

# Georgia CDL Training Providers

For Georgia CDL schools, academies, colleges, and in-house trainers listed on the FMCSA Training Provider Registry (TPR).

## Requirements

### Determine if DDS school rules apply:

If you provide CDL driving instruction to 10+ people per calendar year in Georgia, you may be considered a Georgia DDS Commercial Driver Training School and must comply with DDS school requirements.

### DDS Instructor Licensing:

Use DDS-licensed instructors for classroom and BTW instruction and keep instructor credentials on file.

### Facilities

Have a range that allows drivers to practice all required maneuvers. maintain a continuous \$2,500 surety bond.

### Curriculum

Use an FMCSA ELDT curriculum (theory/range/road) and provide required human trafficking training for each student.

### Vehicles

Your training vehicles must be safe, legal, and match the same class/type of CDL the student plans to test for. They must meet DDS requirements and maintain required insurance.

### Instructors

Your instructors must hold the correct CDL/endorsements and have 2+ years CMV experience. Georgia DDS-regulated schools must also use DDS-certified instructors for that school. Some exceptions apply.

## During Training

### Before Starting

Drivers License  
Learner's Permit  
Drug Screen  
Motor Vehicle Record  
Medical Card

### Theory

1. Basic Operation (1.0-1.7B)
2. Safe Operating Procedures (2.1-2.7)
3. Advanced Operating Practices (3.1-3.3)
4. Vehicle Systems and Reporting Malfunctions (4.1-4.3)
5. Non-Driving Activities (5.0-5.9)

Additional: Human trafficking training

### Road

A3.1 Vehicle Controls  
A3.2 Shifting/Transmission  
A3.3 Communications/Signaling  
A3.4 Visual Search  
A3.5 Speed & Space Management  
A3.6 Safe Driver Behavior

A3.8 Hazard Perception  
A3.9 Railroad Grade Crossing  
A3.10 Night Operation  
A3.11 Extreme Conditions  
A3.12 Skid Control/Recovery

### Range

A2.2 Straight Back  
A2.3 Alley Dock  
A2.4 Offset Right/Left  
A2.5/6 Parallel Blind/Sight  
A2.7 Coupling/Uncoupling

# Software Built for Georgia CDL Training Providers



## Full Compliance

### Enrollment Agreement Requirements

- In Writing
- Signed
- Includes Itemized Costs
- Payment Terms
- Refund Policy
- Students must be provided a copy

### Required Catalog & Disclosure Language

- Admissions
- Tuition/Fees
- Attendance Policy
- Cancellations/Refunds
- Grievance Policy

### Student Recordkeeping

- Attendance
- Progress
- Completion
- Payments
- Easily Accessible

### Documentation Readiness

- Training Logs
- Attendance
- Completion Status
- Student Documents

## Simple Workflow

CDL PowerSuite gives your team a clear and consistent workflow to stay compliant with state and federal requirements—so your documentation is organized, audit-ready, and instantly accessible when you need it.



Documented  
enrollment process



Documented Training  
Records



Easily Accessible  
records



100% Compliant  
Training Program



\*Federal ELDT rules still apply; this page highlights Alabama-specific pain points.\*

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