



Louisiana Department of Public Safety
Office of Motor Vehicles
Policy 24.00 Special Examinations
Failure to Meet Requirements for Safe Driving

Section: 1. Issuance of Driver's License

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General:

- The Office of Motor Vehicles (OMV) may issue a written notice to require a special examination for the licensee, if there is cause to believe that the licensed driver may not have the necessary skills or otherwise not qualified to be licensed.
- The special examination may require the driver to take one and/or a combination of all tests and may be administered at the time of renewal, application for a duplicate, or upon request of the Office of Motor Vehicles (OMV), Medical Unit.
- Upon conclusion of such examination(s), OMV shall take appropriate action, which may include:
 - Suspension or revocation of the license
 - Permitting the driver to retain the license
 - Issuing a license with appropriate restrictions
- If the licensee refuses or neglects the special examination(s), the license may be suspended or revoked.
- There is **no** provision for a hardship license for this violation.

Compliance:

- Satisfactory completion of the special driver examination(s).