

# FMCSA Post-Accident Testing Determination

Accident Involving  
Human Fatality

Post-Accident  
Testing Required

Accident Involving  
Bodily Injury

With immediate medical  
treatment away from the scene

Accident Involving  
Tow-Away

For any involved motor vehicle

Was a **citation issued** to a CMV driver within 8 hours (alcohol) or 32 hours (drug) for a moving violation arising from a crash?

Yes

Post-Accident  
Testing Required

No

No Testing Required

Non-DOT post-accident testing requirements are determined by individual company policy.

# Scheduling Post-Accident Tests

Once you've made a post-accident testing determination, drug and alcohol testing **should be completed as soon as possible**. It's best to **conduct both drug and alcohol testing within 2 hours after an accident**.

Testing for alcohol should be conducted **within 2 hours, but no later than 8 hours**.

Testing for drugs should be conducted **as soon as possible, but no later than 32 hours**.

**Should testing not be performed within the above timeframes, you must document why the testing was not completed and be prepared to respond in an audit.**

**To schedule, call TEAM at 918.970.2323 with the following:**

- Driver's name
- Driver's SSN **OR** driver's license number
- Driver's date of birth
- Driver's phone number
- Location where testing is needed (zip code)
- Testing needed (drug/alcohol, DOT or non-DOT, etc.)