



Credential Tip Sheet: CIP Code 47.0603 **Collision Repair Technician (ASE Certified)**

Career Cluster: Transportation, Distribution & Logistics

Credential

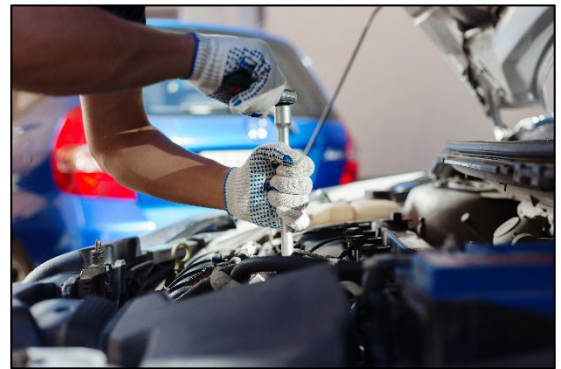
Collision-Related Mechanical Repair, Unitized Body Structural Repair

Credentialing Agency

Michigan Department of State
430 West Allegan Street
Richard H. Austin Building – 4th Floor
Lansing, Michigan 48918
<https://www.michigan.gov/sos>

Contact

Michigan Secretary of State
Office: 888-757-6424
<https://mdosupport.happyfox.com/new/>



Credential Information

Students must first pass a test for each repair category in which they want certification. Until students have passed the appropriate tests, they cannot apply for certification. A certification application will be included with the results letter if a student successfully passed their test.

Students must be certified as a mechanic in Michigan if they repair motor vehicles for compensation, including the reconditioning, replacement, diagnosis, adjustment, or alteration of the operating condition of the vehicle, or any component or sub-assembly in any category of major repair. If students perform major repairs and are not certified, they must get a mechanic trainee permit for those repair categories in which they work.

For more information on becoming a certified mechanic, visit [Information for Mechanics](#) on the Michigan Department of State website.

Exam Information

Motor vehicle mechanic tests are available at Secretary of State offices throughout the state. Students will be required to pre-register prior to taking a test. Tests are offered on a first-come, first-serve basis. Tests are not available within one hour of closing.

State mechanic tests are offered electronically at a kiosk with a touch screen or on paper. Which format is available to students will depend on which Secretary of State office they are visiting.

Exam content information can be found [here](#).

Exam Accommodations

The Office of Investigative Services offers Special Need Testing for those individuals who have reading or language barriers. Those individuals who do not read or comprehend well, and those having a limited understanding of the English language may have a translator read the test to them. Mechanic translator testing is offered by appointment only after the following form is successfully processed and approved.

Email the completed [Mechanic Test Translator Agreement \(AR-0197\)](#) form to licensing@michigan.gov.



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