**Recommended Oasis Devices**

One of the most advantageous features in Oasis is the barcoding system, which helps speed up intake and reduce time entering data. To do that, we recommend using 1 tablet, 1 tablet protective shock case, and 1 barcode scanner per intake volunteer.

**Tablet recommendations:**

The recommended tablet is the Samsung Galaxy A7 (10.4 inch screen). It is cost effective and easy to set up. There are even models with cellular capabilities if the Wi-Fi is unreliable at your location. They are available at many retail stores and on Amazon for around $250. The Surface Pro 3 (or higher) is Oasis' recommended tablet, and other tablets should work as well.

Samsung Galaxy A7 (10.4 inch): <https://amzn.to/3DwICu4>

Microsoft Surface Pro (3 or higher): <https://www.amazon.com/Microsoft-Surface-Pro-Intel-Core/dp/B01606IDL0/>

Chromebooks with touch-screen

We do not recommend iPads at this moment as they are not fully supported by Oasis at this time.

**Tablet Case**

Samsung Galaxy A7 Shock case with built in handle: <https://amzn.to/3mJeZ1J>

Microsoft Surface Pro Protective Case with handle and strap: <https://www.amazon.com/URBAN-ARMOR-GEAR-Microsoft-Feather-Light/dp/B073CYDFJR/>

**Barcode Scanners**

If you are wanting to use a barcode scanner with your tablet, many Bluetooth scanners are available. These scanners will connect in seconds and do not require any software or peripherals for your tablet. They retail for around $50.

Small Bluetooth Barcode Scanner: <https://amzn.to/3oSHFbs>

Larger Bluetooth Barcode Scanner: <https://www.amazon.com/NADAMOO-Compatible-Bluetooth-Wireless-Connection/dp/B01HHJVVUY>

If you’d like to scan barcodes off of phones, you will need a 2D barcode scanner, such as the following:

2D Bluetooth Barcode Scanner: <https://www.amazon.com/Tera-Officially-Certified-Shockproof-Waterproof/dp/B08TWCP4DD/>

**Internet Connection**

If you can use Wi-Fi, a data plan in a tablet, or a cell phone’s hotspot those are convenient. If you would like cell service outside without those options, we recommend using a MiFi that acts as a hotspot. Note: a cell phone plan must be paid for monthly for the internet service, which can be around $20 a month with Verizon.

Verizon Jetpack ($120): <https://www.amazon.com/Verizon-Jetpack-Hotspot-WiFi-Device/dp/B09LYMZ49Q>

Tech Soup Mifi and Cell Plan ($10/month, only for 503c non-profits) - <https://www.techsoup.org/products/hotspot-for-mobile-beacon-mobile-broadband-internet-service-for-nonprofits-g-51472->

Verizon Monthly Plan ($20/month): <https://www.verizon.com/plans/devices/hotspots/>

**Clips to hold Assistance Barcodes**

If you’re walking around with tablets and barcode scanners, these clips will help you hold assistance barcodes on paper for ease of scanning.

Adjustable Plastic Clip-on Style Merchandise Sign Display Clip Holder ($9 for 4):

<https://www.amazon.com/dp/B01CDS7OUK/>

**Avery Template 8371 Business Cards**

To print out IDs for your neighbors, these are the ID cards that work natively with Oasis if you print multiple IDs from within the system. Be sure to use the Multiple ID Cards – Avery 8371 report in Oasis.

<https://www.amazon.com/Avery-Printable-Business-Inkjet-Printers/dp/B00006B8G6>

**Sun Shade for Tablet**

To see tablets better in bright sun, you can get a sun shade. We have not gotten to test this yet but it is an option if glare/sun is an issue for using tablets outside.

<https://www.amazon.com/dp/B08P58JMT9>

**Adapters**

**USB C to USB Adapter**

If you’re trying to plug in a USB barcode scanner dongle into the Samsung Galaxy tablet, you’ll need an adapter. Here are two that should two the trick. If you’re not sure what a dongle is, [check out this page](https://www.easytechjunkie.com/what-is-a-dongle.htm).

Short Adapter: <https://www.amazon.com/Thunderbolt-Compatible-Chromebook-Pixelbook-Microsoft/dp/B07KR45LJW/>

Chord Adapter: <https://www.bestbuy.com/site/insignia-usb-c-to-usb-adapter-black/6473492.p?skuId=6473492>

**Oasis Recommendations**

For the full list of Oasis recommended devices, please use this link here.

<https://help.simonsolutions.com/en/articles/768446-recommended-compatible-devices>