

## 0410.08 Physical Examination Requirements

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### PURPOSE

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To ensure that drivers of commercial motor vehicles on state business are qualified medically or have obtained the proper waiver.

### APPLICATION

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State of Michigan employees who drive commercial motor vehicles.

### CONTACT AGENCY

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Michigan State Police (MSP)  
Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division (CVED)

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### SUMMARY

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All state of Michigan employees who drive commercial motor vehicles must have a physical examination as required by the Michigan Motor Carrier Safety Act, P.A. 181 of 1963 adoption of the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations, Sections 391.41-45.

### APPLICABLE FORMS

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DOT Medical Forms (see below)  
MC-027 Application Intrastate Medical Waiver  
MC-028 Physician's Statement of Examination  
MC-029 Vision Specialist Statement of Examination  
MC-030 Renewal Application Intrastate Medical Waiver

### PROCEDURES

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- The driver of a commercial motor vehicle goes to a medical examiner familiar with the regulations and gets a physical examination.
- The medical examiner that completes the "medical examination report for commercial driver fitness determination" (DOT medical forms) should have copies of the form on hand.

- DOT Medical forms can be obtained by contacting:
  - [Michigan Trucking Association](http://www.mitrucking.org/) (http://www.mitrucking.org/) or 517-321-1951.
  - [Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration](https://www.fmcsa.dot.gov/) (https://www.fmcsa.dot.gov/).
- If the employee fails the physical, the employing agency may make joint application with the employee for a medical waiver. Contact CVED for information and a waiver packet at 517-241-0542.

### **General Information**

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- Commercial Motor Vehicle means:
  - Any self-propelled or towed vehicle used on public highways to transport passengers or property, if the vehicle has one or more of the following:
    - A gross vehicle weight rating or gross combination weight rating or an actual gross vehicle weight or gross combination weight of 10,001 pounds or more, whichever is greater.
    - Is designed or used to transport more than eight (8) passengers (including the driver) for compensation.
    - Is designed or used to transport more than 15 passengers (including the driver) and is not used to transport passengers for compensation.
    - Is used in the transportation of hazardous materials in a quantity that requires the vehicle to be marked or placarded.

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