

A "Must" For Every Data Collector!

This **highly structured and tested** workshop replaces didactic classroom education with **exciting and entertaining coaching** geared **toward the adult learner**.

Instruction and activities, led by two experienced workshop presenters, allow **hands-on application of strategies presented**.

Learn practical skills and strategies to allow you to locate the information you need to answer your day-to-day OASIS data collection questions – **now, and in the future!**

If you've attended before... come back and **join the 17,000+ providers nationwide** who RELY on the **Blueprint for OASIS Accuracy** Program to get and keep them up-to-date! Updated with all the data collection details you will need to prepare you to hit the ground running in 2009.

***NEW! OASIS changes &
latest pertinent CMS Q&As***

***Updated CMS documents to
support data collection in
special situations.***

***OASIS-C status update and
recommendations for
implementation***

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Current OASIS-B1 Data Collection Rules & OASIS-C Overview & Update

April 23, 2009 8:00 - 4:00

April 24, 2009 Exam

Metro Technology Center

1900 Springlake Dr.

OKC, OK 73111 405-605-4495

Presented by:
OASIS ANSWERS, Inc.

Educational Goals

- To support the educational needs of home health clinicians in achieving comprehension and accuracy in OASIS data collection using guidelines established by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)
- To enhance compliance with the OASIS PPS data set changes
- To provide a preparatory review for candidates for the COS-C (Certificate for OASIS Specialist –Clinical) examination
- To provide a status update on **OASIS-C** & make implementation recommendations

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**COS-C EXAM TO BE OFFERED
THE FOLLOWING DAY**

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Workshop Facilitators:

Debbie Chisholm, RN, BSN, CPHQ, COS-C Debbie is an RN practicing since 1978 in critical care, home health, hospice and quality improvement. She served as the Home Health Manager at the **Delmarva Foundation for Medical Care** where she was involved in the national implementation of OBQI. She was trained in OASIS by individuals at the Center for Health Services Research, at the **University of Colorado** and worked as an OASIS trainer for the CMS Data Accuracy Verification (DAVE) Project. Currently she provides content expertise on the **CMS OASIS Mailbox** contract. Debbie has earned the **Certificate for OASIS Specialist-Clinical (COS-C)** designation, and is a Senior Associate Consultant with **OASIS ANSWERS, Inc.**

Sparkle Sparks, MPT, COS-C, HCS-D Sparkle Sparks has been in home care as a consultant, direct care provider, PPS analyst, staff educator and OASIS & ICD-9 coding instructor since 1994. Ms. Sparks is a **Homecare Coding Specialist-Diagnosis** and served as an advisor to and member of the Board of Specialty Medical Coding. She is also the 2007 recipient of the APTA's "**Excellence in Homecare Award**" in recognition of the exceptional contribution of a Home Health Section member in promoting home care and physical therapy practice. Sparkle is a Senior Associate Consultant with **OASIS Answers, Inc.**

Individuals may register for the workshop, the exam, or BOTH.

NOTE: Registration and payment for the workshop is through the state association, while registration and payment for the COS-C examination is through the OCCB.

Registration for WORKSHOP:

Blueprint for OASIS Accuracy Workshop

Workshop Fee and Deadlines:
Members - \$175
Non Members - \$300
Deadlines:
Registration – April 6, 2009
Payment -April 9, 2009

Register Online at www.oahc.com or make checks payable to: OAHC PO Box 12635 OKC, OK 73157

Agency: _____

Attendees: _____

Address: _____

City, St, Zip _____

Phone # _____

Email _____

Member _____ Non Member _____

Credit Card # _____

____ Visa _____ MC Exp. Date _____

Contact Hour Offering:
Approved for 6.5 contact hours...
(If CEU approval is obtained, provide details.)

COS-C EXAM:

Certificate for OASIS Specialist-Clinical Exam

Location: Metro Technology Center

Date: April 24, 2009

Time: 9:00–11:30am (Registration 8:15)

Exam Registration Fee:

\$250 – state homecare association members

\$300 – non members

Renewal Exam Fees:

\$200 – state homecare association members

\$250 – non-member

Register Online at www.oasiscertificate.org

Exam registration must be received 2 weeks prior to exam date.



The OASIS Certificate and Competency Board (OCCB)

is a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting greater reliability in OASIS data, through consistent application of guidelines provided by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS). Efforts to achieve that goal include offering a **voluntary certificate examination** which home care providers may take in order to demonstrate and establish their expertise and commitment to OASIS data accuracy.

Candidates who successfully complete the examination are awarded the Certificate for OASIS Specialist – Clinical (COS-C) designation.

Call the OCCB at (337) 560-9676 or visit www.oasiscertificate.org to learn more or to register for the COS-C examination.