

OREGON'S NCRC EMPLOYER UPDATE

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Oregon's National Career Readiness Certificate reaches an important milestone!

Oregon's National Career Readiness Certificate (NCRC), a distinctive job-skills certification, is gaining momentum throughout the state. Over 5,000 individuals have earned certificates and more than 100 Oregon employers have formally indicated their preference for applicants who hold an NCRC.

Since its launch on January 25, Oregon's NCRC has been featured in media across Oregon, helping raise the awareness of the certificate's availability and value. To the right are coverage highlights.

See what Governor Kitzhaber had to say about Oregon's NCRC at the January 25 launch event.

View this and other videos on the [press and video page](#) at OregonNCRC.org.



Why are so many business associations endorsing Oregon's NCRC?

Oregon's business community supports Oregon's NCRC as a valuable hiring tool that can be used by employers across industry, geography and company size. The NCRC can help in the selection and hiring of qualified applicants who have a verified level of critical foundational skills. [Click here](#) to arrange a presentation for your local association.



News Highlights

Employers get help in screening applicants: The National Career Readiness Certificate helps employers assess job-seekers' skills [Read more...](#)

New certificate could have competitive advantage on a résumé [Read more...](#)

Assessment helps workers prove skills [Read more...](#)

"It really cut down the aggravation of trying to find a qualified person through all the other means," Sabath said. The certification "helps you determine if the people have the skills that you need," he said.

—Register Guard

Get started with Oregon's NCRC.

Visit the [For Employers](#) section at OregonNCRC.org to access helpful resources, such as employer success stories.



Contact your NCRC representative to find out how employers in your area are using Oregon's NCRC to their advantage. To locate your local contact, [click here](#).

