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Using his background in language deliveries, Sosa develops strategies for effective and cost-saving implementation of interpreting systems in health care organizations. In particular, his influential leadership in language access has helped indigenous immigrant speakers, who are among the most vulnerable in the community. Sosa received the 2013 National Council on Interpreting in Health Care Language Access Champions Award and was a featured speaker at the 4th InterpretAmerica Summit in that same year. He was also an invited panelist at the 2013 Critical Link 7 conference, discussing breakthroughs in aboriginal interpreting. Most recently he was a featured speaker at the California Health Care Interpreter conference, presenting a talk titled, "The indigenous interpreter experience and effectively achieving language access across fields: Where are indigenous languages in the landscape of California?"