

Offender Screening Tool (OST)

Type of outcomes predicted: General Recidivism

Service population: Adults – General

Time to complete: Approximately 25 minutes

Interview required? Yes

Year developed: 1996

Developer:

Maricopa County Adult Probation Department (MCAPD) and David Simourd

Proprietary? Yes

Related tools: MOST, FROST

Training available: Yes

Cost: No cost for instrument, minimal cost for training

Number of items: 44

Included domains:

Personality/attitudes Behavior Substance use Family Employment/education Physical health Mental health Relationships Living situation

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