaya's software drove LanguageLine to look for a solution they could customize to support their unique business requirements. Jeff Cordell, VicePresident of Technology and Chief Information Officer at LanguageLine, explains, "We've seen a shift in our customer needs including supporting video interpretation, e-911 or text interpretation, and other channels. We realized we needed to move to a cloud-based contact center solution that could scale with our requirements and support omnichannel. We selected NiCE CXone to provide these core services."

## 02 Desire to change

### Supporting from Anywhere in Every Language

"LanguageLine chose CXone because we needed a more scalable solution to satisfy our customers' needs as our business grew. With CXone, we now have an omnichannel environment so we can provide traditional voice and all of the other channels that our customers will require, such as video, mobile, and future innovations."

CXone's ability to support on-demand interpreting sessions regardless of location whether from a call center or a work-at-home model, has become an important part of LanguageLine's strategy to support a diverse range of languages. "Our customers use our services and language

access applications for everything from 911 phone calls to interpreting for doctors and patients in an emergency room. We can support over 240 languages at various proficiencies. That creates a challenge for languages of lesser diffusion, such as Navajo or Fukienese, because the interpreters who speak those languages often aren't located at our brick-andmortar contact center. With CXone, they can be connected to a customer quickly to offer assistance."

CXone's ability to support additional platforms, such as video, is critical to LanguageLine's growing service offerings. "American Sign Language is another service that we offer, which can't be provided over the telephone, it requires a video interface," says Jeff. "We've extended the CXone platform to provide those types of video interfaces, as well as iPad and mobile capabilities, using the core of CXone and adding customization on top of it."

## 03 NiCE solution

### Customizing the CXone Platform to Satisfy their Unique Requirements

To support their unique business requirements, LanguageLine used CXone's APIs to customize the platform to their needs. Jeff explains, "We've extended CXone's functionality using APIs and other types of interfaces. That includes everything from our traditional desktop that has been tailored for interpretation purposes to providing business intelligence and analytics that allow us to make real-time operations decisions. We've also integrated extensions from other service providers, such as video or texting, to CXone. If call volumes exceed our anticipated peaks, the CXone system is scalable so we can quickly and easily add more agents."

## 04 Results

### Voice as a Service Provides Reliable Voice Quality

LanguageLine also needs reliable voice quality and CXone's Voice as a Service (VaaS) is helping ensure positive customer experiences. "It's critical that we have a consistent, reliable voice quality experience. Historically, we depended on phone services over telephone lines with various network providers scattered across the U.S. and the world. That type of service isn't as reliable as VaaS. We've partnered with CXone to use Voice as a Service so we can monitor and score the quality of every single phone call. With that kind of data, we can drive reliability and call consistency to ensure that every interpreting session is of the highest quality."

## 05 Future

### CXone is a Partner in LanguageLine's Growth

Jeff concludes that CXone has helped LanguageLine achieve its business outcomes. "It's been a journey for us to migrate over 8,000 interpreters to the CXone platform. We very much appreciate our partnership with NICE and the CXone team's willingness to support us. Our customers are happy and our business is growing. CXone helps us extend our services as quickly as possible to add more features and products that our customers care about."



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**“CXone Mpower is our system of the future. It has completely changed the way we manage our contact center and care for our customers.”**

**Maximaliano Wong**

Director of Contact Center Operations  
Moxie Pest Control

## About NiCE

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