Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration

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Add a U.S. DOT Number to a Portal Account: Company User

During your Clearinghouse registration, the system will attempt to link your Portal account with your Clearinghouse account. This will associate your Clearinghouse activity with your company's U.S. DOT Number. In order to make this connection, your Portal account will need to include your U.S. DOT Number. If this is not already included in your Portal account, you will need to add it. If you have multiple U.S. DOT Numbers associated with your company, you will add each number to your Portal account individually.

The process for adding a U.S. DOT Number to your Portal account will vary slightly depending on whether or not you are the Company Official for your organization. View the information below for an overview of each Portal account type. For each U.S. DOT Number entered in the Portal, there must be one Portal user that is identified as the Company Official.

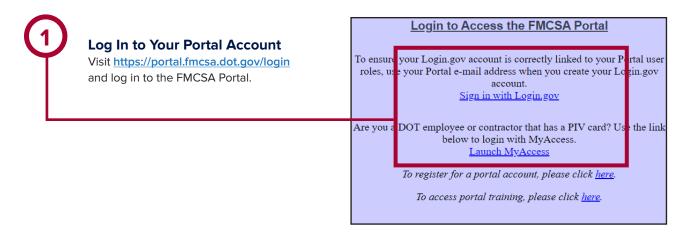
COMPANY OFFICIAL	COMPANY USER			
 Responsible for registering a company in the FMCSA Portal, typically the company owner Has full access to company information Manages and approves account requests from other company employees looking to access company data 	 A company employee or associate of a company Granted access to specific company data by the Company Official Not responsible for managing other users' Portal accounts Must wait to register until the Portal Company Official has 			
The Portal is designed to allow one Company Official for each U.S. DOT Number. For more information on how companies can manage their users, visit the FMCSA Portal User Help .	registered the company in the Portal • Portal account requests must be approved by the Portal Company Official			

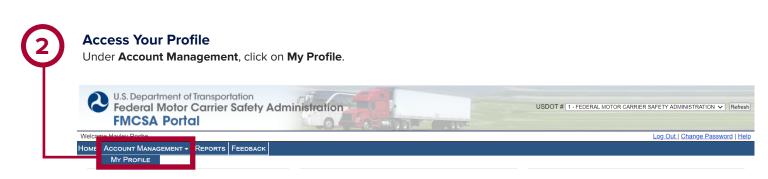
If you are the Company Official for your organization, view the Add a U.S. DOT Number to a Portal Account:

Company Official Job Aid.

View the step-by-step instructions below to complete this process as a Company User.

How to Add a U.S. DOT Number to Your Portal Account



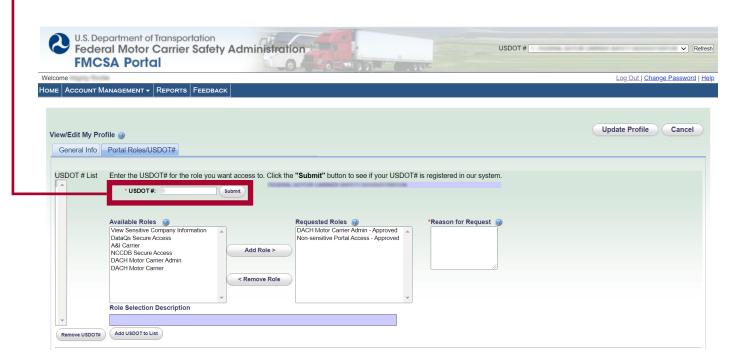






Add Your U.S. DOT Number

Enter the U.S. DOT Number you need to add and click **Submit**. The Available Roles box will display a list of available roles for this U.S. DOT Number.





Add Clearinghouse User Role

Choose the appropriate
Clearinghouse user role to add
to your U.S. DOT Number. If your
Portal account has multiple U.S.
DOT Numbers, you will need to
request the Clearinghouse user role
account for each U.S. DOT Number
individually. (Note: Only request the
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selected U.S. DOT Number. When
you are finished, click **Update Profile**.

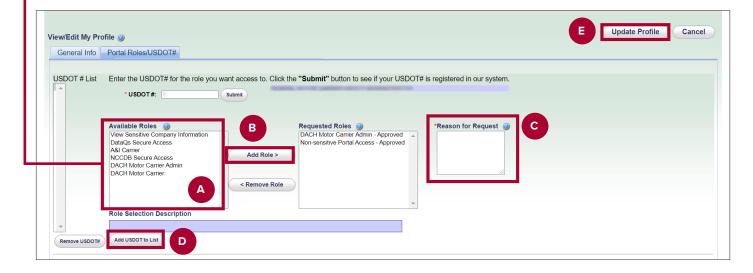
Not sure which Clearinghouse user role you should request?

DACH Motor Carrier

- Clearinghouse Assistant
- Able to report violations, purchase/conduct queries, and report return-to-duty (RTD) information

DACH Motor Carrier Admin

- Clearinghouse Administrator
- All permissions of DACH
 Motor Carrier, plus designate a
 consortium/third party administrator
 (C/TPA) and indicate whether or not
 motor carrier is an owner-operator
- For more information, view the <u>Clearinghouse Portal User Roles</u> Job Aid.
- A. Select either **DACH Motor Carrier** or **DACH Motor Carrier Admin** from the Available Roles list.
- Click **Add Role**. This will move the role into the Requested Roles box. Your role request will appear as "Pending" until it is approved by your organization's Company Official.
- Enter the tasks you will complete in the Clearinghouse under **Reason for Request,** such as "Query Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse."
- Click Add USDOT# to List.
- When you are finished, click **Update Profile**.





Repeat steps 4 and 5 for any additional U.S. DOT Numbers you need to add to your account.

Your request has been submitted and is awaiting approval.

The Portal Company Official for your organization will be notified of your request and must approve your U.S. DOT Number and requested Clearinghouse user role in the Portal. This will update the status of your Clearinghouse user role request from "Pending" to "Approved." Once your request has been approved, you will have access to specific company data and can register for a Clearinghouse account. View the Registration: Employers with Portal Accounts Job Aid for instructions. If you are already registered in the Clearinghouse, you can link your existing Clearinghouse account to your Portal account by logging in to your Clearinghouse account, navigating to My Dashboard > My Employer Profile, and clicking ADD USDOT #.



Note: If you are unable to receive approval from the listed Portal Company Official for your organization, contact FMCSA's Information Line for assistance by visiting https://clearinghouse.fmcsa.dot.gov/Contact.

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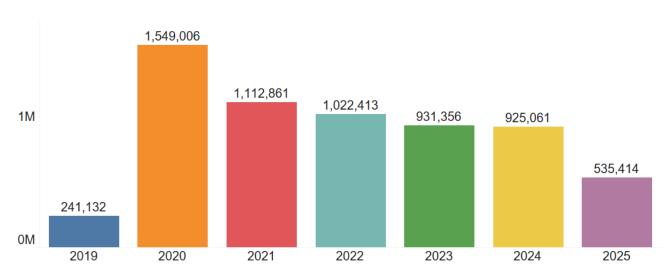
July 2025 Monthly Summary Report

REGISTRATIONS

Registration for the FMCSA Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse (Clearinghouse) began for all user roles on September 28, 2019. This section covers the number of registered users in the Clearinghouse.

CDL/CLP Holder and Organization Registrations by Year

(Total Registrations 6,317,243)



Number of completed registrations through Jul 2025, as of Aug 6, 2025.

The above chart reflects the number of CDL/CLP holders (drivers) and organizations registered within the Clearinghouse, by year, since September 28, 2019.

Note: In some cases, a single user may have multiple roles within the Clearinghouse.

REGISTRATIONS REPORTED TO CLEARINGHOUSE (continued)

Clearinghouse user roles include: commercial driver's license (CDL) or commercial learner's permit (CLP) holders (drivers), employers of CDL drivers, consortia/third-party administrators (C/TPAs), medical review officers (MROs), and substance abuse professionals (SAPs). Employers who employ themselves as CDL drivers must indicate in their registration that they are owner-operators.

CDL/CLP Holder and Organization Registrations by Type

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Total
Driver	199,178	1,408,983	1,003,275	939,323	858,532	843,165	483,524	5,735,980
Employer	37,264	131,995	105,184	79,211	69,197	77,704	49,119	549,674
Owner Operators*	7,459	54,342	56,647	42,860	35,163	40,618	27,522	264,611
СТРА	2,727	5,789	3,343	2,876	2,751	3,220	2,187	22,893
MRO	910	686	261	246	184	197	115	2,599
SAP	1,053	1,553	798	757	692	775	469	6,097

Number of completed registrations through Jul 2025, as of Aug 6, 2025.

The above chart reflects the number of active CDL/CLP holders and organizations, by user role, for each year, based on when they first registered in the Clearinghouse, since registration opened on September 28, 2019.

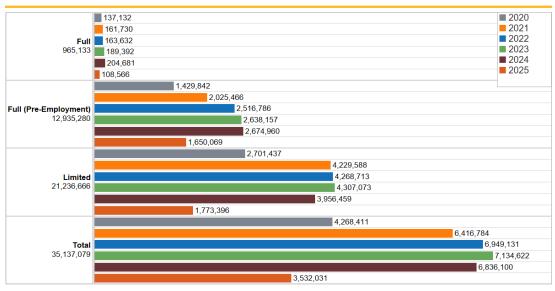
Notes:

- These counts reflect unique users (some organizations may have multiple users). Only active user accounts are included.
- Owner operators includes only users that have self-identified as owner-operators in their Clearinghouse registration.
- Clearinghouse users may change their user role (for example, an employer may add their CDL number to be registered as an owner-operator). In these cases, that user is still counted in the year they originally registered.

QUERIES

Employers are required to conduct queries in the Clearinghouse when hiring a new CDL/CLP holder and annually for all CDL/CLP holders they currently employ. The graphs below break out the results by query type.

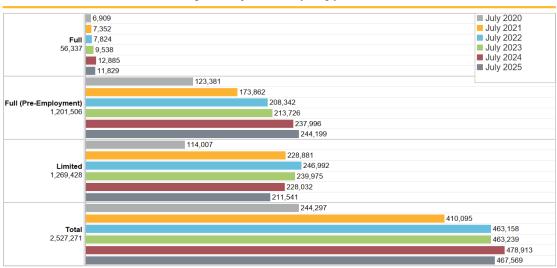
Queries Conducted by Type and Year



Queries conducted through Jul 2025, as of Aug 6, 2025.

The above graph illustrates the number of each type of query by year conducted by employers, or their designated C/TPA, since January 6, 2020. The full query total includes limited queries that have been elevated to full since January 6, 2020.

Queries Conducted Monthly Comparison (July)

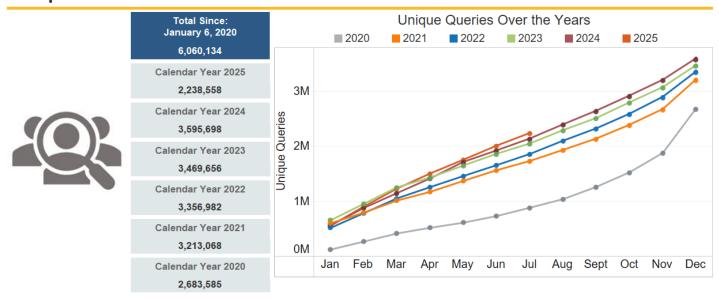


Queries conducted through Jul 2025, as of Aug 6, 2025

The above graph illustrates the number of each type of query conducted by employers, or their designated C/TPA, during the current month of each year, since January 6, 2020. The full query total includes limited queries that have been elevated to full since January 6, 2020.

QUERIES (continued)

Unique CDL/CLP Holders Queried



Unique drivers queried through Jul 2025, as of Aug 6, 2025.

The above graph illustrates the number of CDL/CLP holders whose information has been queried by employers, or their designated C/TPA, since January 6, 2020. CDL/CLP holders may have been queried in multiple years, but are only included once in each annual total and once in the cumulative total. The line graph reflects the monthly cumulative totals throughout each year.

VIOLATIONS REPORTED TO CLEARINGHOUSE

Employers, or their designated C/TPA, and MROs are required to report violations of the drug and alcohol program in the Clearinghouse per 49 C.F.R. 382.705, including positive test results and test refusals. This section summarizes the violations reported to the Clearinghouse since January 6, 2020.

Violations Reported to the Clearinghouse

Violations by Year				
2020	53,359			
2021	58,414			
2022	68,851			
2023	68,843			
2024	62,414			
2025	34,231			
Total	346,112			

Violations Reported in the Month of July				
July 2020	4,590			
July 2021	4,756			
July 2022	5,490			
July 2023	5,465			
July 2024	5,290			
July 2025	4,902			
Total	30,493			

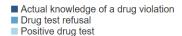
Violations reported through Jul 2025, as of Aug 6, 2025.

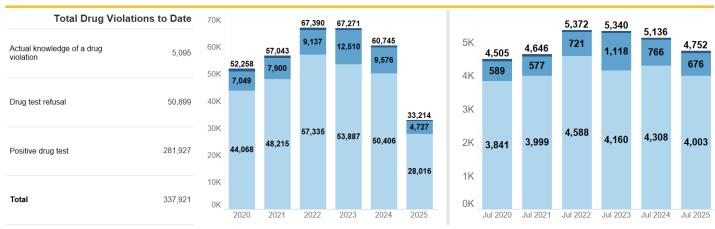
The above table illustrates drug and alcohol violations reported to the Clearinghouse by year (left), and during the current month of each year (right), since January 6, 2020.

VIOLATIONS REPORTED TO CLEARINGHOUSE (continued)

The tables below show total violations and break out results by violation type for controlled substance (drug) tests and alcohol tests. Each graph depicts total test results with violations by year and compares total test results with violations reported during the current month of each year, since January 6, 2020.





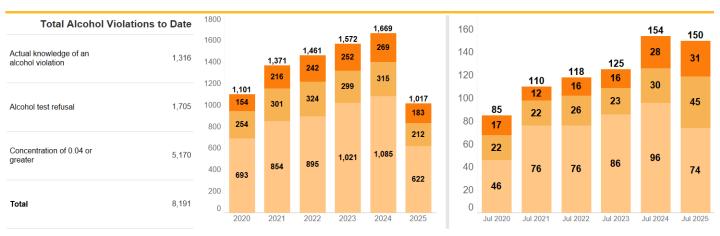


Violations reported through Jul 2025, as of Aug 6, 2025

The above graph breaks out the results by violation type, for controlled substance (drug) tests by year (left), and during the current month of each year (right), since January 6, 2020.

Alcohol Violations

Actual knowledge of an alcohol violation
Alcohol test refusal
Concentration of 0.04 or greater



Violations reported through Jul 2025, as of Aug 6, 2025.

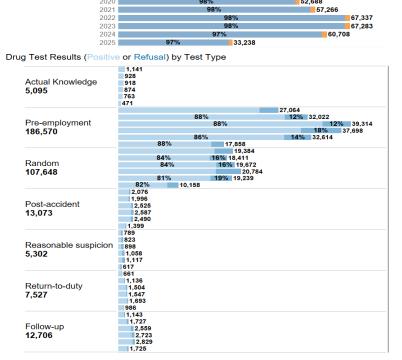
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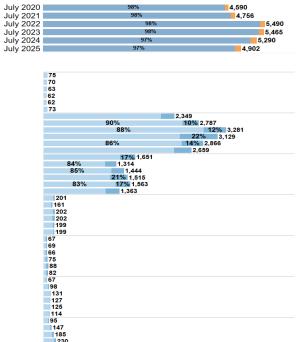
VIOLATIONS REPORTED TO CLEARINGHOUSE (continued)

Drug and Alcohol Test Results By Test Type

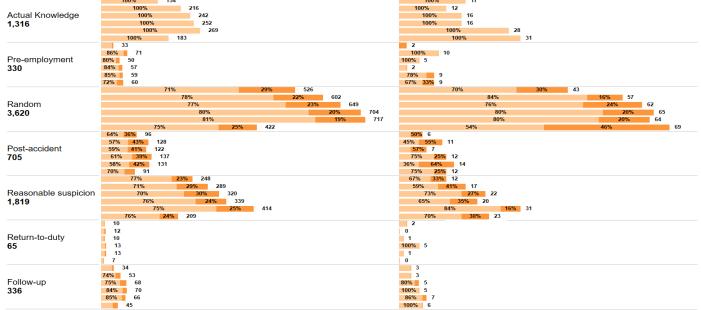
The tables below show controlled substance (drug) and alcohol test results by type of test. Each graph depicts total test results with violations by year and compares total test results with violations reported during the current month of each year, since January 6, 2020.











Test Results reported through Jul 2025, as of Aug 6, 2025.

VIOLATIONS REPORTED TO CLEARINGHOUSE (continued)

Positive drug tests account for 81% of the total violations reported. The chart below represents the breakdown of results reported to the Clearinghouse, by year, since January 6, 2020, of the number of times a driver tested positive for each substance.

Number of Positive Tests with Substances Identified							
Substance	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Total
Marijuana Metabolite (Δ9-THCA)	29,199	32,279	39,400	37,818	34,937	20,026	193,659
Cocaine Metabolite (BZE)	7,923	9,106	10,546	10,388	10,078	5,442	53,483
Methamphetamine (MET/MAMP)	5,199	5,213	5,381	4,522	4,588	2528	27,431
Amphetamine (AMP)	4,906	4,951	5,166	4,251	3,875	2172	25,321
Oxymorphone (OXYM)	1,333	1,292	1,359	1,098	973	588	6,643
Oxycodone (OXYC)	1,067	1,068	1,093	926	801	487	5,442
Hydrocodone (HYC)	957	931	909	807	716	448	4,768
Hydromorphone (HYM)	1,030	1041	994	829	702	400	4,996
Morphine (MOP)	429	376	415	369	388	250	2,227
Codeine (COD)	371	348	411	356	318	199	2,003
6-Acetylmorphine (6-AM)	301	192	176	117	100	55	941
Phencyclidine (PCP)	62	63	65	77	85	54	406
Ecstasy (MDMA)	135	122	132	92	77	40	598
Methylenedioxyamphetamine (MDA)	28	35	43	50	54	30	240
All substances	52,940	57,017	66,090	61,700	57,692	32,719	328,158

A positive dilute result indicates that drugs were detected, despite the dilution of a sample. The table below indicates the total dilute specimens reported to the Clearinghouse, by year, since January 6, 2020. A positive dilute result indicates that drugs were detected despite the dilution of the sample, therefore dilute specimens are also reflected in the total substance counts above.

Number of Dilute Specimens Identified						
2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025*	Total [†]
2,367	2,477	2,797	2,693	2,679	1,570	14,582

Notes:

- *Includes tests reported January 1, 2025, through July 31, 2025, as of Aug 6, 2025.
- †Includes all tests reported since January 6, 2020.
- Amounts do not reflect unique tests, as more than one substance can appear in a positive drug test.

Return to Duty Process

If a CDL/CLP holder has a drug and alcohol program violation recorded in the Clearinghouse, the CDL/CLP holder must be removed from safety-sensitive functions, including operating a commercial motor vehicle (CMV), until they complete the return-to-duty (RTD) process. Select milestones of a driver's RTD process are recorded in the Clearinghouse. The table below provides a snapshot of the number of drivers in the RTD process with their status in the Clearinghouse as of the current month.

CDL/CLP Holders in the Return-to-Duty (RTD) Process as of July 1, 2025

RTD STATUS # DRIVERS

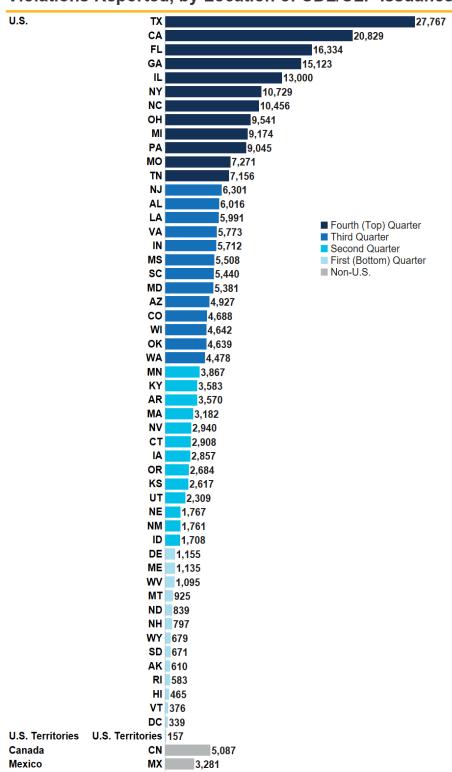
All Drivers (with at least 1 violation)	309,403
CDL/CLP holders in Prohibited Status	192,779
RTD Process Not Started	150,653
Substance Abuse Professional (SAP) Request Sent	1,993
SAP Designation Confirmed	5,752
SAP Request Declined	1,217
Initial SAP Assessment Complete	9,650
Determined Eligible for RTD Testing	23,514
CDL/CLP Holders in Not-Prohibited Status*	116,624
RTD Test with Negative Results	81,506
Follow-Up Testing Plan Complete	35,118

^{*}A driver is no longer prohibited from performing safety-sensitive functions once they have a negative RTD test result.

Information By Location

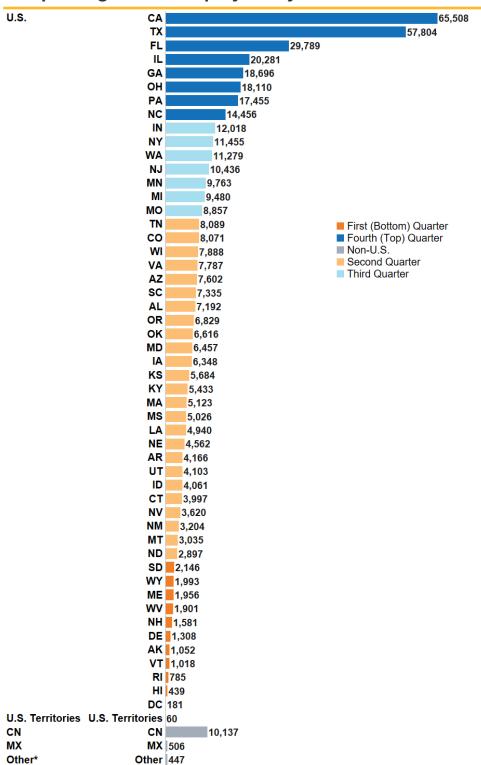
The table below provides a breakdown of reported violations based on the jurisdiction that issued the driver's CDL/CLP.

Violations Reported, by Location of CDL/CLP Issuance



The table below provides a breakdown of the number of employers registered in the Clearinghouse, by their domicile.

Unique Registered Employers by Location



Number of registered employers through Jul 2025, as of Aug 6, 2025. **Other* represents data where the location is missing or otherwise not able to be determined.

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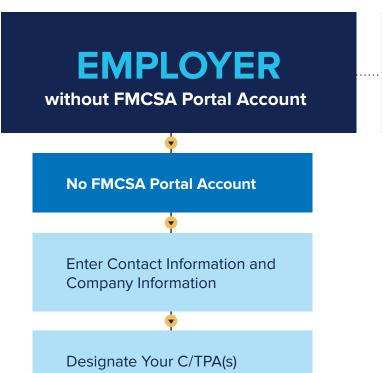


REGISTRATION: EMPLOYERS WITHOUT PORTAL ACCOUNTS

Before you can conduct queries or report drug and alcohol program violations in the FMCSA Commercial Driver's License Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse, you must complete the registration process. Once registered, you can designate a consortium/third-party administrator (C/TPA) to access the Clearinghouse on your behalf.

Designating a C/TPA is a requirement for owner-operators (employers who employ themselves as CDL drivers, typically a single-driver operation). Owner-operators must designate a C/TPA before they can conduct queries or report violation information in the Clearinghouse.

The steps you will take to register as an employer in the Clearinghouse will depend on whether or not you have an FMCSA Portal account. The FMCSA Portal is a web system that allows employees of motor carriers to access FMCSA web systems. If your company has, or should have, a <u>USDOT Number</u>, you should request an <u>FMCSA Portal account</u> prior to registering for the Clearinghouse.



Do you have, or should you have, a USDOT Number?
See the instructions for employers with Portal accounts.

Terms and Conditions



Employers without FMCSA Portal Accounts

If you are an employer that does not have a USDOT Number, follow the instructions below to register in the Clearinghouse.

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Create a Login.gov Account

Accessing the Clearinghouse requires the creation of an account with login.gov, a shared service that offers secure online access to participating government systems, including the Clearinghouse. If you do not have a login.gov account, or would like to create a new one, you will need to follow the steps below.

Visit https://clearinghouse.fmcsa.dot.gov/ and click Register. During the login.gov registration process, after 15 minutes of inactivity, the current page will clear whatever information is entered into data fields. FMCSA CLEARINGHOUSE Welcome to the Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse

Before You Register

Do you need help with registration?

dentify your Clearinghouse user role and find out what you will need to complete your registration.

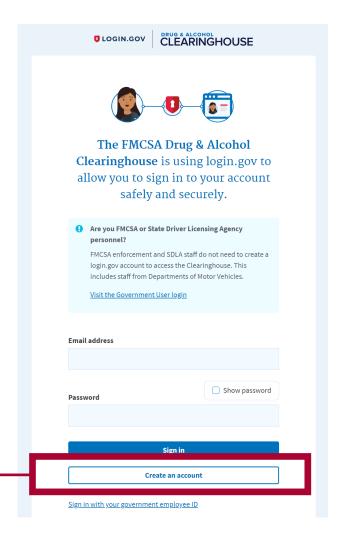
☑ Record

☑ Query

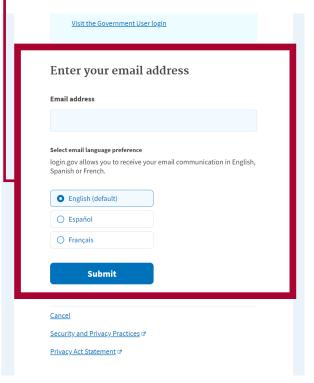


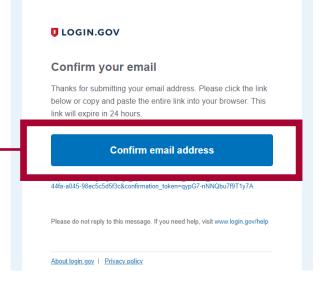
On the login.gov sign in screen, click Create an account.

> Or, if you already have a login.gov account, enter your credentials on this screen, click Sign In and go to step 9.



Enter your email address and click Submit. This is the email address the Clearinghouse will use to send you notifications about your Clearinghouse account. This email address will also be used to identify you in the Clearinghouse, and cannot be modified.





Check your email and open the email from no-reply@login.gov, with the subject line Confirm your email.

> Click Confirm email address, or copy and paste the link into a web browser.



Create a password. This password must be at least 12 characters long. If the password you enter is not strong enough, you will not be able to continue. Enter a strong password and click Continue. ULOGIN.GOV CLEARINGHOUSE You have confirmed your email address STEP 2 OF 4 Create a strong password It must be at least 12 characters long and not be a commonly used password. That's it!

ord strength: Great!

Password safety tips

« Cancel account creation

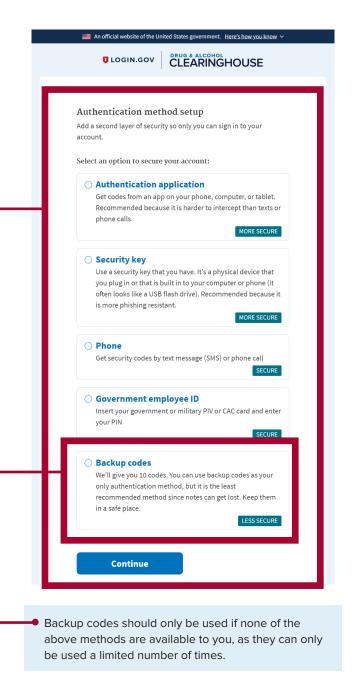
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Select an option to secure your account and click Continue.

> Login.gov requires the completion of a user verification process to ensure the proper person is using those credentials. Follow the instructions for the method you select.

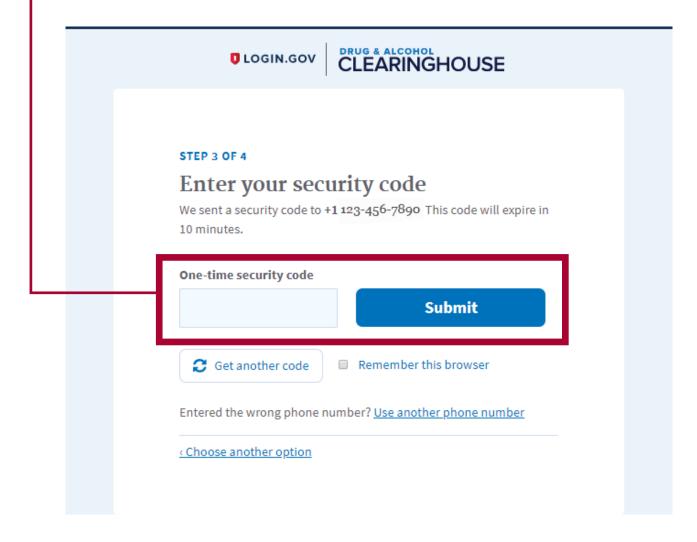


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Enter your security code and click Submit. This code will be provided via the method you selected. The screenshot below illustrates the SMS phone method.

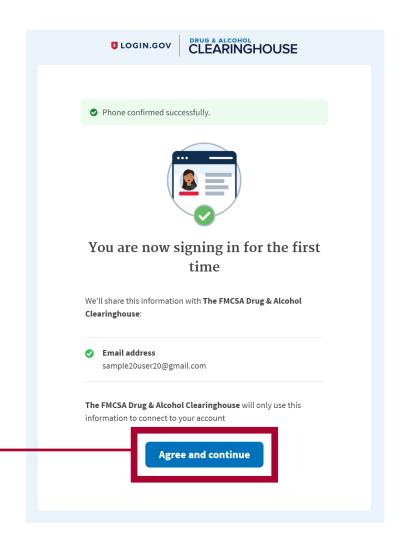


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You have created your login.gov account. Click Agree and continue to return to the Clearinghouse website and complete your Clearinghouse registration.





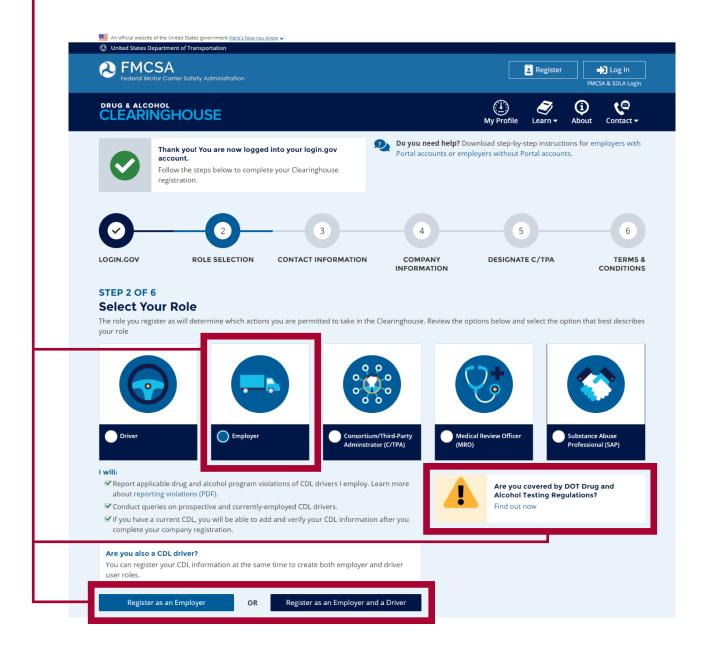
Register for the Clearinghouse

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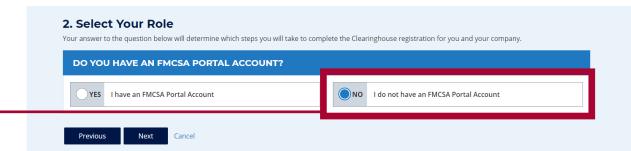
Select your role (Employer), and click Register as an Employer or Register as an Employer and a Driver.

If you are unsure if you are covered by the Clearinghouse rule, see the box labeled "Are you covered by DOT Drug and Alcohol Testing Regulations?" and click Find out now.





Select No I do not have an FMCSA Portal Account, and click Next.



Confirm that you are your employer's Clearinghouse Administrator by selecting Yes, I am my employer's Clearinghouse Administrator and clicking Next.

If you are not authorized to be your employer's Clearinghouse Administrator, do not proceed with this registration. Contact your employer's Clearinghouse Administrator and request an invitation to register as a Clearinghouse Assistant for your employer.



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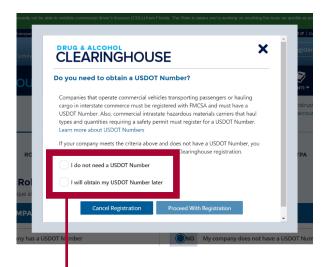
Indicate whether or not your company has a USDOT Number and click Next.

This step is intended to determine if your company should have an FMCSA Portal account. If you indicate that your company does have a USDOT Number, you will then be prompted to register for the FMCSA Portal. Once you register for the Portal, you can re-start registration for the Clearinghouse.

2. Select Your Role A USDOT Number is a unique identifier assigned to a company that has registered with FMCSA. Learn more about USDOT Numbers. DOES YOUR COMPANY HAVE A USDOT NUMBER? YES My company has a USDOT Number My company does not have a USDOT Number Not sure if your company has a USDOT Number? Contact your safety manager $\ensuremath{\bullet}$ to determine if your company has a USDOT Number. Previous Next Cancel

If you indicate your company does not have a USDOT Number, you will see a message to make sure that your company does not need one. If your company does need a USDOT Number, you may consider obtaining one prior to registering in the Clearinghouse.

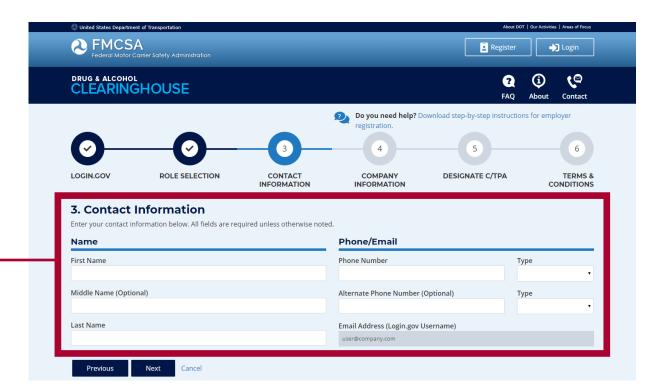
> Select either I do not need a USDOT Number or I will obtain my USDOT Number later and click Proceed With Registration, or you may Cancel **Registration** to re-start your Clearinghouse registration at a later time.



CLEARINGHOUSE REGISTRATION: CHARGE & ALCOHOL REGISTRATION: EMPLOYERS WITHOUT PORTAL ACCOUNTS



Enter your contact information and click Next. All fields are required unless otherwise noted. Your email address will be pre-filled with your login.gov username and cannot be modified.



CLEARINGHOUSE REGISTRATION: CHARGE & ALCOHOL REGISTRATION: EMPLOYERS WITHOUT PORTAL ACCOUNTS





Enter your company's information. All fields are required unless otherwise noted.

You will need to indicate whether you are an owner-operator (that is, an employer that employs himself or herself as a CDL driver, typically a single-driver operation).

When you are finished entering your company information, click Next.

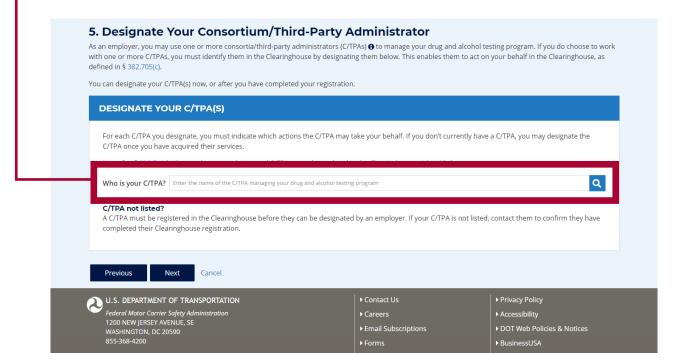






If you are working with a consortium/third-party administrator (C/TPA), you will need to designate your C/TPA in the Clearinghouse. This allows your C/TPA to access the Clearinghouse on your behalf. This step is required of all owner-operators.

Enter the name of your C/TPA in the field labeled Who is your C/TPA? and click on the search icon, or hit Enter. If you enter enough characters of the C/TPA's name, a list of options will also appear.







This will generate a list of registered C/TPAs that match your search terms. Locate your C/TPA in the list and click **Designate** on the appropriate line.

A C/TPA must be registered in the Clearinghouse before you can designate them. If you do not see your C/TPA in your search results, contact them to confirm they have completed their Clearinghouse registration.

5. Designate Your Consortium/Third-Party Administrator As an employer, you may use one or more consortia/third-party administrators (C/TPAs) 🚯 to manage your drug and alcohol testing program. If you do choose to work with one or more C/TPAs, you must identify them in the Clearinghouse by designating them below. This enables them to act on your behalf in the Clearinghouse, as defined in § 382,705(c). You can designate your C/TPA(s) now, or after you have completed your registration. **DESIGNATE YOUR C/TPA(S)** For each C/TPA you designate, you must indicate which actions the C/TPA may take your behalf. If you don't currently have a C/TPA, you may designate the C/TPA once you have acquired their services. Note: Per § 382.711(b)(3), any changes to designated C/TPAs must be updated in the Clearinghouse within 10 days. Who is your C/TPA? harlow Q C/TPA not listed? A C/TPA must be registered in the Clearinghouse before they can be designated by an employer. If your C/TPA is not listed, contact them to confirm they have There are 1 C/TPAs which match the search "harlow" Harlow Consortium Inc. Vernon St, Plymouth, AR 02360 Designate Cancel





For each C/TPA you designate, you will be prompted to authorize them to perform specific functions on your behalf. The functions available for selection are: Report Violations, Report RTD Information, and Conduct Queries. Once you have finished designating C/TPA(s) and authorizing them to perform these functions, click Next. This will send a request to the C/TPA(s) to confirm your designation.

Note to owner-operators: You must authorize at least one C/TPA to report violations and at least one C/TPA to report negative return-to-duty (RTD) information, including negative RTD test results and successful completion of RTD follow-up plans. You may authorize one C/TPA to fulfill both these functions. You may also authorize C/TPAs to conduct queries, however this action is not required to be performed by a C/TPA.

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If you chose to register as an employer and a driver, you have the option to add your commercial driver's license (CDL) or commercial learner's permit (CLP) information to your Clearinghouse account during the registration process. This information is required to view your Clearinghouse record and respond to consent requests.

Enter your current CDL information and click Verify.

If the CDL number has special characters (such as spaces or hyphens), try entering the number with or without those characters, as requirements vary by State.



You will receive a confirmation message that your CDL information has been verified successfully. Click Next. If the Clearinghouse is not able to verify your CDL information, you can continue with registration and add your CDL information later.







Review the Clearinghouse terms and conditions. Check the box to affirm that the information you provided throughout the registration process is true and that you agree to the terms and conditions and click I Agree.

> Note that the Clearinghouse terms and conditions may be updated on occasion.



Your Clearinghouse registration is complete.

You will be directed to your Dashboard, a logged-in homepage for your Clearinghouse activity. This is where you will come to designate C/TPAs, invite and manage Clearinghouse Assistants, report drug and alcohol program violations, conduct queries, and purchase query plans.



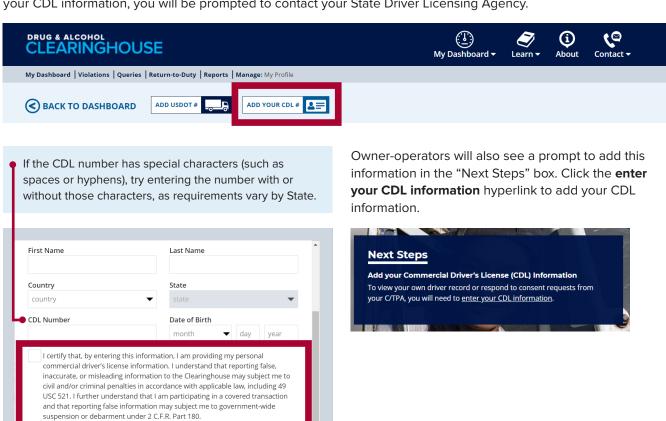
Adding or Updating Your CDL Information

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To add or make updates to your CDL information after registering for your Clearinghouse account, under My Dashboard, go to Manage, and click My Employer Profile.



Click the ADD YOUR CDL # button. This will pop up the screen below. Enter your CDL information, check the box to affirm that the information you provided is true, and click Verify CDL. If the Clearinghouse is not able to verify your CDL information, you will be prompted to contact your State Driver Licensing Agency.



Verify CDL







Requirements for CDL Drivers

The U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT) drug and alcohol testing regulations are contained in 49 CFR Part 40; the drug and alcohol testing regulations for entities regulated by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) are contained in 49 CFR Part 382.

This brochure summarizes the regulations as they apply to commercial driver's license (CDL) drivers, and is intended to better inform drivers about their rights and obligations as participants in a USDOT drug and alcohol testing program.

Testing Procedures

Notice to Appear

Once notified to report for testing, a CDL driver must report to the collection site immediately, except in cases of a pre-employment test.

Drug Testing: Urine and Oral Fluid

USDOT regulations permit the collection of urine and oral fluid specimens for drug testing. If problems are identified, a driver may be required to provide a specimen under direct observation. A driver is permitted up to one hour to provide a sufficient oral fluid specimen, and up to 3 hours to provide a sufficient urine specimen. Leaving the collection site before the process has been completed may be declared a "refusal." In addition, if unable to

provide a sufficient specimen as required, a driver will be required to undergo a medical evaluation, and may be determined to have refused the drug test based upon a review of the results of the evaluation by the medical review officer (MRO).

Analysis and Results

Once the specimen has been tested, the laboratory will report the analysis to the MRO. If the analysis indicates a positive result, the MRO will contact the driver to determine whether there are circumstances that would explain the positive result. If there are none, the MRO will report a verified positive result to the employer and to the FMCSA Commercial Driver's License Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse (Clearinghouse).

Who Must Be Tested?

All drivers required to possess a CDL to operate commercial motor vehicles (CMVs) (i.e., motor vehicles with a GVWR of 26,001 pounds or more; transport 16 or more passengers, including the driver; or are placarded for transporting hazardous materials) on public roadways must be USDOT drug and alcohol tested.

This applies to any driver employed by Federal, State, and local government agencies; self-employed CDL drivers (often known as owner-operators); and equivalently licensed drivers from foreign countries. Part-time drivers must also be included in an employer's drug and alcohol testing program. Drivers who are not required to possess a CDL, including drivers who only operate CMVs on private property not open to the public, cannot be required to submit to a USDOT test.



Controlled Substances

The regulations require 5-panel testing for the following classes of substances:

- Marijuana (THC)
- Cocaine
- Amphetamines
- Opioids
- Phencyclidine (PCP)

Find more information online:

https://www.transportation.gov/odapc/DOT_5_Panel_Notice_2018

Required Tests

CDL drivers are subject to each of the following types of tests:



Pre-Employment

New drivers must be drug tested with a negative result before an employer can permit them to operate a CMV on a public road. Alcohol testing is permitted only if the employer chooses to make it a requirement for all prospective CDL drivers.



Post-Accident

Drivers must be drug and alcohol tested whenever they are involved in a fatal accident, or receive a traffic citation resulting from an injury or vehicle-disabling accident. The alcohol test must occur within 8 hours of the accident, and the drug test must occur within 32 hours of the accident. (See 49 CFR 382.303.)



Random Testing

Drivers are subject to unannounced random testing. A driver may be directed to take a drug test even when at home in an off-duty status. Random alcohol testing may only occur when the driver is on-duty or immediately before or after performing safety-sensitive functions. Once notified to report for random testing, the driver must immediately report to the testing location. A delayed arrival may be considered a refusal by the employer, which is equivalent to a positive test. (See 49 CFR 40.191.)



Reasonable Suspicion

Trained supervisors can require a driver to be drug or alcohol tested whenever the driver exhibits signs of drug or alcohol use (see 49 CFR 382.603). The decision must be based on current first-hand observations concerning the appearance, behavior, speech, or body odors of the driver.



Return-to-Duty

After incurring a drug or alcohol program violation, the driver must complete the return-to-duty (RTD) process (see 49 CFR Part 40, Subpart O). The RTD test is only required after an employee has been released by the substance abuse professional (SAP) for the RTD test, before the driver has resumed safety-sensitive functions (i.e., operating CMVs). The RTD test may be used in lieu of a pre-employment test, if both tests are required to be completed at the same time.



Follow-Up

Follow-up drug and alcohol tests are required as prescribed by the SAP who evaluates the driver, and determines when they are eligible to be released for the RTD test. Follow-up tests require a minimum of 6 unannounced tests during the first 12 months following the return-to-duty test. The SAP can prescribe additional follow-up tests for up to 5 years following the RTD test. Follow-up tests are required in addition to any other required tests.

Consequences

- Drivers who engage in conduct prohibited by Part 382, Subpart B (e.g., positive drug test result, alcohol test of .04 BAC or more, test refusal, or actual knowledge) are required to be immediately removed from operating any CMV on public roadways. The employer must provide the driver with a list of USDOT-qualified SAPs (see 49 CFR 40.281) from which to choose. The driver must select a SAP from this list, or from other means, to begin the RTD process. This process must be completed before a prohibited driver can legally return to operating CMVs for any employer, including as an owner-operator.
- Drivers who incur drug or alcohol violations often experience extended periods of unemployment due to the time necessary to complete the RTD process with a qualified SAP, and the decisions of some employers to not consider drivers with past drug or alcohol violations.

- Even after completing the RTD process and finding employment, the additional follow-up testing requirements often add increased stress and financial strain on the driver.
- required to be reported to the Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse. Employers must query the Clearinghouse prior to hiring a new CDL driver, and at least once annually for every CDL driver they employ. This query ensures that employers are aware of any drug and alcohol violations recorded in the Clearinghouse that prohibit the driver from operating CMVs.
- By November 18, 2024, as part of new Federal regulations, drivers with a "prohibited" status in the Clearinghouse will lose or be denied their State-issued commercial driving privileges until they complete the RTD process (see 49 CFR 383.73) and return to a "not prohibited" status within the Clearinghouse.







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https://clearinghouse.fmcsa.dot.gov

For more information on FMCSA's Drug and Alcohol Testing Regulations visit: www.fmcsa.dot.gov/regulations/drug-alcohol-testing/overview-drug-and-alcohol-rules



FMCSA Portal

Company: Account Requests

Prioritization Phase I Release, December 2010 v1.4

Training Objectives

Introduction of the Portal Account Request Process

Introduction to Online Account Requests

- The FMCSA Portal online Account Request Form streamlines the account request process for Users by:
 - Allowing company Officials to determine who has access to Company Information
 - Providing the capability to create their own User ID and Password
 - Providing automated self-service process
 - Automatically routing requests to the appropriate approvers

FMCSA Portal Account Requests Overview

- Users may request a Portal account via the FMCSA Portal login page
- To request an account for the FMCSA Portal
 - > Click the To register for a portal account, please click here. link

Login to Access the FMCSA Portal
User Name:
Password:
Log In
Forgot your password? - Forgot your UserId? - Unlock your Account
To register for a portal account, please click here. To access portal training, please click here.

- In step one of the account request process Company users must indicate the type of account they are requesting
- To request an account to the FMCSA Portal as a Company user
 - Select the option under Company User
 - Click the Next button



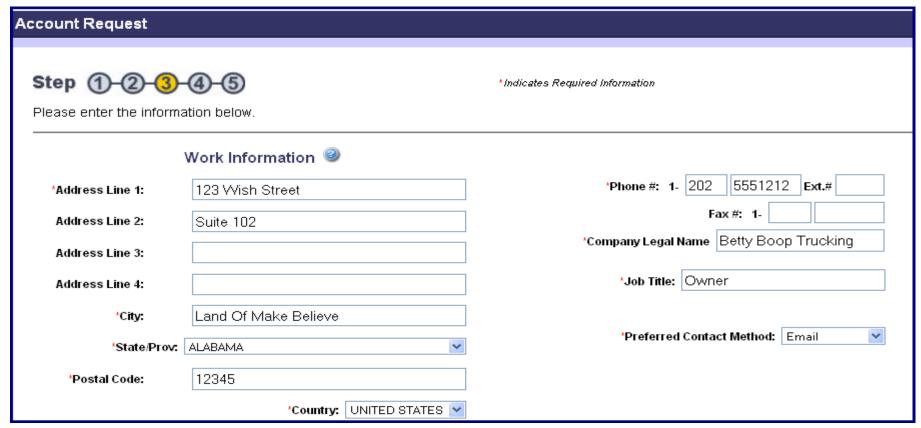


In step two of the account request process Users are required to enter their Personal Information, including their own Portal User ID and Password, E-Authentication, and Security Identification Information

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Middle Name:	Mary	'Answer 1:	Mouse
'Last Name:	Воор	*Ouestion 2*	What is my least favorite vegetable?
'Email:	bboop@company.com		
"Verify Email:	bboop@company.com	*Answer 2:	Beans
		*Question 3:	What is my pet's name?
		'Answer 3:	Pooh
'User ID:	bboop1	(between 2 and 50 characters	, allowing and @ to be used)
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"Verify Password:	•••••]	



In step three of the account request process Users enter their Work Information



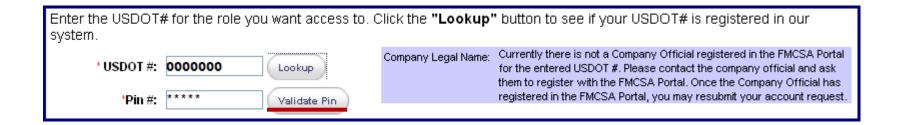
- In step four of the account request process Users may request access to a specific USDOT#
- To request general access to a company's sensitive information
 - Enter the company's USDOT#
 - Click the Lookup button
 - Clicking the Lookup button will verify the entered USDOT# is valid and will not submit the account request



- In the event a Company Official for the entered USDOT# has not registered for an account to the FMCSA Portal
 - The User is prompted to provide the PIN # for the entered USDOT#
 - The User is presented with a message to contact their Company Official and request them to register for the FMCSA Portal
 - If the User does not have access to the PIN # for the entered USDOT# they are prohibited from proceeding with the account request
 - To submit a request for a lost or forgotten PIN #, please access the Licensing & Insurance System (L&I) utilizing the following link: https://lipublic.fmcsa.dot.gov/LIVIEW/PKG_PIN_START.PRC_INTRO

,		" button to see if your USDOT# is registered in our system.
*USDOT #: 1234 Lookup	Company Legal Name:	Currently there is not a Company Official registered in the FMCSA Portal for the entered USDOT #. Please contact the company official and ask them to register with the FMCSA Portal. Once the Company Official has registered in the FMCSA Portal, you may resubmit your account request.
'Pin #: Validate Pin		

- To request administrative access to a USDOT#
 - Enter the company's PIN #
 - Click the Validate Pin button
 - Clicking the submit button will verify the entered PIN # is valid for the entered USDOT#



- Once the USDOT# or USDOT#/PIN# combination has been verified, Users can add Portal or other FMCSA System Roles to their account request
- To add Portal or other FMCSA System Roles to your account request
 - Highlight a role to request from the Available Roles list
 - Company users requesting administrative access will only see the Company Official roles to select from the Available Roles list
 - Access to the other FMCSA Systems A&I and NCCDB will be automatically granted to he Company Official once successfully submitting the account request

Click the Add Role button to move the selected role to the Request Role

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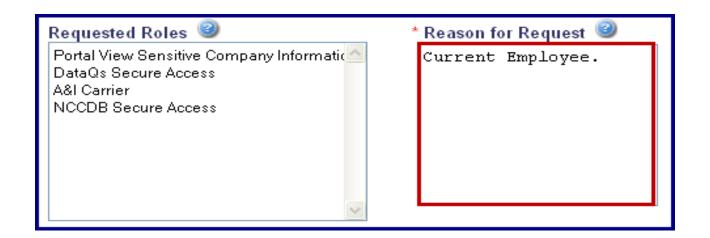
- There can only be one Company Official for a specific USDOT#
- In the event a Company Official for the entered USDOT# is already registered in the FMCSA Portal
 - The User is provided with the Contact Information for the registered Company Official
 - The User has the additional option of disputing the current user's designation as the Company Official



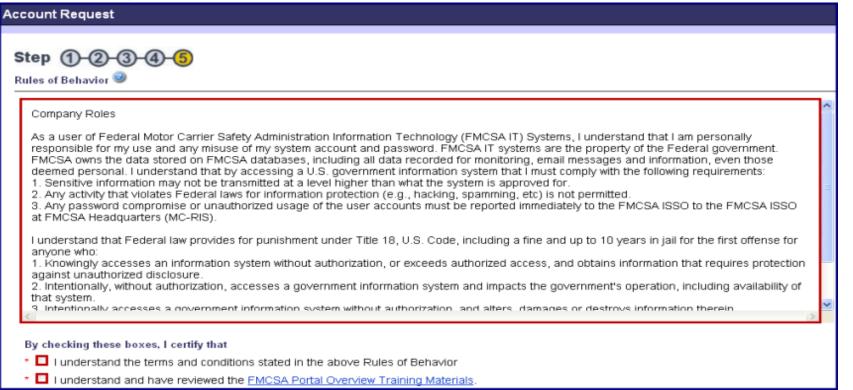
- To dispute who is currently assigned the Company Official role
 - Click the Submit a Challenge button
 - Company users are encouraged to contact the current Company Official directly, prior to submitting a challenge
 - The Company Official role dispute will be reviewed and adjudicated by the FMCSA Chief Accounts Officer

Enter the USDOT# for the role you want access to. 0 system.	Click the "Lookup" button to see if your US	DOT# is registered in our
*USDOT #: 0000000 Lookup *Pin #: Validate Pin	Company Legal Name: Betty Boop Trucking Company Official Name: bks09030910 bks09030910 Phone #: 2223333 Email: bks09030910@noreply.com	Before submitting a challenge, you must enter a valid pin. Once the pin has been verified, click the <u>Submit a Challenge</u> link.

Users are required to provide an explanation to convey information to the Company Official for the reason for the account request in the Reason for Request field

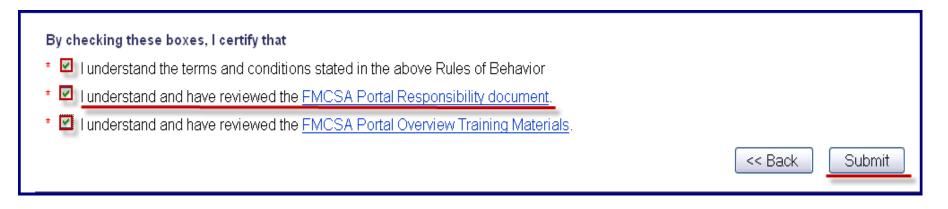


In step five of the account request process all users must certify that they have reviewed the FMCSA Portal training materials and must read and agree to the FMCSA Portal Rules of Behavior



Request an Account – Step 5 (Administrative Users)

- Company users who request the Company Official administrative role must also acknowledge the USDOT# Company Official User Certification document
 - > This agreement is only required for users requesting administrative roles
- To submit the account request
 - Click the Submit button





Request an Account - Confirmation

- When all five steps of the account request process have been successfully completed an Account Request Confirmation will appear
- All requests for access will be sent via email to the appropriate Company Official for approval
 - Company Official account requests are automatically approved upon submission of the Account Request Form
 - Company Officials can immediately login to the FMCSA Portal using the User Id and Password they requested on the Account Request Form

Review

- An Online FMCSA Portal Account Request can be initiated from the Portal login page
- An account request requires the user to enter their own FMCSA Portal User ID, Password, User Information, the USDOT #(s) they want to access and the roles for the USDOT#
- Company Officials are required to enter the PIN for any USDOT # they want to administer
- All Company users must acknowledge the Rules of Behavior and signify that they have reviewed all relevant training materials prior to submitting an online account request
- Company Officials must acknowledge the Rules of Behavior, Portal Responsibilities and signify that they have reviewed all relevant training materials prior to submitting the online account request

End of Training Module Please Close the Browser Window

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Register for an FMCSA Portal Account: Company Official

About the FMCSA Portal

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Do I need to register for an FMCSA Portal account?

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Logging in with Login.gov: Motor carriers access the FMCSA Portal using their Login.gov account. If you do not have a Login.gov account, refer to the instructions for creating an account on the FMCSA website.

What type of FMCSA Portal Account do I need?

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COMPANY OFFICIAL COMPANY USER • Responsible for registering a company in the FMCSA Portal, · A company employee or associate of a company typically the company owner • Granted access to specific company data by the • Has full access to company information Company Official • Manages and approves account requests from other • Not responsible for managing other users' Portal accounts company employees looking to access company data • Must wait to register until the Portal Company Official has registered the company in the Portal The Portal is designed to allow one Company Official • Portal account requests must be approved by the Portal for each U.S. DOT Number. For more information on Company Official how companies can manage their users, visit the FMCSA Portal User Help.

If you are the Company Official for your organization, view the information below for step-by-step instructions to register for a Portal account as a Company Official. If you do not intend to serve as the Portal Company Official for a U.S. DOT Number, you will register as a Company User. View the <u>Portal Registration: Company User Job Aid</u> for instructions.

How to Request an FMCSA Portal Account



Start the Registration Process

Go to https://portal.fmcsa.dot.gov and select "To register for a portal account, please click here."

Login to Access the FMCSA Portal

To ensure your Login.gov account is correctly linked to your Portal user roles, use your Portal e-mail address when you create your Login.gov account.

Sign in with Login.gov

Are you a DOT employee or contractor that has a PIV card? Use the link below to login with MyAccess.

Launch MyAccess

To register for a portal account, please click here.

To access portal training, please click here.

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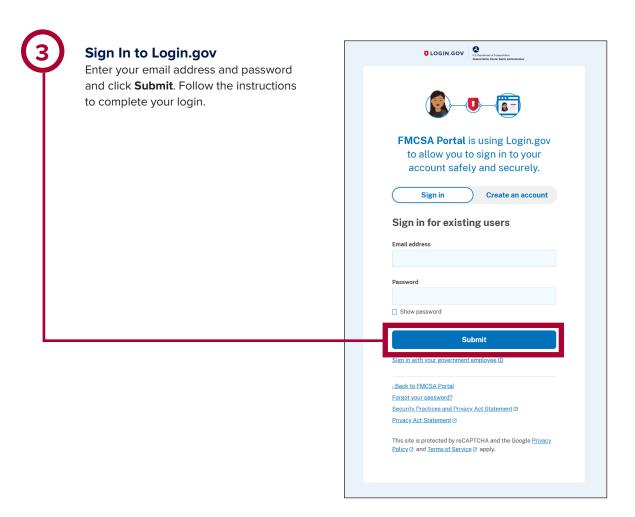
Sign In to the Portal

Select Sign in with Login.gov.

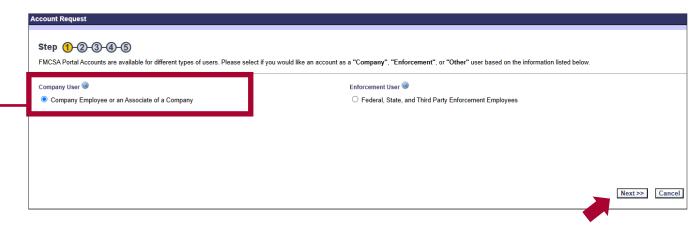
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To request a portal account please authenticate with Login.gov. If you have a DOT email, please authenticate with MyAccess.

Sign in with Login.gov Launch MyAccess



Select Account Type
Select Company User and click Next to continue.

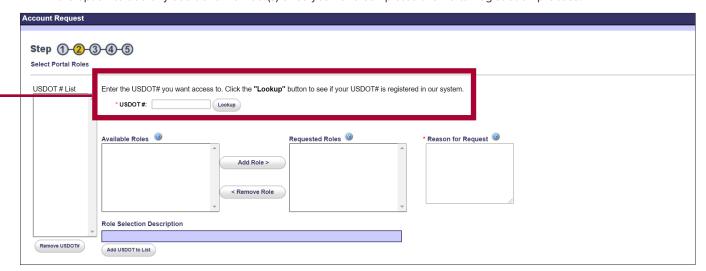






Look Up U.S. DOT Number

Enter your U.S. DOT Number and click **Lookup** to verify whether the U.S. DOT Number is registered. You will have the option to add any additional number(s) once you have completed the Portal registration process.



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Currently there is not a Company Official registered in the FMCSA
Portal for the entered USDOT # A Company Official is an
individual who represents a company with a USDOT# registered with
FMCSA, and is responsible for administering access to the company's
sensitive information in the FMCSA Portal or other FMCSA Systems
for the specific USDOT#. Please contact the person expected to be
the Company Official for the USDOT # for which you are applying for
acces and ask them to register with the FMCSA Portal. Once the
Company Official has registered in the FMCSA Portal, you may

Confirm Company Official Role

If this is the first Portal account associated with this U.S. DOT Number, you will see a message indicating that no Company Official has yet registered for the entered U.S. DOT Number. Click **OK** to close the pop-up message and continue with the registration process.

What if there is already a Company Official?

If there is already a registered Company Official for the entered U.S. DOT Number, their name will be displayed on the screen. If there is an issue with the listed Company Official for your U.S. DOT Number, contact FMCSA's Information Line for assistance by visiting https://clearinghouse.fmcsa.dot.gov/Contact.





To request access to the Portal as the Company Official, enter your FMCSA-issued PIN associated with the U.S. DOT Number and click **Validate PIN**.

Your PIN was provided to your company with your U.S. DOT registration. If you do not know your PIN, check with your company's Safety Manager. Your company can also <u>request the PIN online</u>, if needed.

Add Portal Company Official Role

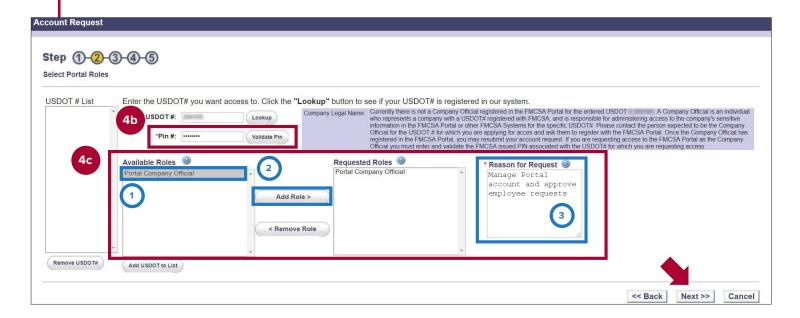
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1) Select **Portal Company Official** from the Available Roles list.

Click **Add Role**. This will move the role into the Requested Roles box.

Enter the tasks you will complete in the Portal under **Reason for Request**, such as "Manage Portal account and approve employee requests."

When you are ready, click Next.



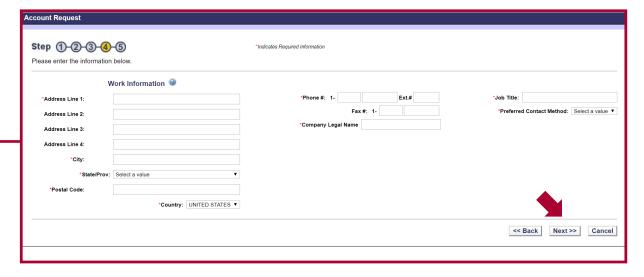
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Enter your first and last name (middle name is optional). The Portal will automatically use the email address from your Login.gov account as your User ID; you will not be able to edit this field. When you are done, click **Next**.



Enter Work Information
Enter your work information, and click Next.

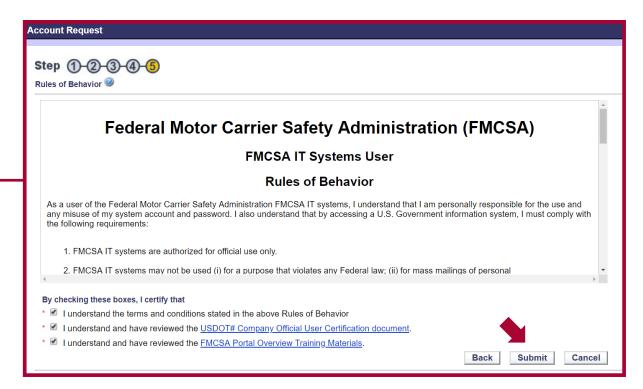


REGISTER FOR AN FMCSA PORTAL ACCOUNT: COMPANY OFFICIAL



Submit Portal Account Request

Read the Rules of Behavior, check the three boxes at the bottom of the page to certify your understanding of the rules, and click **Submit**.



Your Portal account has been created. Add your Clearinghouse user role.

As the Company Official, you will have immediate access to your Portal account. You will now need to add the appropriate Clearinghouse user role for each U.S. DOT Number associated with your account.



In order to connect your Portal account to your Clearinghouse account, you must assign yourself the appropriate Clearinghouse user role within the FMCSA Portal.

Your Portal Clearinghouse user role determines what permissions you will have in the Clearinghouse. View the Requesting a Clearinghouse User Role Job Aid for instructions to complete this process. Once you add your user role(s), you can register for a Clearinghouse account.

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Go to https://portal.fmcsa.dot.gov and select "To register for a portal account, please click here:"

Login to Access the FMCSA Portal

To ensure your Login.gov account is correctly linked to your Portal user roles, use your Portal e-mail address when you create your Login.gov account.

Sign in with Login.gov

Are you a DOT employee or contractor that has a PIV card? Use the link below to login with MyAccess.

Launch MyAccess

To register for a portal account, please click here.

To access portal training, please click here.

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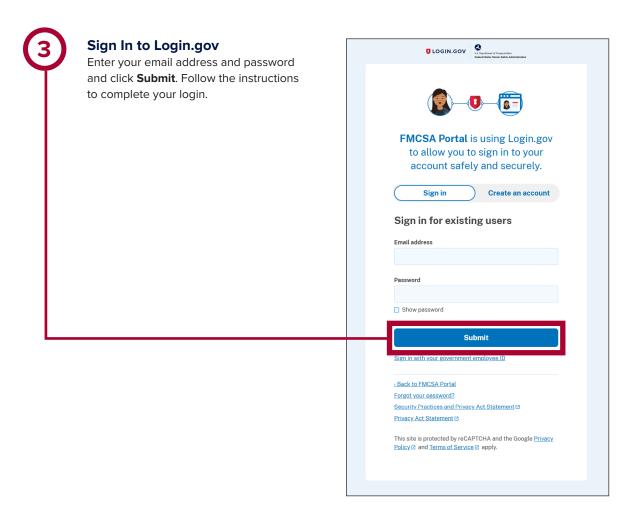
Sign In to the Portal

Select Sign in with Login.gov.

Registration

To request a portal account please authenticate with Login.gov. If you have a DOT email, please authenticate with MyAccess.

Sign in with Login.gov Launch MyAccess FOR EMPLOYERS



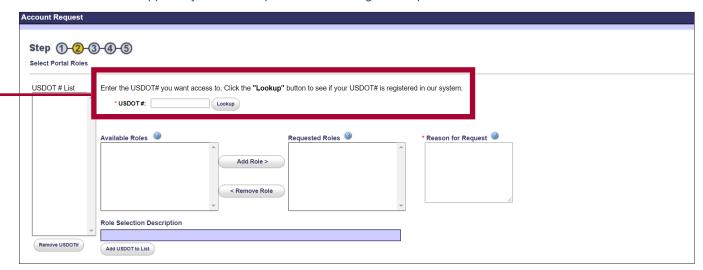
Select Account Type
Select Company User and click Next to continue.





4a Look Up U.S. DOT Number

Enter your U.S. DOT Number and click **Lookup** to verify whether the U.S. DOT Number is registered. You will add any additional number(s) once you have completed the Portal registration process.



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Currently there is not a Company Official registered in the FMCSA

Portal for the entered USDOT # A Company Official is an individual who represents a company with a USDOT# registered with FMCSA, and is responsible for administering access to the company's sensitive information in the FMCSA Portal or other FMCSA Systems for the specific USDOT#. Please contact the person expected to be the Company Official for the USDOT # for which you are applying for access and ask them to register with the FMCSA Portal. Once the Company Official has registered in the FMCSA Portal, you may

What if there is no Company Official?

If this is the first Portal account associated with your U.S. DOT Number, you will see a pop-up message indicating that no Company Official has yet registered for the entered U.S. DOT Number.

If you are not the Company Official, you should contact the person authorized to be the Company Official for this U.S. DOT Number and ask him or her to register with the FMCSA Portal. Once the Company Official has registered in the Portal, you may resubmit your account request and continue the Portal registration process.

Confirm Company Official

If there is already a registered Company Official for the entered U.S. DOT Number, his or her name will be displayed on the screen. If there is an issue with the listed Company Official for your U.S. DOT Number, contact FMCSA's Information Line for assistance by visiting https://clearinghouse.fmcsa.dot.gov/Contact.

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Add Clearinghouse User Role

Choose the appropriate Clearinghouse user role to add to your account. You can also request any additional available roles for the selected U.S. DOT Number.

Select either **DACH Motor Carrier** or **DACH Motor Carrier Admin** from the Available Roles list.

Click **Add Role**. This will move the selected role into the Requested Roles box. Your role request will appear as "Pending" until it is approved by your organization's Company Official.

Enter the tasks you will complete in the Clearinghouse under **Reason for Request**, such as "Query Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse."



Repeat this process for any additional roles you want to add to your U.S. DOT Number. When you are finished, click **Next**.

Not sure which Clearinghouse user role you should request?

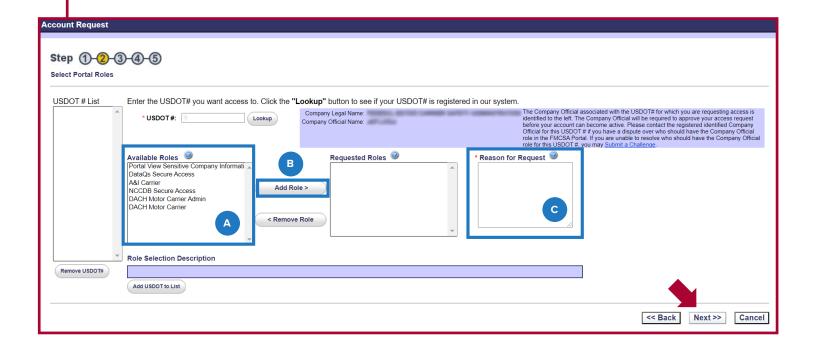
Select the role with the permissions you will need.

DACH Motor Carrier

- · Clearinghouse Assistant
- Able to report violations, purchase/ conduct queries, and report return-toduty (RTD) information

DACH Motor Carrier Admin

- · Clearinghouse Administrator
- All permissions of DACH Motor Carrier, plus designate a consortium/third party administrator (C/TPA) and indicate whether or not motor carrier is an owner-operator





Enter Personal Information

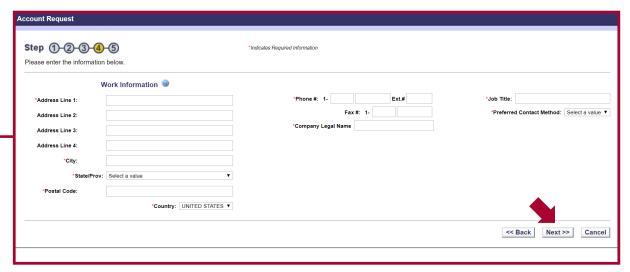
Enter your first and last name (middle name is optional). The Portal will automatically use the email address from your Login.gov account as your User ID; you will not be able to edit this field. When you are done, click **Next**.





Enter Work Information

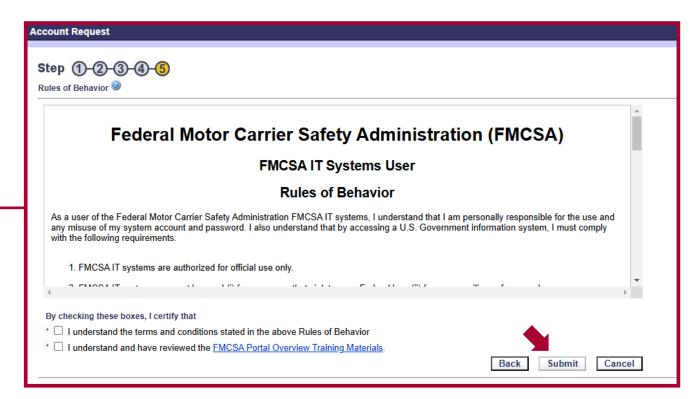
Enter your work information, and click Next.





Submit Portal Account Request

Read the Rules of Behavior, check the two boxes at the bottom of the page to certify your understanding of the rules, and click **Submit**.



Your Portal account has been requested and is awaiting approval.

The Portal Company Official for your organization will be notified of your request and must approve your U.S. DOT Number and requested Clearinghouse user role in the Portal. This will update the status of your Clearinghouse user role request from "Pending" to "Approved." Once your request has been approved, you will have access to specific company data and can register for a Clearinghouse account. View the Registration: Employers with Portal Accounts Job Aid for instructions. If you are already registered in the Clearinghouse as an employer without a Portal account, you can link your existing Clearinghouse account to your Portal account by logging in, navigating to My Dashboard > My Employer Profile, and selecting "Add U.S. DOT#."

Note: If you are unable to receive approval from the listed Portal Company Official for your organization, contact FMCSA's Information Line for assistance by visiting https://clearinghouse.fmcsa.dot.gov/Contact.

CLEARINGHOUSE



REGISTRATION: EMPLOYERS WITH PORTAL ACCOUNTS

Before you can conduct queries or report drug and alcohol program violations in the FMCSA Commercial Driver's License Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse, you must complete the registration process. Once registered, you can designate a consortium/third-party administrator (C/TPA) to access the Clearinghouse on your behalf.

Designating a C/TPA is a requirement for owner-operators (employers who employ themselves as CDL drivers, typically a single-driver operation). Owner-operators must designate a C/TPA before they can conduct queries or report violation information in the Clearinghouse.

The steps you will take to register as an employer in the Clearinghouse will depend on whether or not you have an FMCSA Portal account. The FMCSA Portal is a web system that allows employees of motor carriers to access FMCSA web systems.



Don't have an
FMCSA Portal account?
See the instructions
for employers without
Portal accounts.

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Employers with FMCSA Portal Accounts

If you are an employer with a U.S. DOT Number, you should have an FMCSA Portal account. The FMCSA Portal is a web system that allows employees of motor carriers to access FMCSA web systems. **If your company has, or should have, a <u>U.S. DOT Number</u>, you should request an <u>FMCSA Portal Account</u> prior to registering for the Clearinghouse.**

Follow these instructions to register for the Clearinghouse and link to your Portal account to associate your Clearinghouse activity with your company.

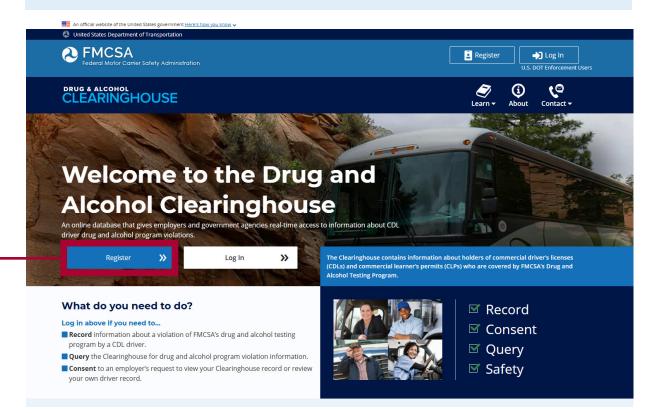
Create a Login.gov Account

Accessing the Clearinghouse requires the creation of an account with Login.gov, a shared service that offers secure online access to participating government systems, including the Clearinghouse. If you do not have a Login.gov account, or would like to create a new one, you will need to follow the steps below.

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Visit https://clearinghouse.fmcsa.dot.gov/ and click Register.

During the Login.gov registration process, after 15 minutes of inactivity, the current page will clear whatever information is entered into data fields.





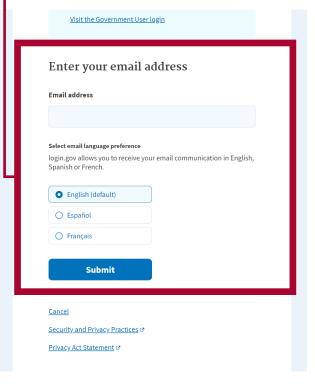
On the Login.gov sign in screen, click Create an account.

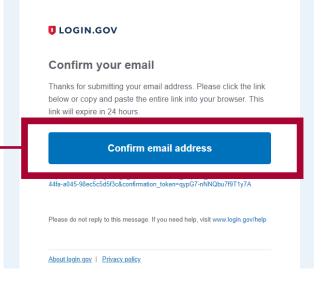
Or, if you already have a Login.gov account, enter your credentials on this screen, click

Submit and go to step 9.

U LOGIN.GOV CLEARINGHOUSE The FMCSA Drug & Alcohol Clearinghouse is using Login.gov to allow you to sign in to your account safely and securely. Sign in Create an account Sign in for existing users Are you FMCSA personnel? U.S. DOT users do not need to create a Login.gov account to access the Clearinghouse. Launch MyAccess Email address Show password Submit Back to The FMCSA Drug & Alcohol Clearinghouse Forgot your password?

Enter your email address and click **Submit.**This is the email address the Clearinghouse will use to send you notifications about your Clearinghouse account. This email address will also be used to identify you in the Clearinghouse, and cannot be modified.





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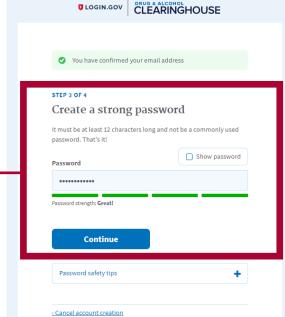
Check your email and open the email from no-reply@login.gov, with the subject line Confirm your email.

Click **Confirm email address**, or copy and paste the link into a web browser.

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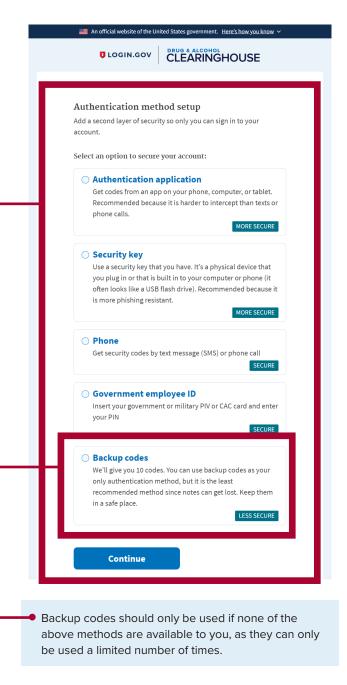


Create a password. This password must be at least 12 characters long. If the password you enter is not strong enough, you will not be able to continue. Enter a strong password and click **Continue**.



Select an option to secure your account and click **Continue**.

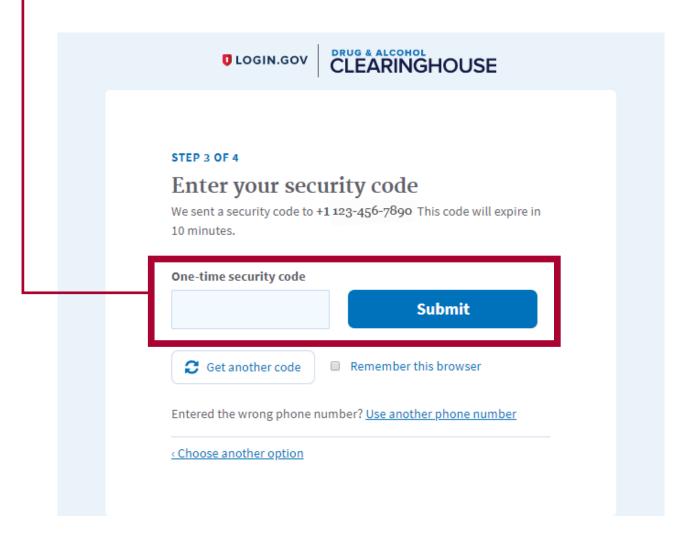
Login.gov requires the completion of a user verification process to ensure the proper person is using those credentials. Follow the instructions for the method you select.







Enter your security code and click **Submit**. This code will be provided via the method you selected. The screenshot below illustrates the SMS phone method.

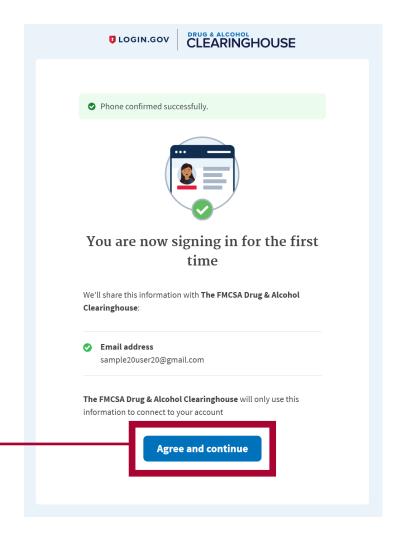


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You have created your Login.gov account. Click **Agree and continue** to return to the Clearinghouse website and complete your Clearinghouse registration.





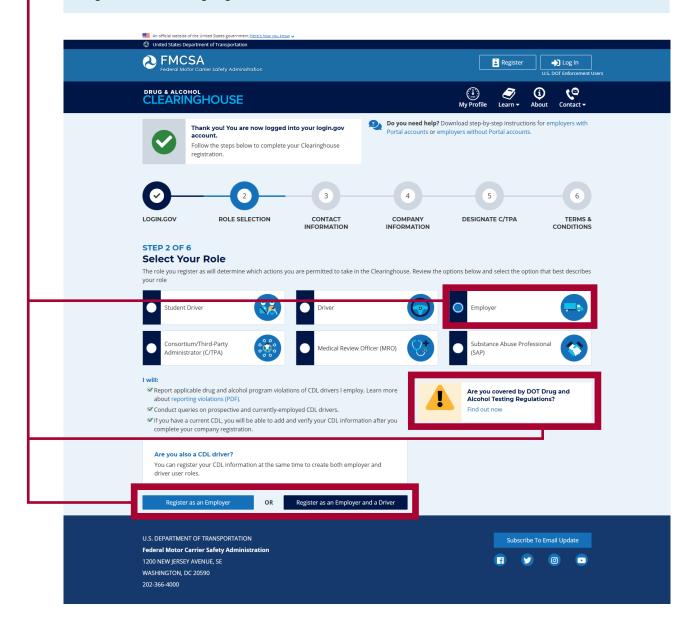
Register for the Clearinghouse

Once you have a Login.gov account, you can complete your registration in the Clearinghouse. Follow the steps below.



Select your role (Employer), and click Register as an Employer or Register as an Employer and a Driver.

If you are unsure if you are covered by the Clearinghouse rule, see the box labeled "Are you covered by DOT Drug and Alcohol Testing Regulations?" and click **Find out now**.





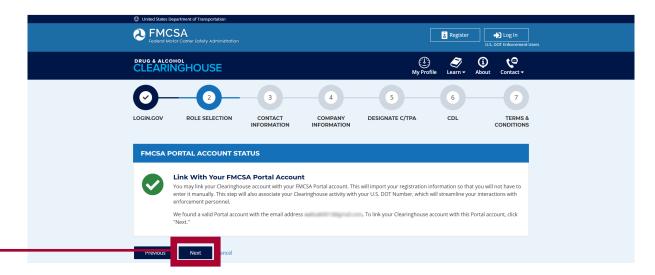
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Select Yes I have an FMCSA Portal Account, and click Next.



You may link your Clearinghouse account with your FMCSA Portal account. This will import your registration information so that you will not have to enter it manually. This step will also associate your Clearinghouse activity with your U.S. DOT Number, which will streamline your interactions with enforcement personnel.

The system will automatically search for an account in the Portal that uses the same email address you use in your Login.gov account. If the system finds your Portal account, you will see a confirmation message. If this is the correct account to link with your Clearinghouse account, click **Next** to continue.



Experiencing Linking Issues

If the Clearinghouse could not link with your Portal account, this screen will display a message indicating why, and provide instructions on how to resolve the issue.

If you do not want to wait for your Portal issue to be resolved, you may complete your Clearinghouse registration without this step and link your Portal account at a later date. To do this, follow the instructions for registering as an employer without a Portal account.

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Review your contact information. You may also add an alternate phone number. Click Next.

If you need to update your personal contact information, you will need to log into your FMCSA Portal account to make any necessary changes. You will not be able to make these changes in the Clearinghouse.

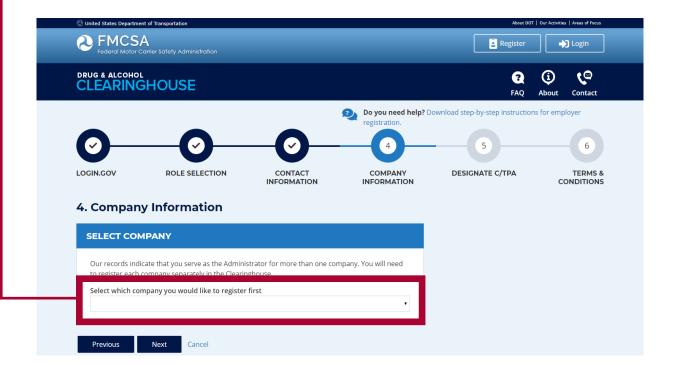
3. Contact Information Questions about your contact information? **CONTACT INFORMATION** Your information has been pulled from the FMCSA Portal and cannot be updated in the Clearinghouse. Contact Information If this information needs to be updated, you will Name: need to log into the FMCSA Portal to make the User change. Phone: Email (Login.gov Username): user@company.com Alternate Email: user@company.net **Add Optional Contact Information** Alternate Phone Number Type Previous Cancel



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If you serve as a Clearinghouse Administrator for more than one company, you will need to register each company separately. Select the company you would like to register first from the dropdown menu and click **Next**. If you are the Administrator for one company only, you will not see this step.

If you do not see all your companies in this dropdown menu, log into your Portal account and ensure that you have the DACH user role approved for each U.S. DOT Number.



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Review your company's information. You will need to indicate whether you are an owner-operator (that is, an employer that employs himself or herself as a CDL driver, typically a single-driver operation). Make a selection and click **Next**.

If your company information needs to be updated, you will need to update your company's registration with FMCSA. You will not be able to make this change in the Clearinghouse.

4. Company Information **Questions about your company** information? **XYZ CORP** Information has been pulled from the USDOT Registration system and cannot be updated in the **Company Information** Clearinghouse. If this information needs to be Name: updated, you will need to update your registration. USDOT #: Company Email: **Address Information Physical Address:** Mailing Address: Are you an owner-operator? You must inform FMCSA if you are an owner-operator. This means that as an employer, you employ yourself as a CDL driver. This is typically a single-driver operation **6**. Yes, I am an owner-operator. No, I am not an owner-operator.

Click "Next" to save this information and proceed. The C/TPA(s) will receive a request to confirm your designation."

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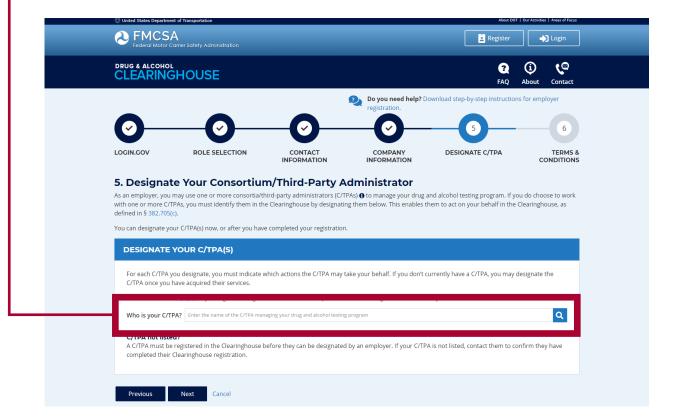
Cancel





If you are working with a consortium/third-party administrator (C/TPA), you will need to designate your C/TPA in the Clearinghouse. This allows your C/TPA to access the Clearinghouse on your behalf. **This step is required of all owner-operators.**

Enter the name of your C/TPA in the field labeled **Who is your C/TPA?** and **click on the search icon**, or hit **Enter**. If you enter enough characters of the C/TPA's name, a list of options will also appear.

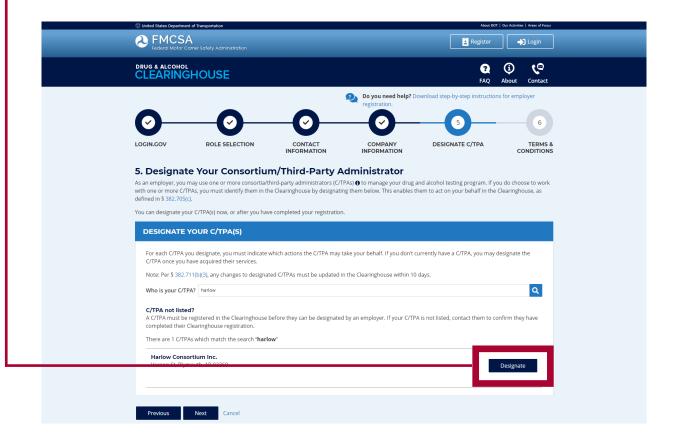






This will generate a list of registered C/TPAs that match your search terms. Locate your C/TPA in the list and click **Designate** on the appropriate line.

A C/TPA must be registered in the Clearinghouse before you can designate them. If you do not see your C/TPA in your search results, contact them to confirm they have completed their Clearinghouse registration.



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For each C/TPA you designate, you will be prompted to authorize them to perform specific functions on your behalf. The functions available for selection are: **Report Violations**, **Report RTD Information**, and **Conduct Queries**. Once you have finished designating C/TPA(s) and authorizing them to perform these functions, click **Next**. This will send a request to the C/TPA(s) to confirm your designation.

Note to owner-operators: You must authorize at least one C/TPA to report violations and at least one C/TPA to report negative return-to-duty (RTD) information, including negative RTD test results and successful completion of RTD follow-up plans. You may authorize one C/TPA to fulfill both these functions. You may also authorize C/TPAs to conduct queries, however this action is not required to be performed by a C/TPA.

5. Designate Your Consortium/Third-Party Administrator As an employer, you may use one or more consortia/third-party administrators (C/TPAs) 🚯 to manage your drug and alcohol testing program. If you do choose to work with one or more C/TPAs, you must identify them in the Clearinghouse by designating them below. This enables them to act on your behalf in the Clearinghouse, as defined in § 382.705(c). You can designate your C/TPA(s) now, or after you have completed your registration. **DESIGNATE YOUR C/TPA(S)** For each C/TPA you designate, you must indicate which actions the C/TPA may take your behalf. If you don't currently have a C/TPA, you may designate the C/TPA once you have acquired their services. Note: Per § 382.711(b)(3), any changes to designated C/TPAs must be updated in the Clearinghouse within 10 days. Q Who is your C/TPA? Enter the name of the C/TPA managing your drug and alcohol testing program C/TPA not listed? A C/TPA must be registered in the Clearinghouse before they can be designated by an employer. If your C/TPA is not listed, contact them to confirm they have completed their Clearinghouse registration. Designated C/TPA(s) C/TPA Report Violations Report RTD Information 6 **Conduct Oueries** XYZ Corp **~** Harlow Consortium Inc.





If you chose to register as an employer and a driver, you have the option to add your commercial driver's license (CDL) or commercial learner's permit (CLP) information to your Clearinghouse account during the registration process. This information is required to view your Clearinghouse record and respond to consent requests.

Enter your current CDL information and click Verify.

If the CDL number has special characters (such as spaces or hyphens), try entering the number with or without those characters, as requirements vary by State.



You will receive a confirmation message that your CDL information has been verified successfully. Click Next. If the Clearinghouse is not able to verify your CDL information, you can continue with registration and add your CDL information later.



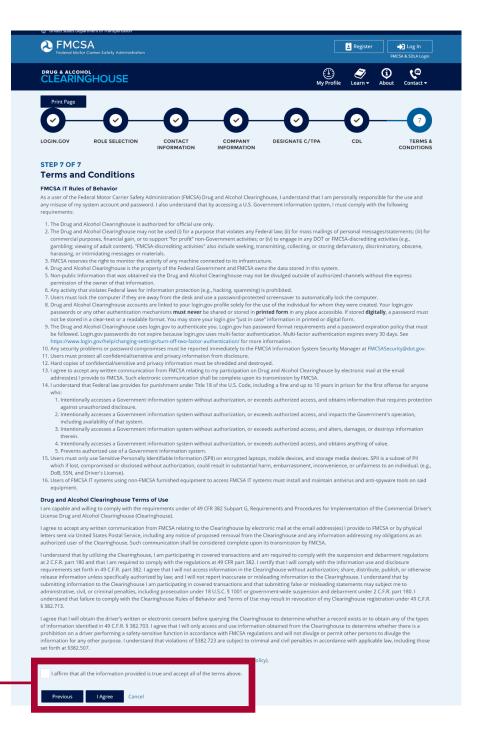
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Review the
Clearinghouse terms
and conditions. Check
the box to affirm that
the information you
provided throughout
the registration process
is true and that you
agree to the terms
and conditions and click
I Agree.

Note that the Clearinghouse terms and conditions may be updated on occasion.



Your Clearinghouse registration is complete.

You will be directed to your Dashboard, a logged-in homepage for your Clearinghouse activity. This is where you will come to designate C/TPAs, invite and manage Clearinghouse Assistants, report drug and alcohol program violations, conduct queries, and purchase query plans.



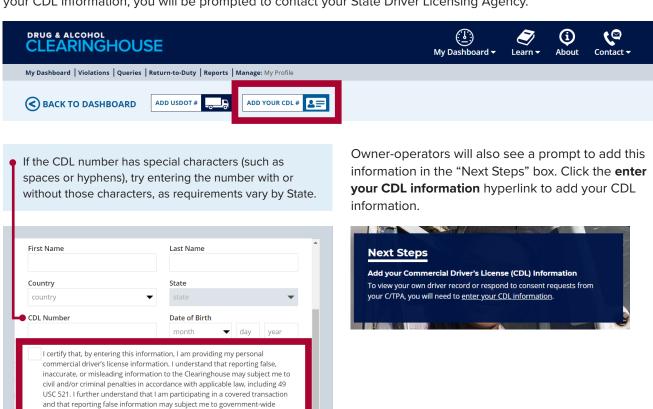
Adding or Updating Your CDL Information

If you have a commercial driver's license (CDL) or commercial learner's permit (CLP), you have the option to add your CDL or CLP information to your profile. This will allow you to view your Clearinghouse record and respond to consent requests.

To add or make updates to your CDL information after registering for your Clearinghouse account, under **My Dashboard**, go to **Manage**, and click **My Employer Profile**.



Click the **ADD YOUR CDL** # button. This will pop up the screen below. Enter your CDL information, **check the box** to affirm that the information you provided is true, and click **Verify CDL**. If the Clearinghouse is not able to verify your CDL information, you will be prompted to contact your State Driver Licensing Agency.



Verify CDL

suspension or debarment under 2 C.F.R. Part 180.