

medical terminology

all professions

sub-tests

clinical

at the University of Melbourne

profession-specific

healthcare professionals

communication skills

registration

- **What is it?** OET is a language test for 12 designated

- **What is its aim?** OET assesses language proficiency as a requirement of

professional body for employment as a healthcare professional.

- **Where did it start?** OET was developed in the 1980s

by Prof Tim McNamara.

- **What is its format?** There are four

: Reading, Listening, Writing and Speaking.

- **What kind of language is assessed?** OET is a test of English

which are used in a

healthcare environment.

- **What does OET not test?** OET is not a test of

skills or understanding of complex

- **Are the papers different?** The Reading and Listening sub-tests are for

, whereas the

Speaking and Writing sub-tests are

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