How to Request a Clearinghouse User Role in the Portal



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STEP 1

Visit https://portal. fmcsa.dot.gov/ login and enter your username and password to log into the FMCSA Portal.

STEP 2

Under Account Management, select **My Profile**. Select the **Portal Roles/ USDOT#** tab.

STEP 3

In the USDOT# List, select the USDOT Number you want to link with your Clearinghouse account.

STEP 4

Under Available Roles, select the Clearinghouse user role with the permissions you will need* and click Add Role to add it to your Requested Roles.

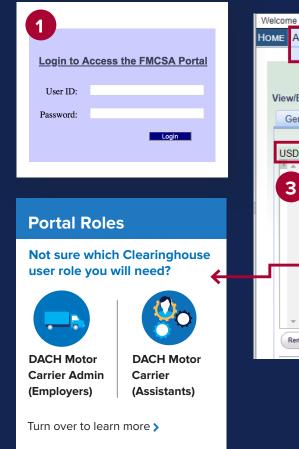
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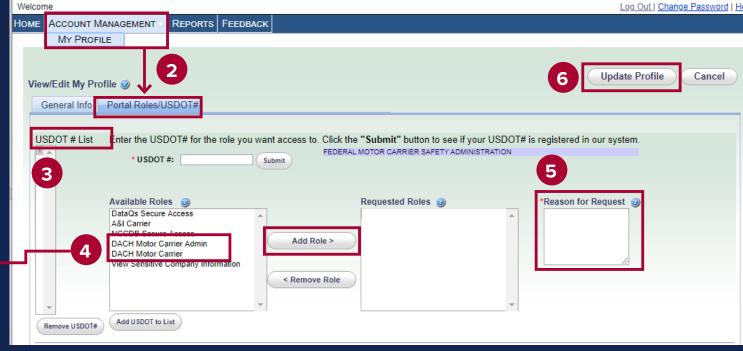
STEP 6

Under "Reason for Request" enter the reason you need this user role. (For example: "Enter drug and alcohol program violation information and query driver records.")

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Click **Update Profile**. This will send a request to your organization coordinator (OC) who will need to approve the role. Once it is approved, it will be listed under Requested Roles with the "Approved" status.





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What is 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 USDOT Number, you should have an FMCSA Portal account. If you do not already have one, you should register for a Portal account prior to registering for the Clearinghouse.

How will my Portal account be associated with my Clearinghouse account?

During your Clearinghouse registration, you will be prompted to link your Portal account with your Clearinghouse account. This will associate your Clearinghouse activity with your company's USDOT Number.

How you set up your Portal account also determines how you will use the Clearinghouse, as your Portal user role determines what your permissions in the Clearinghouse will be. For more information on the Clearinghouse user roles, see the chart at right.

Not sure which Clearinghouse user role you should request?

Select the role with the permissions you will need.



DACH MOTOR CARRIER ADMIN (EMPLOYERS)

Clearinghouse Administrators are able to:

- REPORT driver drug and alcohol program violation information.
- REPORT driver negative return-to-duty tests and completion dates of follow-up testing.
- QUERY the Clearinghouse, with driver consent, for drug and alcohol program violation information in a driver's Clearinghouse record.
- DESIGNATE a consortium/third-party administrator (C/TPA) to complete required actions on the employer's behalf.
- INDICATE whether or not a motor carrier is an owner-operator.



DACH MOTOR CARRIER (EMPLOYER ASSISTANTS)

Clearinghouse Assistants are able to:

- REPORT driver drug and alcohol program violation information.
- REPORT driver negative return-to-duty tests and completion dates of follow-up testing.
- QUERY the Clearinghouse, with driver consent, for drug and alcohol program violation information in a driver's Clearinghouse record.

FMCSA does not require that motor carrier employers subject to the Agency's drug and alcohol use and testing regulations in 49 CFR Part 382 use this sample format to obtain an employee's consent to conduct a limited query of the Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse. Employers may, however, use or adapt the content as they see fit.

Sample Format: General Consent for Limited Queries of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse

I, (Driver Name), hereby provide consent to (Company Name) to conduct a limited query of the FMCSA Commercial Driver's License Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse (Clearinghouse) to determine whether drug or alcohol violation information about me exists in the Clearinghouse. [Employers and employees may also wish to include the terms of the consent. For example, is the driver consenting to a single limited query or multiple limited queries? If the driver consents to multiple limited queries, will those queries be conducted over a fixed period of time or for the duration of employment? Is the number of limited queries specific or unlimited? The scope of this consent would be determined by the employer and the employee.].

I understand that if the limited query conducted by (Company Name) indicates that drug or alcohol violation information about me exists in the Clearinghouse, FMCSA will not disclose that information to (Company Name) without first obtaining additional specific consent from me.

I further understand that if I refuse to provide consent for (Company Name) to conduct a limited query of the Clearinghouse, (Company Name) must prohibit me from performing safety-sensitive functions, including driving a commercial motor vehicle, as required by FMCSA's drug and alcohol program regulations.

Employee Signature	Date

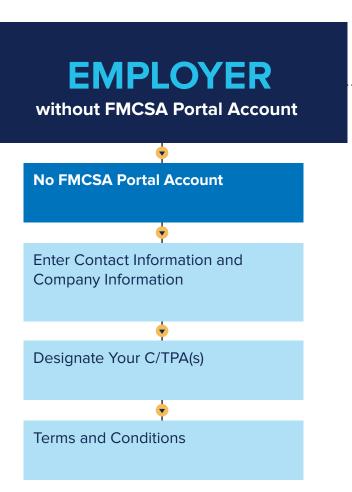


REGISTRATION: EMPLOYERS WITHOUT PORTAL ACCOUNTS

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.

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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.



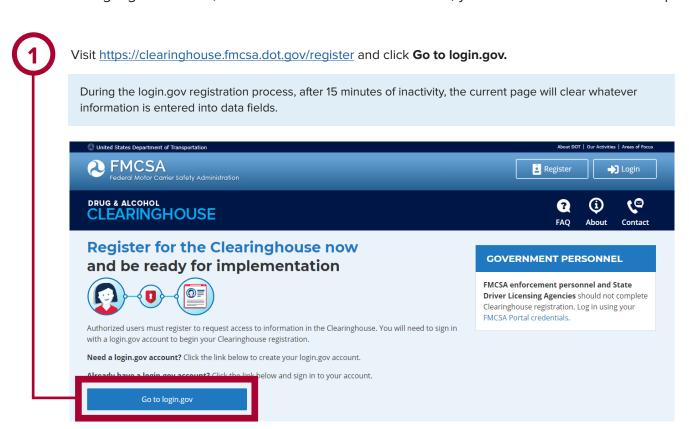
Employers without FMCSA Portal Accounts

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

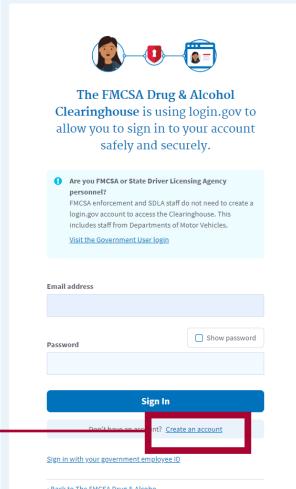
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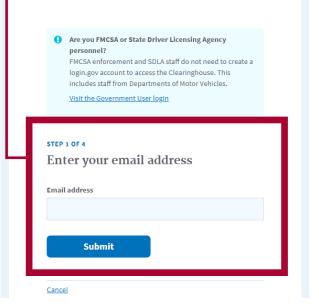


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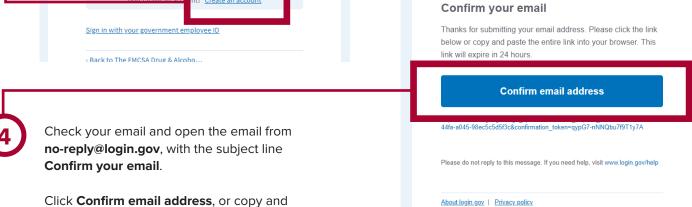
Or, if you already have a login.gov account, enter your credentials on this screen, click Sign In and go to step 10.



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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paste the link into a web browser.

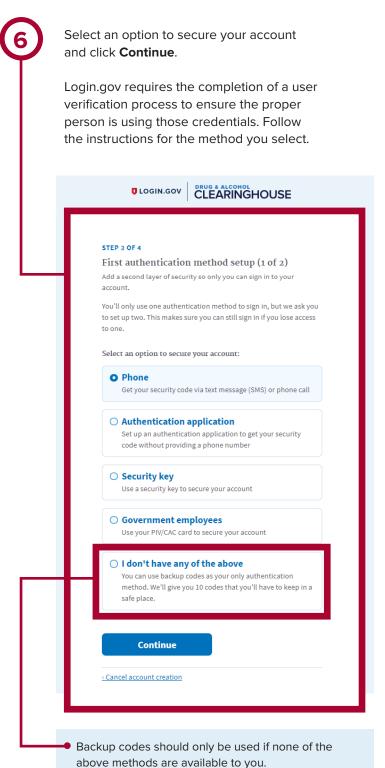


Create a password. This password must be at least 12 characters long. If the password you enter is not strong enough, you will not be able to continue. Enter a strong password and click Continue. ULOGIN.GOV CLEARINGHOUSE You have confirmed your email address STEP 2 OF 4 Create a strong password It must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

Password safety tips

« Cancel account creation

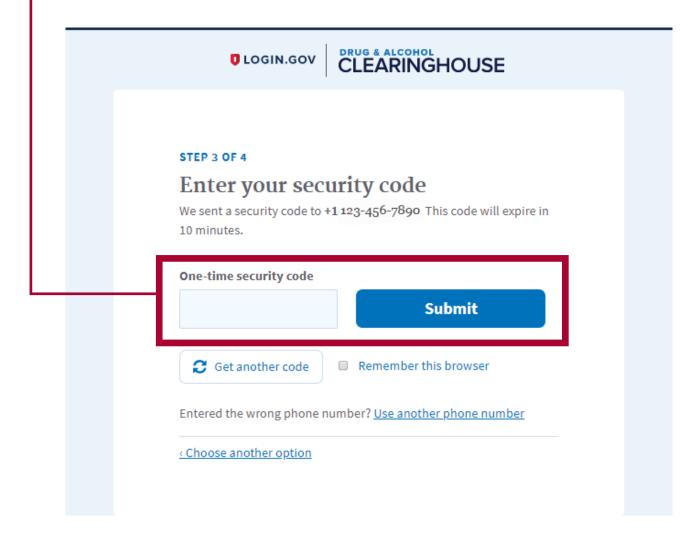
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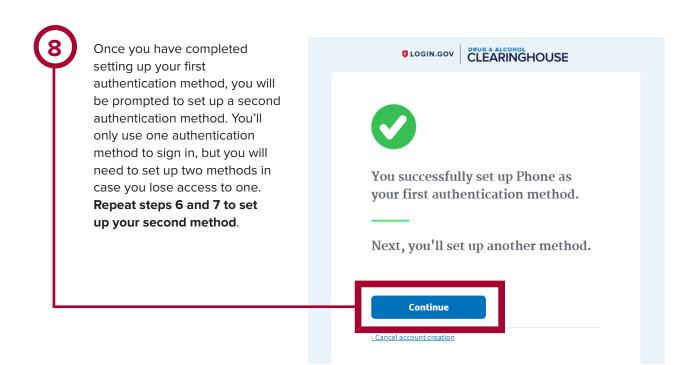
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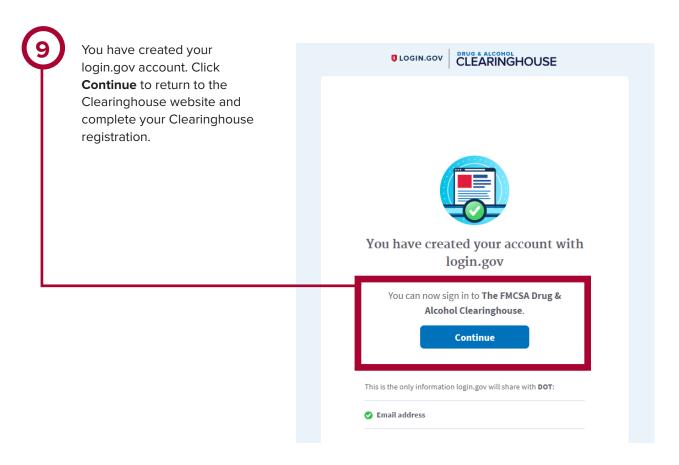


Enter your security code and click Submit. This code will be provided via the method you selected. The screenshot below illustrates the SMS phone method.









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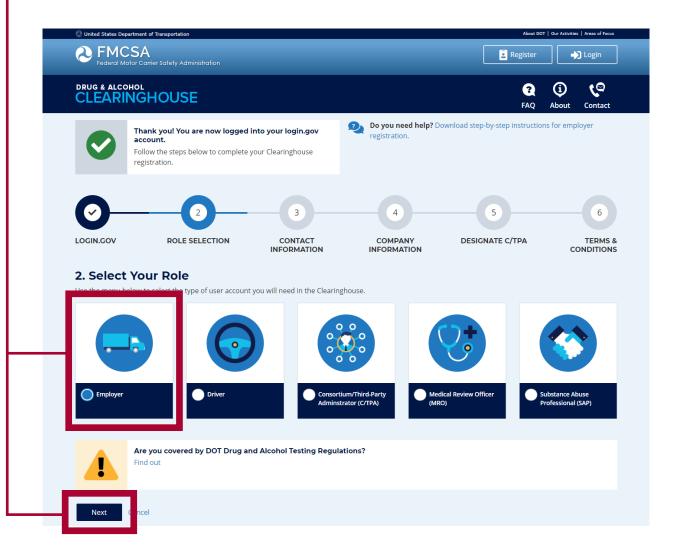
Register for the Clearinghouse

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 Next.

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.





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.

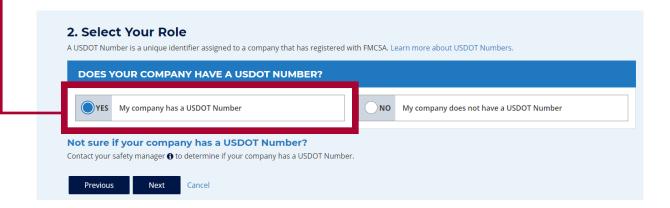
2. Select Your Role Will you manage your employer's users in the Clearinghouse? By completing this registration, you will become your employer's Clearinghouse Administrator. This means you will be able to add or remove users who will use the properties of the propertiesClearinghouse on your employer's behalf. Employers can also invite users who will serve in an Assistant role. If you are not authorized to be your employer's Clearinghouse Administrator, do not complete this registration. Contact your employer's Clearinghouse Administrator and request that he or she send you an invitation to complete your Clearinghouse registration as an Employer Assistant. Are you the Clearinghouse Administrator? Yes, I am my employer's Clearinghouse Administrator. Next

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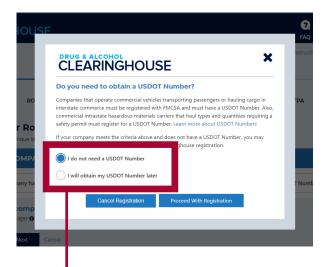
Indicate whether or not your company has a USDOT Number and click Next.

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.



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.

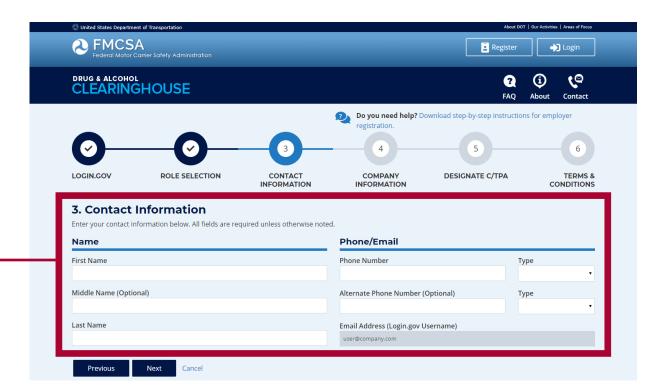
> Select either I do not need a USDOT Number or I will obtain my USDOT Number later and click Proceed With Registration, or you may Cancel **Registration** to re-start your Clearinghouse registration at a later time.



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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.



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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.

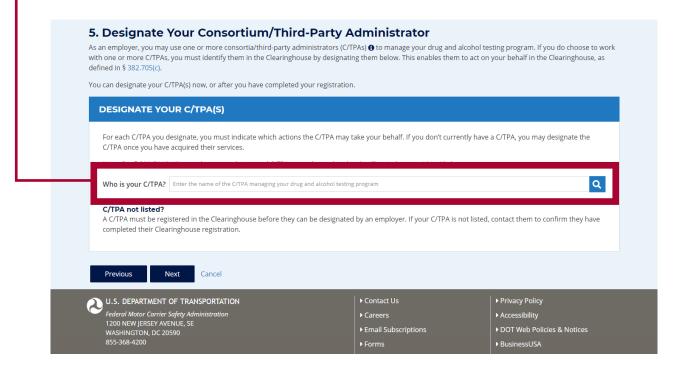






If you are working with a consortium/third-party administrator (C/TPA), you will need to designate your C/TPA in the Clearinghouse. This allows your C/TPA to access the Clearinghouse on your behalf. This step is required of all owner-operators.

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.

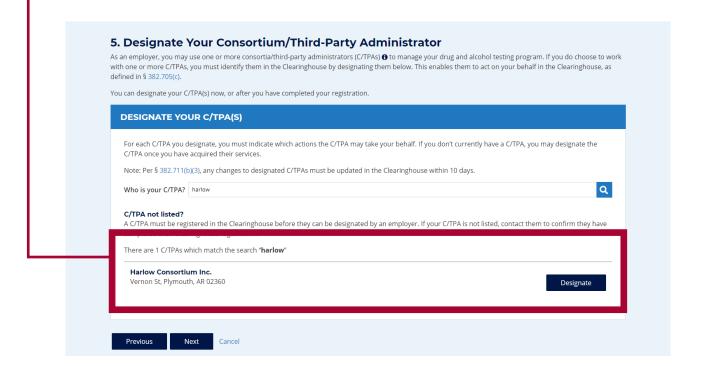






This will generate a list of registered C/TPAs that match your search terms. Locate your C/TPA in the list and click **Designate** on the appropriate line.

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.







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.

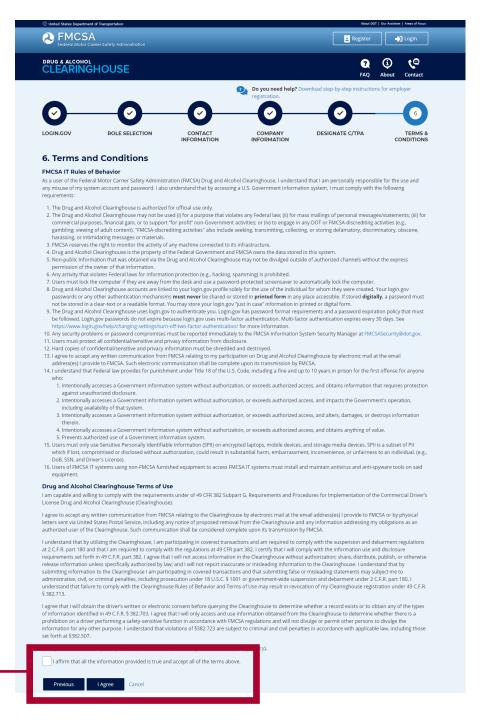
Note to owner-operators: You must authorize at least one C/TPA to report violations and at least one C/TPA to report negative return-to-duty (RTD) information, including negative RTD test results and successful completion of RTD follow-up plans. You may authorize one C/TPA to fulfill both these functions. 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 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) I authorize the Clearinghouse to allow these C/TPA(s) to perform the following functions on my behalf. Report Violations Report RTD Information () **Conduct Queries** C/TPA XYZ Corp **~** Harlow Consortium Inc Previous





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.



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.



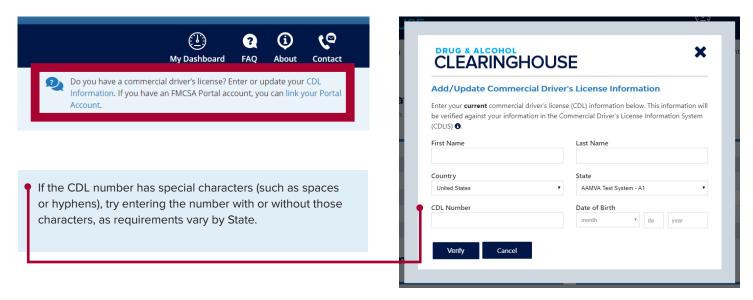
Adding or Updating Your CDL Information

At this point, 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, under My Dashboard, click on My Profile.



Look in the upper right-hand corner of the screen for the text asking "Do you have a commercial driver's license?" Click the CDL information hyperlink. This will pop up the screen below. Enter your CDL information and click Verify. If the Clearinghouse is not able to verify your CDL information, you will be prompted to contact your State Driver Licensing Agency.



Owner-operators will also see a prompt to add this information in the "Next Steps" box. Click the enter your CDL information hyperlink to add your CDL information.



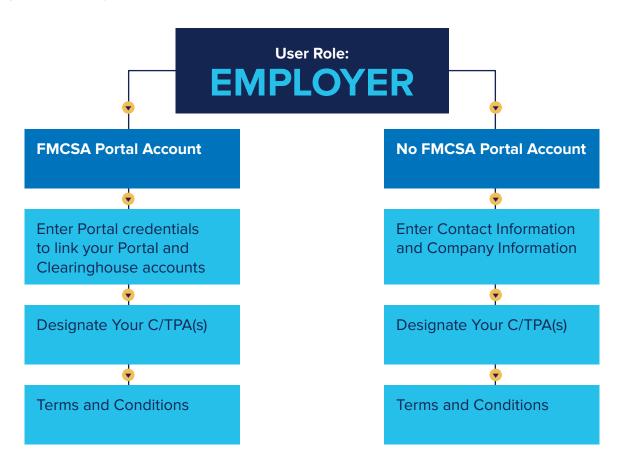


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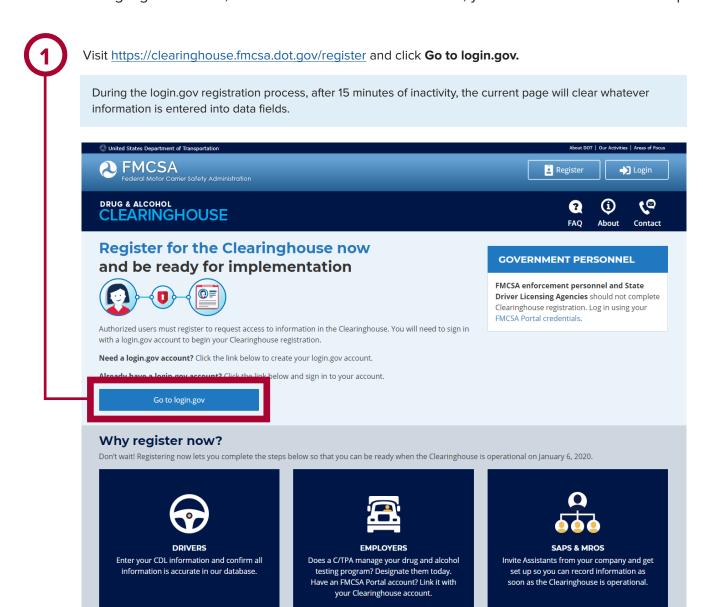
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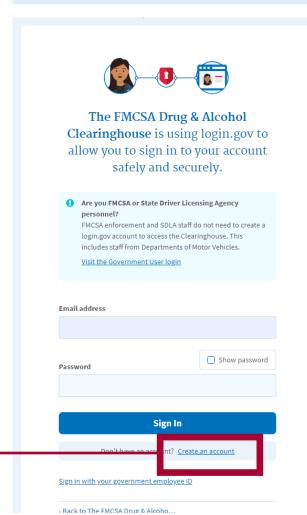




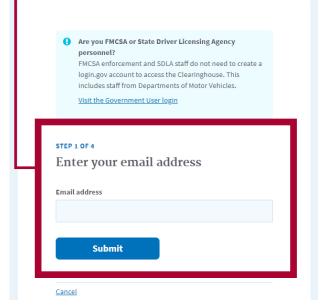
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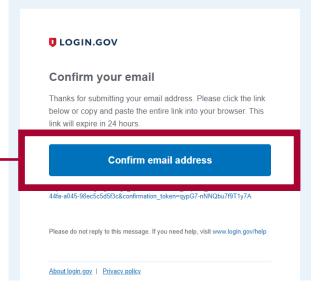


Enter your email address and click **Submit.**This is the email address the Clearinghouse will use to send you notifications about your Clearinghouse account. This email address will also be used to identify you in the Clearinghouse, and cannot be modified.



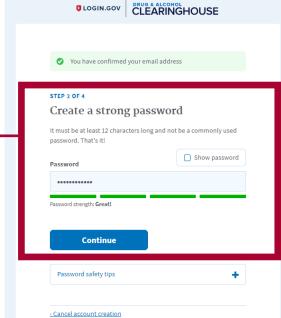


Click **Confirm email address**, or copy and paste the link into a web browser.





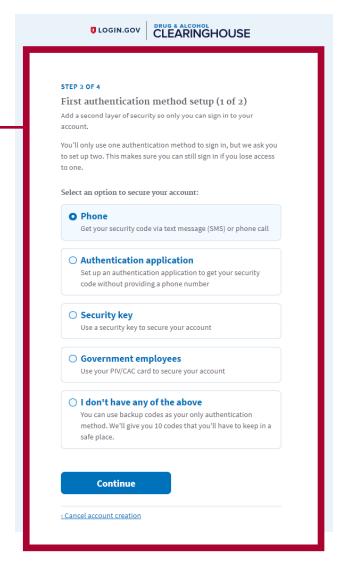
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Select an option to secure your account and click **Continue**.

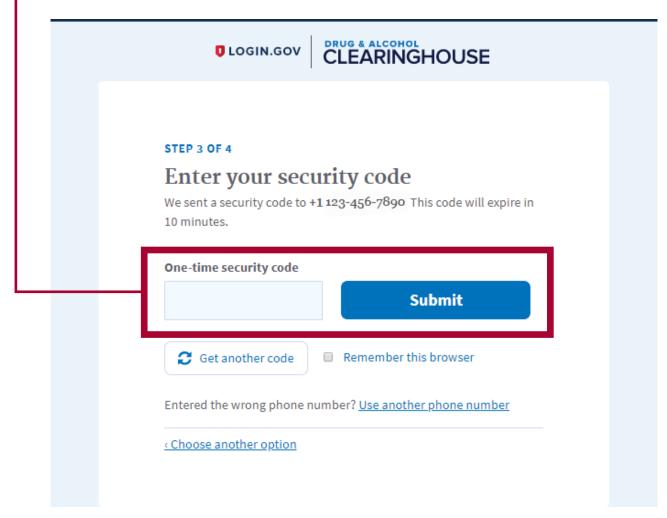
Login.gov requires the completion of a user verification process to ensure the proper person is using those credentials. Follow the instructions for the method you select.





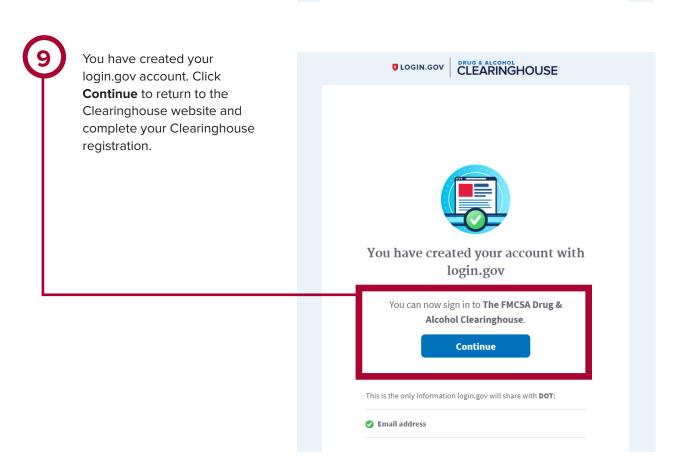


Enter your security code and click **Submit**. This code will be provided via the method you selected. The screenshot below illustrates the SMS phone method.





Once you have completed ULOGIN.GOV CLEARINGHOUSE setting up your first authentication method, you will be prompted to set up a second authentication method. You'll only use one authentication method to sign in, but you will need to set up two methods in You successfully set up Phone as case you lose access to one. your first authentication method. Repeat steps 6 and 7 to set up your second method. Next, you'll set up another method. Continue Cancel account creation





Register for the Clearinghouse

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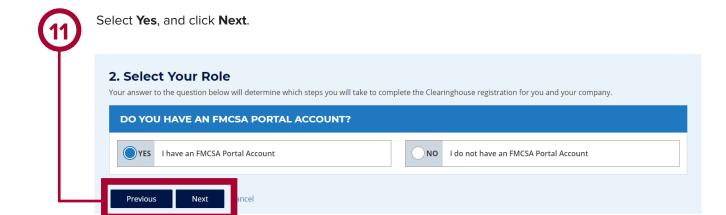
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If you have an FMCSA Portal Account

If you have an FMCSA Portal Account, select **Yes**, and click **Next. If you do not have an FMCSA Portal Account, skip to page 17.**



Enter your Portal username and password and click Sign In. If your Portal account has not been granted access to the Clearinghouse, you will need to log into your FMCSA Portal account to request this access before you can link your Portal and Clearinghouse accounts. 3. Contact Information **ENTER YOUR FMCSA PORTAL CREDENTIALS Link With Your FMCSA Portal Account** We will import your company and personal contact information so you will not Enter your Portal User ID and password below to link your Clearinghouse need to manually enter it. account with your Portal account. Why link your Clearinghouse account and Portal account? Username Linking with your Portal account will associate your Clearinghouse activity with your USDOT Number, which will enable enforcement personnel to verify your Clearinghouse activity quickly and easily after January 6, 2020. Establishing this Forgot your user ID? link today will help streamline interactions with enforcement personnel down the Password Note: You can link your accounts after you complete your Clearinghouse registration, but this may result in some of your activity not being associated with

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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.

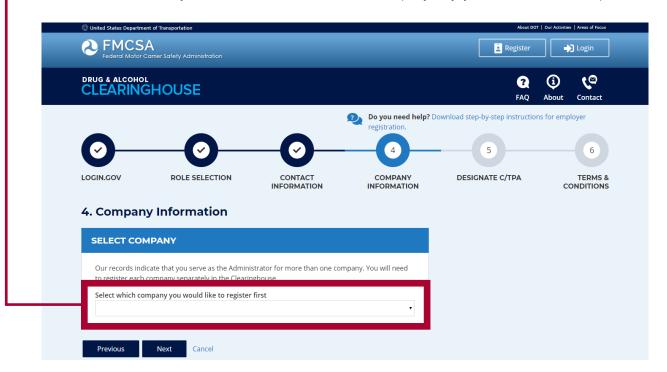
3. Contact Information **Questions about your contact** information? **CONTACT INFORMATION** Your information has been pulled from the FMCSA Portal and cannot be updated in the Clearinghouse. **Contact Information** If this information needs to be updated, you will Name: need to log into the FMCSA Portal 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

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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.



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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 $\ensuremath{ \bullet} \xspace.$ 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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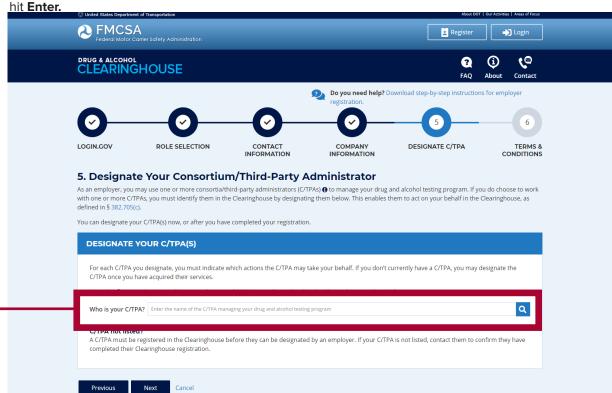
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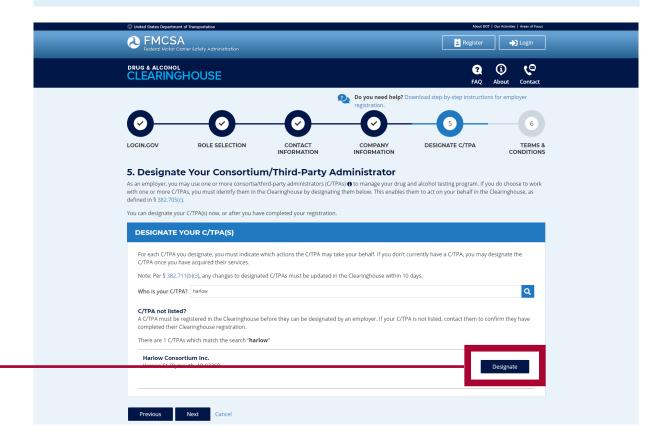
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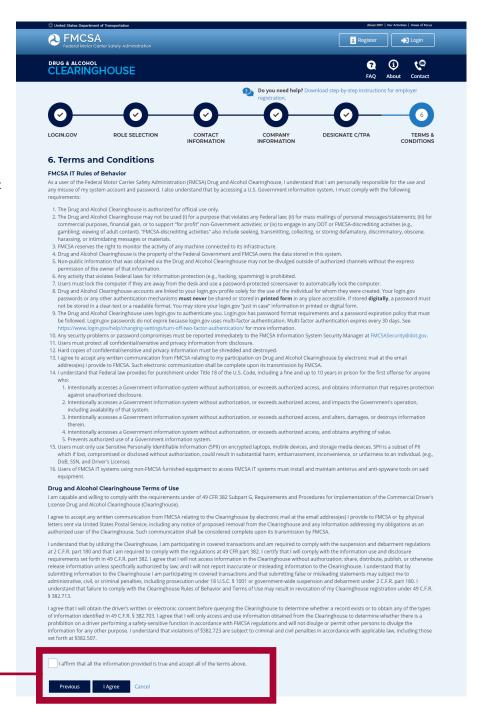
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Review the
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I Agree.



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Adding or Updating Your CDL Information

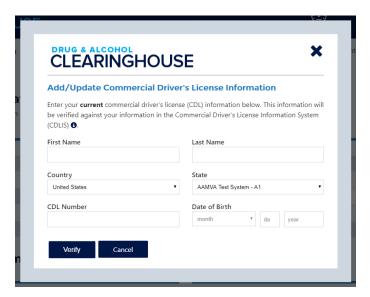
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To add or make updates to your CDL information, under My Dashboord, click on My Profile.



Look in the upper right-hand corner of the screen for the text asking "Do you have a commercial driver's license?" Click the **CDL information** hyperlink. This will pop up the screen below. Enter your CDL information and click **Verify.** If the Clearinghouse is not able to verify your CDL information, you will be prompted to contact your State Driver Licensing Agency.





Owner-operators will also see a prompt to add this information in the "Next Steps" box. Click the **enter your CDL information** hyperlink to add your CDL information.

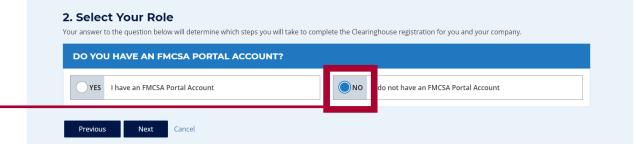




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Confirm that you are your employer's Clearinghouse Administrator by selecting **Yes, I am my employer's Clearinghouse Administrator** and clicking **Next.**

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.

2. Select Your Role Will you manage your employer's users in the Clearinghouse? By completing this registration, you will become your employer's Clearinghouse Administrator. This means you will be able to add or remove users who will use the Clearinghouse on your employer's behalf. Employers can also invite users who will serve in an Assistant role. If you are not authorized to be your employer's Clearinghouse Administrator, do not complete this registration. Contact your employer's Clearinghouse Administrator and request that he or she send you an invitation to complete your Clearinghouse registration as an Employer Assistant. Are you the Clearinghouse Administrator? Yes, I am my employer's Clearinghouse Administrator.

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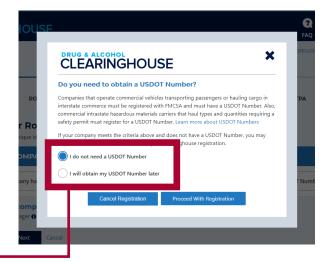
Indicate whether or not your company has a USDOT Number and click Next.

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? No My company has a USDOT Number Not sure if your company has a USDOT Number? Contact your safety manager • to determine if your company has a USDOT Number.

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 considering 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.

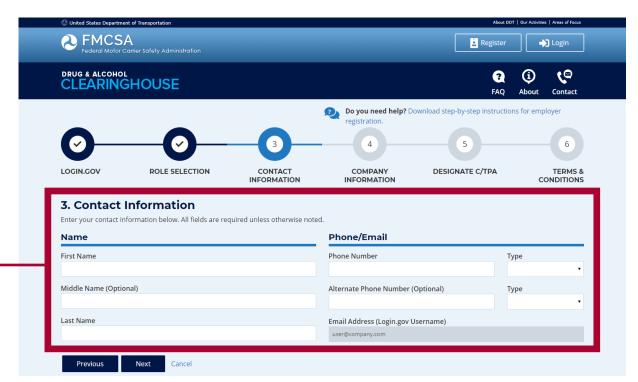


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Enter your contact information and click **Next**. All fields are required unless otherwise noted. Your email address will be pre-filled with your login.gov username and cannot be modified.



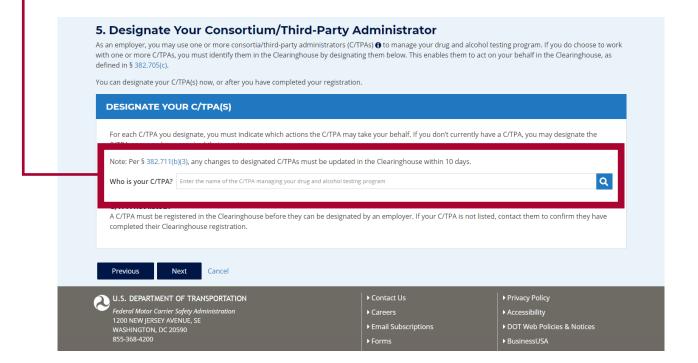
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If you are working with a consortium/third-party administrator (C/TPA), you will need to designate your C/TPA in the Clearinghouse. This allows your C/TPA to access the Clearinghouse on your behalf. **This step is required of all owner-operators.**

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.



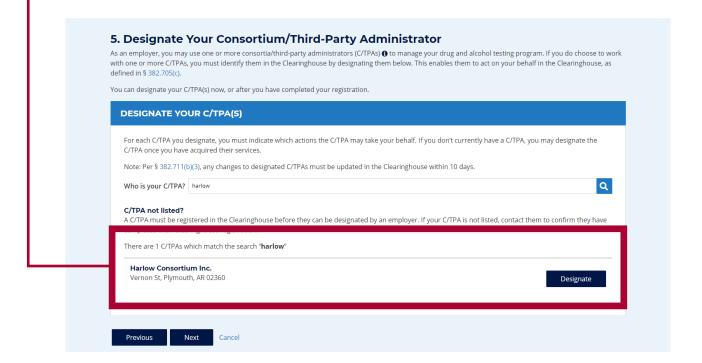
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This will generate a list of registered C/TPAs that match your search terms. Locate your C/TPA in the list and click **Designate** on the appropriate line.

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.

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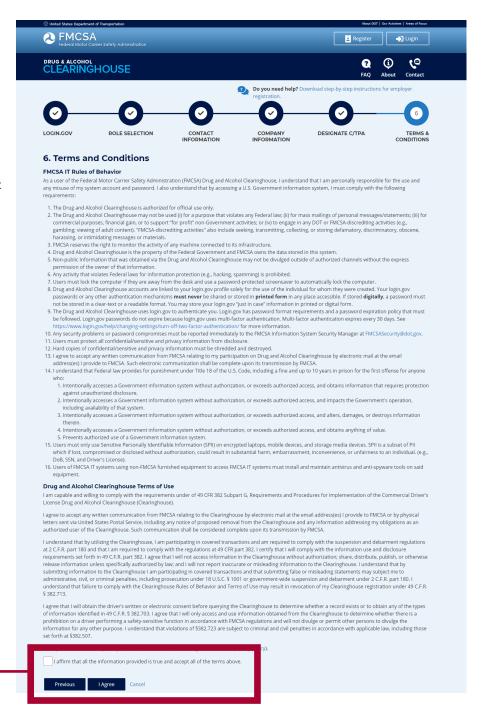
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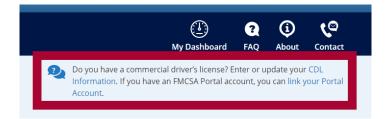
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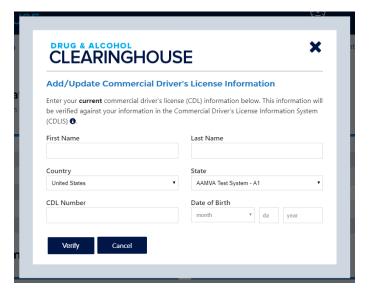
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Look in the upper right-hand corner of the screen for the text asking "Do you have a commercial driver's license?" Click the **CDL information** hyperlink. This will pop up the screen below. Enter your CDL information and click **Verify.** If the Clearinghouse is not able to verify your CDL information, you will be prompted to contact your State Driver Licensing Agency.





Owner-operators will also see a prompt to add this information in the "Next Steps" box. Click the **enter your CDL information** hyperlink to add your CDL information.





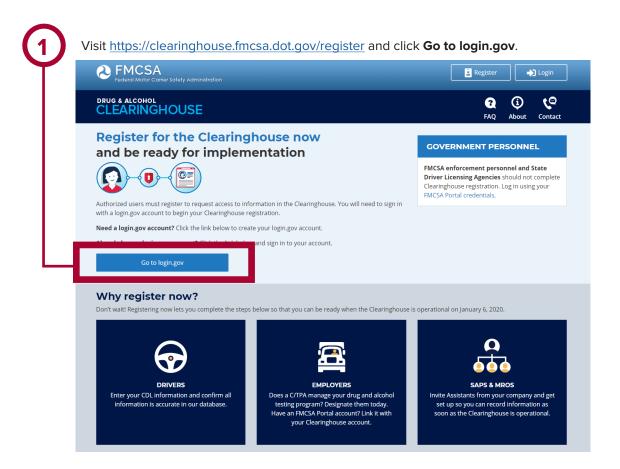
REGISTRATION: CDL DRIVERS

You must complete the registration process before you can respond to employer consent requests or access your driver record in the FMCSA Commercial Driver's License Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse. The instructions below are for a driver who holds either a commercial driver's license (CDL) or commercial learner's permit (CLP).

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.

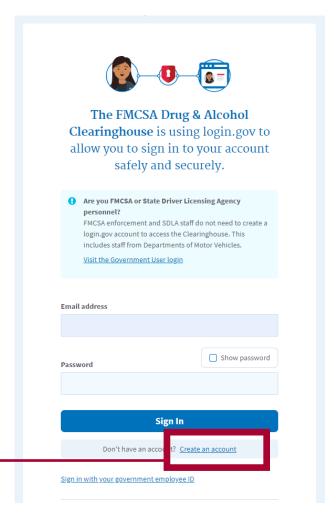
During the login.gov registration process, after 15 minutes of inactivity, the current page will clear whatever information is entered into data fields.





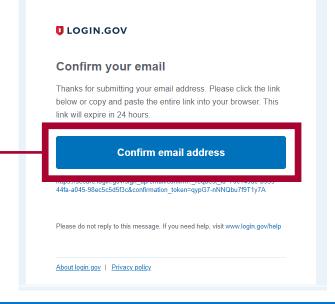
On the login.gov sign in screen, click Create an account.

Or, if you already have a login.gov account, enter your email address and password on this screen, click Sign In and go to step 10.



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. Are you FMCSA or State Driver Licensing Agency personnel? FMCSA enforcement and SDLA staff do not need to create a login, gov account to access the Clearinghouse. This includes staff from Departments of Motor Vehicles. Visit the Government User login STEP 1 OF 4 Enter your email address Email address Submit

Security Practices and Privacy Act Statement



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.

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Create a strong password

It must be at least 12 characters long and not be a commonly used password. That's it!

Password Show password

Password strength: Great!

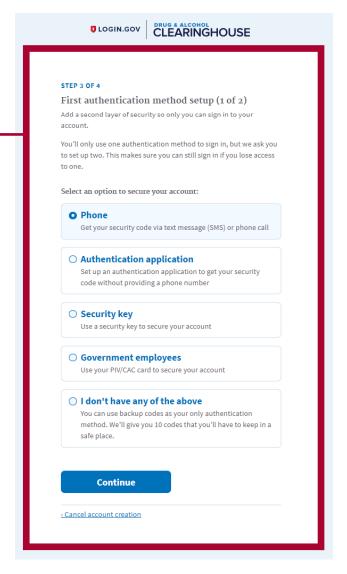
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Password safety tips

Cancel account creation

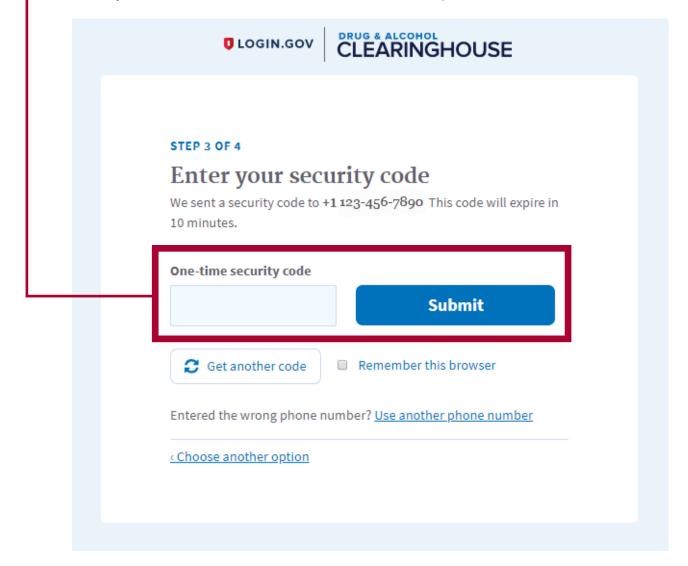
Select an option to secure your account and click **Continue**.

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.

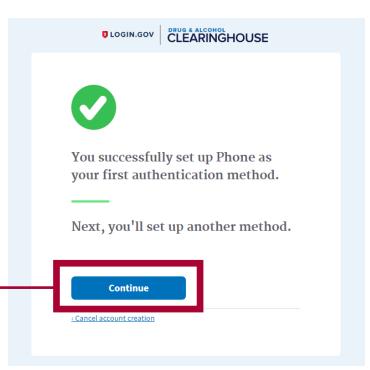




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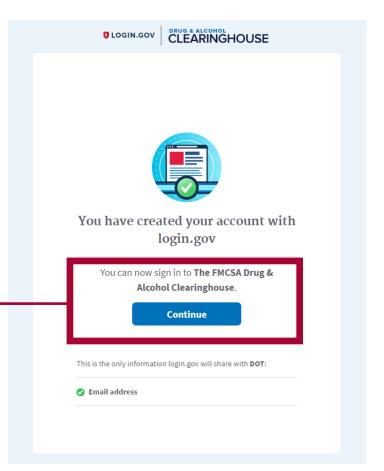
Once you have completed setting up your first authentication method, you will be prompted to set up a second authentication method. You'll only use one authentication method to sign in, but you will need to set up two methods in case you lose access to one.

Repeat steps 6 and 7 to set up your second method.



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





Register for the Clearinghouse

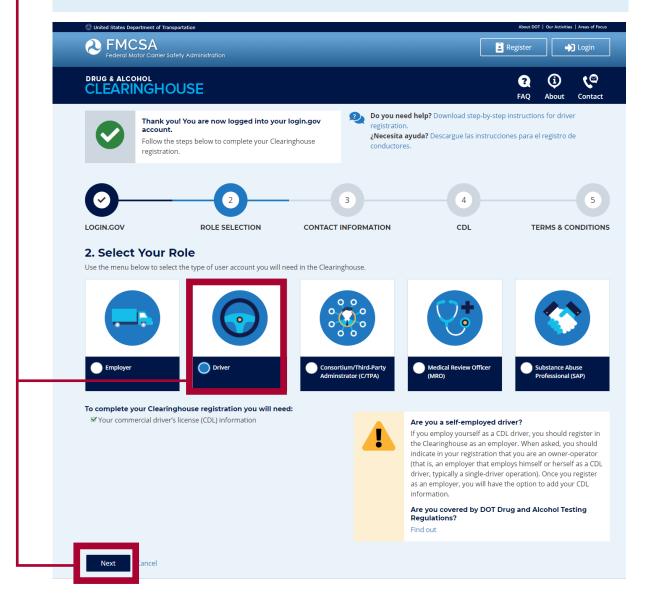
Once you have a login.gov account, you can complete your registration in the Clearinghouse. Follow the steps below.



Select your role (driver), and click Next.

If you are a self-employed CDL driver, do not register as a driver. You will need to register as an employer and, when prompted, identify yourself as an owner-operator (that is, an employer who employes himself or herself as a CDL driver, typically a single-driver operation). View the registration instructions for employers

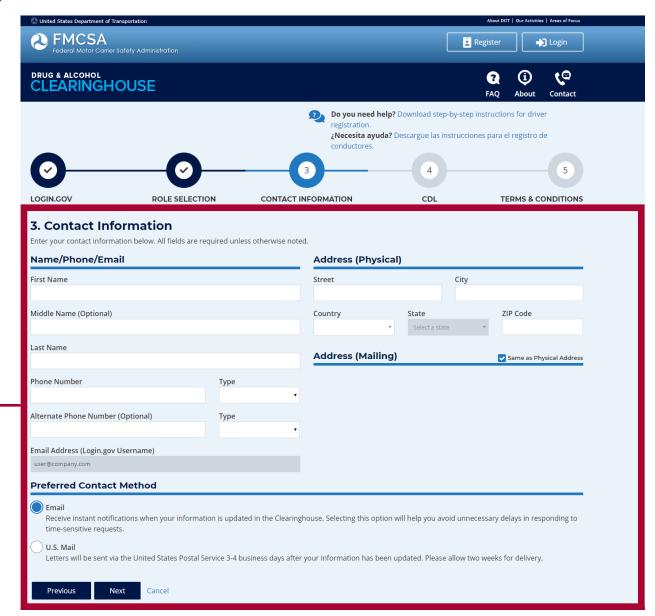
If you are unsure if you are covered by the Clearinghouse rule, see the box labeled "Are you covered by DOT Drug and Alcohol Testing Regulations?" and click Find out.





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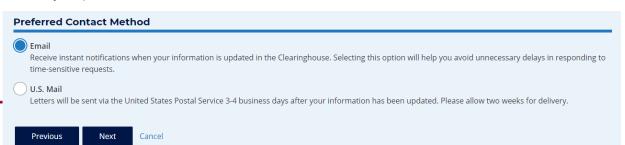
Enter your contact information and click **Next.** All fields are required unless otherwise noted. Your email address will be pre-filled with your login.gov username and cannot be modified.



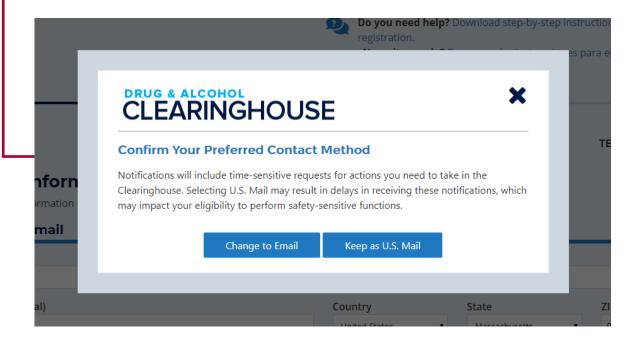


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Choose your preferred contact method:



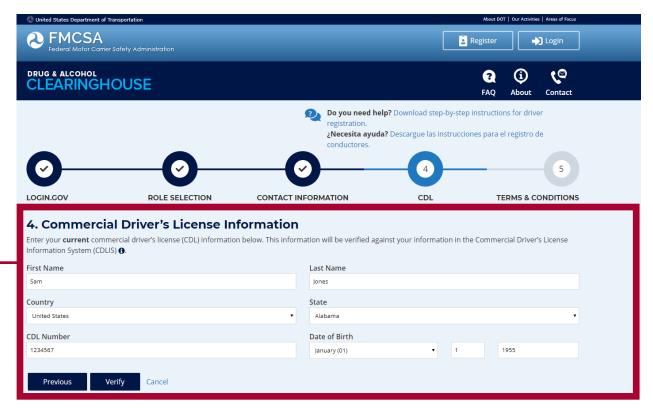
If you select U.S. Mail, you will see a message asking you to confirm this selection. Keep in mind that notifications will include time-sensitive requests for actions you need to take in the Clearinghouse. Selecting U.S. Mail may result in delays in these notifications, which may impact your eligibility to perform safety-sensitive functions. Select either **Change to Email** or **Keep as U.S. Mail.**





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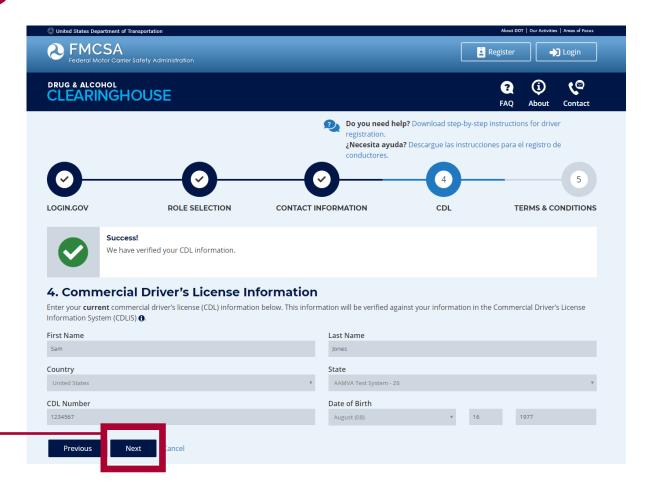
Enter your **current** commercial driver's license (CDL) or commercial learner's permit (CLP) information. Click **Verify.** The Clearinghouse will verify this information against information in the Commercial Driver's License Information System (CDLIS).





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Once your CDL information is verified, you will not be able to edit it. Click Next.



If the Clearinghouse cannot not verify your CDL information, you will be asked to check that you entered it correctly. Make any necessary corrections and click **Verify** again. You will have two chances to enter this information.

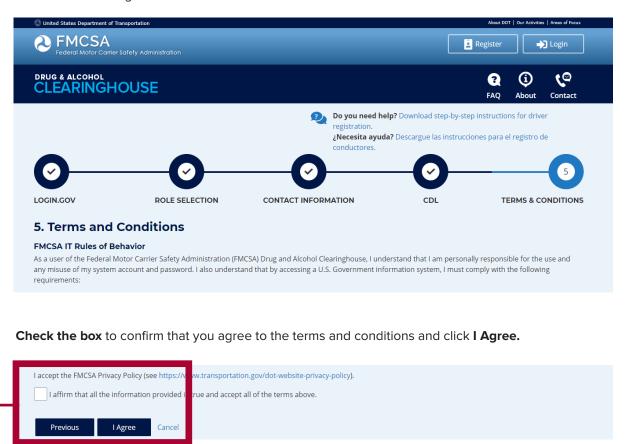
If your CDL information cannot be verified, you will need to contact your State Driver Licensing Agency to resolve any potential issues. You may continue with your Clearinghouse registration, but you will not be able to review your driver record or respond to employer consent requests until your CDL information has been verified. You can update this information under "My Profile" in your Dashboard, once your Clearinghouse registration is complete.

To continue and complete your registration, click Next.





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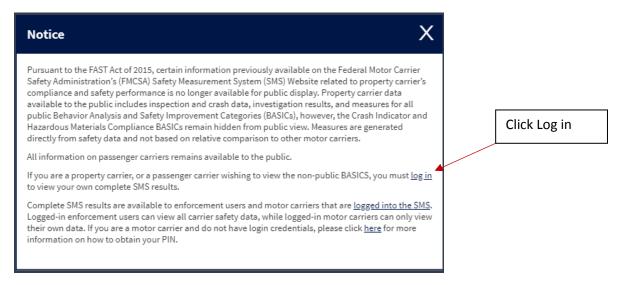


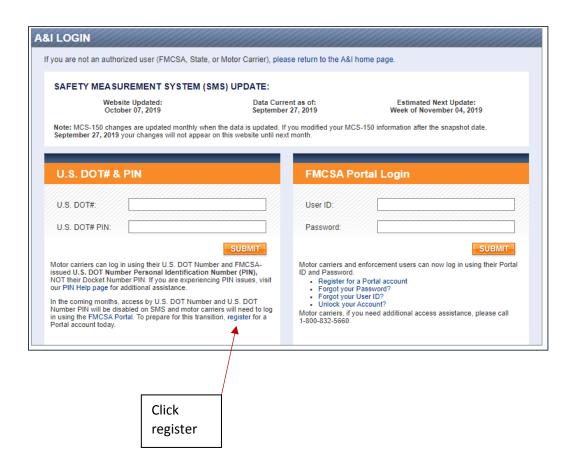
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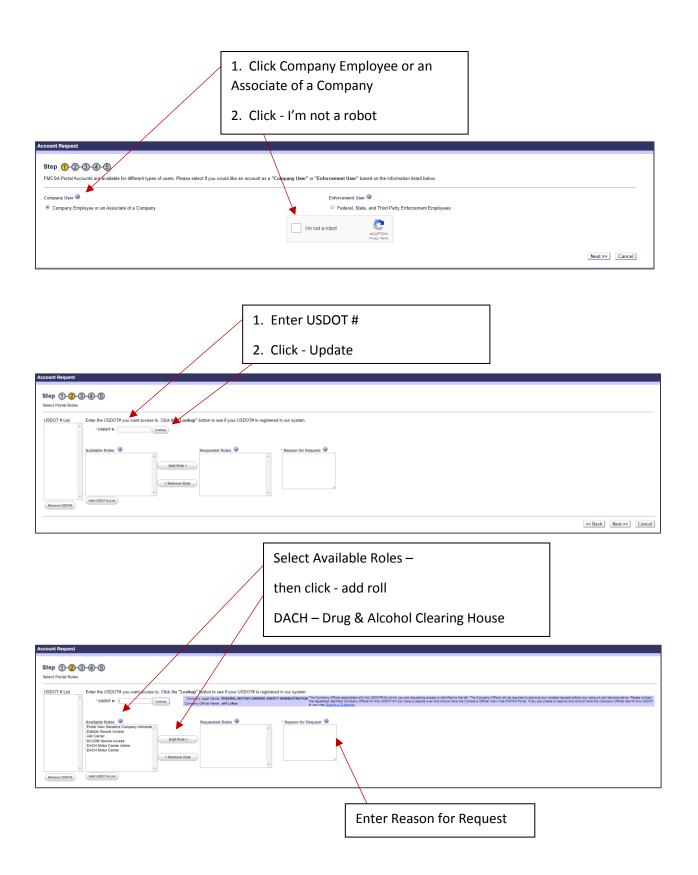
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