



## TRAINING PROGRAMS:

Spectrum Medical Diagnostics, Inc. now offers comprehensive web-based DOT Regulated and Non-Regulated Drug Collector Training and Certification designed to comply with all corporate drug screening policies.

Department of Transportation (DOT) regulated urine specimen collections are an important part of employment and workplace screenings. As a certified collector, you can perform DOT / non-DOT urine specimen collections for drug and alcohol testing, return-to-duty testing and more.

Our service and support programs offers organizations a more streamlined approach to training, ultimately lowering costs, maximizing efficiency for all parties involved and implementing best practices for drug & alcohol screening.

- Learn at your own pace: fits easily into your busy schedule!
- Convenient mock evaluations to suit your schedule
- Our training is ideal for all industries, including Oil & Gas, Cross-border Transport, Railway, Aviation, Forestry and much more... **Get certified today!**

## MINIMIZE LIABILITY:

***The average cost of drug abuse per employee annually is \$10,000 due to employee turnover, Workers Compensation claims, absenteeism, employee theft, violence on the job and the use of health care benefits.***

*- National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA)*

**Health costs associated with employee trends in corporate Canada have been rising dramatically over the last five years.**

## Cost Factors:

- Access to collection sites or clinical laboratories can be very limited or too remote, which is not economically feasible. The cost of sending the employees off-site to a laboratory or collection site can be quite expensive and also contribute to downtime or lost productivity.
- The average cost of sending employees off-site for urine collections is approximately \$85.00 per person, not including lost productivity at work or transportation costs (based on standard lab collection fees of \$25.00 and average hourly wages of \$20.00 per hour).
- Increased risk of accidents, injuries, absenteeism and reduced productivity from failure to implement a drug and alcohol screening program increased liability & workers compensation claims. **Spectrum MDX** can work with you to reverse these trends and cost factors by training your staff to perform company-site collections with full compliance! **Lower your overall costs** and allow us to seamlessly integrate a collection process into your current drug testing policy.



## **COURSE OFFERINGS:**

### **CERTIFIED SPECIMEN COLLECTOR (CSC) COURSE:**

The Certified Specimen Collector (CSC) course prepares its trainees to be able to collect, process, and interpret drug test results while following forensic standards and industry best practices. All certified collectors are trained to respect donor rights and privacy while performing consistent, professional drug tests.

Made in Canada for Canadians

Designed specifically for the Canadian drug testing industry, this program provides all the necessary information to collect legally-defensible specimens as part of a Canadian forensic-use drug testing program.

This course includes:

- Following the Canadian Drug Testing Standards (CDTS) best practices
- Collecting, processing, and checking the validity of specimens for both point-of-care and laboratory-based testing
- Testing urine and oral fluid specimens using point-of-care in-vitro diagnostic devices
- Collecting hair follicle specimens for laboratory-based testing
- Understanding collection procedures, chain of custody requirements, and donor rights
- Record keeping, collector responsibilities, and safety protocols.

Mobile ready to fit into your busy schedule

All courses are offered in a convenient module-based learning format, making it easy to learn at your own pace. Plus, our mobile-friendly course platform empowers you to learn on the go using your smartphone or tablet.

Upon completion of this course, you will receive a Certified Specimen Collector (CSC) certificate and an official collector ID card.

#### Course Information

##### Features



Mobile-friendly

##### Equipment Required

- Computer or smart device with an internet connection



**BREATH ALCOHOL TECHNICAL (BAT) COURSE:**

This self-led Breath Alcohol Technician (BAT) course is the best way to become certified as an alcohol testing technician in Canada. Presented in both desktop computer and mobile-friendly online formats, our BAT course makes it easy to learn on the on the go and at your own pace.

- Learn at your own pace
- Course is divided into short, easy-to-complete modules
- Work on your smartphone, tablet, or desktop computer
- Canadian content added including information regarding applicable Canadian privacy laws
- Applicable for any brand of EBT / DOT breathalyzer

US DOT Compliant

The Breath Alcohol Technician (BAT) course complies with all the requirements and regulations of the United States Department of Transportation (DOT) and includes training for both alcohol screening and confirmation testing procedures. This course covers all policies, regulations, and procedures regarding alcohol screening using both breathalyzers and oral fluid devices.

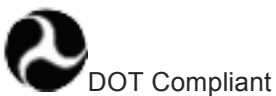
Mock Testing

This course does require a mock test which involves the trainee performing a number of error-free tests. This mock test is conducted live via Skype with an auditor who will observe you perform the mock tests on a donor of your choosing.

Upon completion of this course, you will receive a Breath Alcohol Technician (BAT) certificate and an official collector ID card.

**Course Information**

Features



DOT Compliant



Mobile-friendly

Course Includes



All course materials



BAT Certificate



Collector ID

Prerequisites

- None

Online Mock Test



Convenient mock testing with Skype

Equipment Required

- Webcam
- Headset with microphone
- High-speed internet connection
- DOT Evidential Breath Testing device (EBT)
- Device training certificate for the EBT issued by the manufacturer
- 10 alcohol testing forms (ATF)
- 20 breathalyzer mouthpieces

Time Limit

- Course must be completed within 30 days from when it is started.



## **DESIGNATED EMPLOYER REPRESENTATIVE (DER) COURSE:**

This course covers all aspects of the roles, responsibilities, and functions of a Designated Employer Representative (DER). After completing the course you will have a full understanding of the Department of Transportation's (DOT) rules and regulations regarding drug and alcohol testing as well as be able to effectively act as the DER for your employer or company.

This self-led online DER certification program covers all requirements of a federally-regulated U.S. DOT drug testing program. U.S. DOT Testing in Canada

This practical overview of the DOT's workplace drug testing regulations prepares the trainee to act as the Designated Employer Representative (DER) and places an emphasis on proper procedures and regulations which observe Canadian laws first and foremost while still following all the rules and regulations of the U.S. DOT.

This course includes:

- Overview of the U.S. DOT drug testing program.
- Review of regulations, rules, and laws as they apply to drug and alcohol testing.
- Overview of the roles of the Consortium, TPA, employer, Medical Review Officer (MRO), and Substance Abuse Professional (SAP).
- High-level overview of collection procedures, chain of custody requirements, safety protocols.
- Record keeping, employer responsibilities, employee rights.

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Upon completion of this course, you will receive a Designated Employer Representative (DER) certificate.

### Course Information

#### Features



DOT Compliant



Mobile-friendly

#### Course Includes



All course materials

#### Equipment Required

- Internet connection
- Computer or tablet



DER Certificate