

OCAT Training Follow-up Questions

When is reassessment required? Will clients need to be reassessed next June?

Current clients will need an Oregon Caregiver Assessment Tool (OCAT) assessment during their next renewal. For example, if you assessed someone in October 2024, you would use the OCAT to reassess in October 2025. OCAT should be reassessed annually.

Is there a link to view the full view on interviews for OCAT?

The clip shared during the training was taken from a video for a different type of assessment and most portions do not apply to OCAT. If you are still interested in seeing the full video, contact <u>Amy Andersen</u>.

How do we know if there is a waitlist?

Waitlists vary from office to office. Check with your local manager.

Is OCAT needed for all new or renewal family caregiver enrollments or only when a caregiver needs respite/DME support?

After June 9, 2025, OCAT is needed for all new and renewal family caregivers regardless of the type of support.

Does the assessment need to be completed before the end of June 2025 so assistance can be provided as of July 1, 2025?

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