



# Improve Community Safety & Empower Your Officers

*Large Truck & Bus Traffic Enforcement Training*



U.S. Department of Transportation  
Federal Motor Carrier Safety  
Administration

## Traffic enforcement for Commercial Motor Carrier violations is a vital element in preventing crashes – and saving lives.

*Due to size, weight, and increased stopping distance, commercial motor vehicles are disproportionately involved in traffic fatalities.*

*Serious moving violations such as speeding, tailgating, improper lane changes, reckless driving, and driving while fatigued or impaired are the leading causes of crashes.*

*Commercial drivers who commit serious traffic violations may also be involved in serious crimes – from moving fraud to drug smuggling to human trafficking.*



### Truck and Bus Traffic Enforcement Training:

- Provides techniques for safe, effective commercial vehicle traffic stops
- Helps get dangerous commercial drivers off the road
- May help detect and deter other serious crimes
- Reduces serious traffic violations
- Prevents hazardous cargo spills and crash-related traffic congestion that endanger your community and divert law enforcement from critical responsibilities

## Take Advantage of Free, Easy-to-Use Training Materials

- There are seven modules covering topics like:

Violations that cause crashes

Safety concerns before, during, and after vehicle stops

Documentation requirements

Indicators of severe vehicle defects

Specific citation procedures

- The Instructor's Guide explains course content and provides suggestions for customizing training with anecdotes/examples and departmental policy
- The course includes succinct PowerPoint modules that present information clearly, and include video segments to enliven and reinforce learning
- Training can be conducted in one session, or multiple sessions to meet your department needs
- A series of visor cards provide easy reference on the job
- Stand-alone video segments facilitate self-learning and roll-call training

