

Utah Center for Assistive Technology (UCAT)

UCAT helps people with disabilities by identifying and obtaining assistive technology that will improve their quality of life.



Our FREE evaluation assesses each client's:

- Home and jobsite
- Environmental controls
- Driving and vehicle access
- Seating, positioning and mobility
- Augmentative communication
- Computer hardware and software consultations

CUSTOM MODIFICATIONS UCAT creates and modifies devices in its in-house workshop. Occupational and recreational therapists ensure a device will fit the client's needs. UCAT also finds opportunities for funding for client devices.

DEMONSTRATIONS AND TRAINING Staff train parents, professionals and clients about applying the various technology to the needs of persons with disabilities.

LOAN BANK Devices are available on loan free of charge for the client to test before purchasing. Items include augmentative communication devices and computers.



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Assistive technology is any item or piece of equipment that increases, maintains or improves the functional capabilities of a person with disabilities.

ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY EXAMPLES

- Wheelchair lifts
- Steering wheel modifications
- Switch adapted toys
- Steady tremor utensils
- iPad and Google Chrome apps
- Visual message communicators
- Mounting systems for electronics
- Smart notebooks and pens
- Adapted television remotes



SPECIALIZED UCAT PROGRAMS

Utah Assistive Technology Teams (UATT)

UATT provides assistive technology services for students with disabilities to achieve full access and participation in all educational opportunities. This is accomplished through local interdisciplinary teams comprised of professionals in speech language pathology, occupational therapy, physical therapy, special education and psychology.

Go Baby Go Program

Through this partnership, UCAT converts battery-powered kids' cars into rehabilitative devices for children ages 1 – 5. Cars become switch adapted with custom seating modifications. This helps children develop motor skills, leading to cognitive, social and language development.

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