



Driving Service Descriptions

Driving Assessment (DA)

- A Capabilities trained and certified instructor meets with the person served, evaluates baseline driving law and sign skills and baseline-driving skills, and sends a report outlining approximate amount of instruction hours needed and areas of focus for driving instruction. Capabilities Driving Instructors are licensed through the State of Ohio to provide instruction to all students, including people with disabilities.

Pre-Drivers Education (PDE) [Class D]

- One-on-one virtual or in-person tutoring to guide a student through the studying and steps to obtain a valid Ohio Class D driving permit. Instruction is provided through individualized teaching on the laws and road signs, using the Digest of Ohio Motor Vehicle Laws (a free audio version of the Digest can be found [here](#)), published driver's education curriculum, online sites, and customized driver's education curriculum based on individual need. A final summary report is provided should the potential driver be deemed not ready to obtain a driving permit.

On the Road Driving Instruction (DT)

- Driving students will receive one-on-one in-person behind-the-wheel driving instruction to obtain a valid Ohio driver's license. Capabilities Driving Instructors are licensed through the State of Ohio to provide driving instruction to all students, including people with disabilities. Lessons typically are scheduled for two hours at a time.

First Time Driver's Safety Course - Group (FTDSC)

- For first time drivers over the age of 18 years. Capabilities trained and certified instructors provide this one-day assessment and training. Students will be assessed in the following two areas: ability to obtain the Ohio driving permit and ability to obtain Ohio driver's license. Students participate in a day-long class focusing on driver safety, driver responsibility, law, and signs. Capabilities Driving Instructors are licensed through the State of Ohio to provide driving instruction to all students, including people with disabilities. This is a group service for two or more individuals and a final report is provided outlining results and recommendations.

Adult Abbreviated Online Course

- The Adult Abbreviated Online Course is required to be completed for anyone 18 years and older who has never held a driver's license and who failed their first attempt at the maneuverability and/or road test. For the Adult Abbreviated Online Course, Pre-Drivers Education (PDE) can be authorized for a Capabilities Career Consultant to assist persons with completion of the Adult Abbreviated Online Course. For this assistance, funding sources are asked to please authorize PDE in addition to this course. Capabilities also offers an Adult Abbreviated Virtual course with a live instructor.