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## **Certificate of Proficiency Commercial Driver Training (7 ch)**

### **Program Description:**

ASU-Newport offers a 7 credit hour Certificate of Proficiency in Commercial Driver Training. This is a four-week program of study and students normally train Monday through Friday in the classroom and labs. Late-model tractors, 53' dry vans, and state-of-the-art simulators are used to enhance the training. Driver training begins with preparation for the CDL written exams and culminates with testing on pre-trip inspections, backing maneuvers, and driving skills. Safety is stressed during all aspects of the training.

For drivers who already have their CDL license, ASU-Newport offers refresher courses. These courses are offered in 1-week, 2-week, and 3-week sessions depending on the need of the student.

The successful completer will receive a Certificate of Proficiency and have the basic skills to enter the workforce as an entry-level commercial driver with a Class A, Commercial Driver's License.

### **ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS:**

- Must be at least 18 years of age
- Must pass the DOT physical
- Must have a 'clean' drug screen
- Must have a valid driver's license
- Must have an original birth certificate with a raised stamp

<b>Course No.</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>
<b>CDT1107</b>	<b>Commercial Driver Training</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>7</b>

### **ADDITIONAL NOTES:**

This program is on the Newport campus with a new course beginning every four (4) weeks.