



CANS-NY 2.0 Launch

The CANS-NY 2.0 will be launched officially within the Uniform Assessment System (UAS) on November 15, 2023. In conjunction with the update and shift to the CANS-NY 2.0 tool in New York State, a new live CANS-NY 2.0 web-based certification course has been developed to support assessors' ability to reliably rate the new version of the tool. This new course will replace the former CANS-NY certification course. Starting on November 1, 2023, newly hired CANS-NY assessors that require certification on or after November 1, 2023, will attend the new live CANS-NY 2.0 certification course.

For assessors that are currently certified, completion of the annual web-based certification course featuring the new CANS-NY 2.0 will be **required no later than the assessor's current recertification expiration date**. If you are currently certified, the expiration date for that certification serves as the checkpoint or requirement date for your completion and certification on the new CANS-NY 2.0 course. Assessors may choose to complete the course earlier than their recertification date, but it is not required.

Additional CANS-NY 2.0 Introductory and Supervisory training sessions have been added to the CANS-NY Technical Assistance Institute calendar for November and December here.

CANS-NY Assessors will be required to review new training content and guidance posted via the Uniform Assessment System (UAS) between **11/01/2023 - 12/6/2023**. This new training content will include two brief "Booster" videos that demonstrate a side-by-side comparison of the CANS-NY with the CANS-NY 2.0. Completion of the "Booster" content will be verified within the UAS.

Current, completed CANS-NY assessments do not need to be redone using the new CANS 2.0 tool, and will remain visible within the UAS for reference when completing the first re-assessment after November 15, 2023. Assessors will conduct assessments and reassessments using the current Health Home Standards. Multiple resources will be made available to support assessors through these changes.

- 1) The CANS-NY 2.0 announcement video currently available via CLICK HERE.
- CANS-NY 2.0 Reference Guides are available for downloaded via <u>www.cansnyinstitute.org</u> or <u>Child Adolescent Needs and Strengths - NY (CANS-NY)</u>
- 3) The CANS New York Technical Assistance Institute team of coaches will be available to answer any questions and to provide information and support via:

WEEKLY LIVE Training and Coaching
Every Wednesday from 12:00pm - 1:00pm
Starting November 1, 2023
No registration required to Join
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