**OHA Transformation Center and Public Health Division Offer Free Online Tobacco Counseling Training**

**What:** Tobacco cessation counseling online training for all types of providers and care team members.

**When:** Launched July 2018. The training takes approximately 45-minutes. This self-paced course can be completed as the provider/care team member is available, as the course can be started, paused, and resumed later as needed.

**Description:** This tobacco cessation counseling training is a self-paced, online training that focuses on the Brief Tobacco Intervention and Motivational Interviewing techniques.

**Access the training here:** <https://tcrc.rapidlearner.com/3462253711>

**Training objectives:**

1. Describe the steps of the 2As and R, and Brief Tobacco Intervention
2. Describe communication techniques for effective delivery of the Brief Tobacco Intervention
3. Refer patients who are ready to quit to an evidence based resource, such as the Oregon Tobacco Quit Line

**Audience:** Health care providers (of all types) and care team members who want to support their patients’ tobacco cessation efforts.

**Continuing education:** This training has been reviewed and is accepted for up to 1.0 prescribed credit from the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP). For other licensing boards that may not pre-approve continuing education credits (for example, the Board of Licensed Professional Counselors and Therapists), please submit the certificate of participation to your accrediting body.

**Access other tobacco cessation counseling resources here:** [www.oregon.gov/oha/HPA/CSI-TC/Pages/tobacco-cessation.aspx](https://www.oregon.gov/oha/HPA/CSI-TC/Pages/tobacco-cessation.aspx)

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