HOW TO REGISTER

Applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Minimum age of 21
- Must have a valid US Driver’s License
- Have a Good Driving Record
- Be prepared to take exam for proficiency in English language

Students must register in-person to Olive-Harvey College, located at 10001 South Woodlawn Avenue, Room #1401.

For more information, call (773) 291-6570.

DIRECTIONS TO OLIVE-HARVEY COLLEGE

BY CAR
Traveling south: Take the Dan Ryan Expressway to the Bishop Ford Freeway (I-94). Take exit 65 for Stony Island Ave. toward 95th – 103rd Streets. Keep right and follow signs for 103rd Street. Take the first right onto Woodlawn Ave. Take the first right on Dorchester Ave.

Traveling east: Take I-57 and merge to the Bishop Ford Freeway (I-94). Take exit 65 for Stony Island Ave. toward 95th – 103rd Streets. Keep right and follow signs for 103rd Street. Take the first right onto Woodlawn Ave. Take the first right on Dorchester Ave.

Traveling north: Take the Bishop Ford Freeway (I-94) to exit 65 for 103rd St./Stony Island Ave. Keep right and follow signs for 103rd St. Turn left onto 103rd St. Take the first right onto Woodlawn Ave. Take the first right on Dorchester Ave.

BY CTA
Taking the CTA Red Line is the most convenient way to get to Olive-Harvey College. Upon exiting the train at the 95th Street Terminal, you will need to transfer to a CTA Bus. Bus #106 will take you directly to Olive-Harvey College.

Shuttle Connection from 95th Street CTA Terminal
The Olive-Harvey College shuttle service is available to all PCTI students.

From 95th Street CTA terminal to Olive-Harvey - Shuttle departs 8am, 8:30am, 1:45pm, and 2:15pm.

From Olive-Harvey College to 95th Street CTA terminal - Shuttle departs at 4:30pm and 10pm.
Employment for taxi drivers and chauffeurs is projected to grow 20% from 2010 to 2020, faster than the average for all occupations.

The Olive-Harvey College Public Chauffeur Training Institute (PCTI) is a joint venture between the City Colleges of Chicago and the Chicago Department of Business Affairs and Consumer Protection, which prepares students for the City of Chicago chauffeur licensing examination.

**TAXI**

This two-week training program prepares individuals to become public chauffeurs and take the Department of Business Affairs & Consumer Protection licensing exam. The course begins weekly on Saturday with mandatory orientation and bus tours. Day and evening classes are offered. $275

Note: Before registering, students must meet language proficiency requirements.

**LIMOUSINE**

This one-day training course prepares individuals to become restricted public chauffeurs. Individuals that complete this course are eligible to become licensed to drive a livery/limousine, sightseeing vehicles, and medical carriers. $85

**MEDALLION HOLDERS**

This training seminar informs individuals of all rules and regulations governing taxi medallions. The seminar covers the city’s inspection process, insurance and tax requirements, and business strategies for owning a taxi in Chicago. $75

**COMMUNICATION AT ITS BEST (CAB)**

This two-day course will enhance the communication skills of PCTI students. Students will review concepts and terminology commonly used in the taxi industry. This course is designed for students who do not pass the Language Placement Exam. $100

**ATTITUDINAL DEFENSIVE DRIVING**

This one-day workshop is designed for licensed public chauffeurs who have violated the rules and regulations governing public chauffeurs and newly licensed public chauffeurs who have not driven in the U.S. for at least three years. $85

**DRIVING RANGE**

This two-hour, behind-the-wheel course is designed for newly licensed public chauffeurs who have not driven in the U.S. for at least three years and all licensed public chauffeurs that are required to undergo additional training. $125

**DEFENSIVE DRIVING**

This course underscores the importance of alertness, anticipation, courtesy, hazard recognition, and other critical factors that prevent crashes. $45

**RECERTIFICATION FOR VETERAN CHAUFFEUR DRIVERS**

Licensed chauffeurs must take this recertification training course prior to renewing their licenses. Students will be updated on rules and regulations governing public chauffeurs. $85

**REFUSAL OF SERVICE**

This one-day workshop is designed for licensed public chauffeurs who have violated City of Chicago Rule #17 governing public chauffeurs and licensed public chauffeurs who have been ordered to take a remedial training course. $85

**DISCOURTEOUS**

This two-day course is designed for licensed public chauffeurs who have violated City of Chicago Rule #21 governing public chauffeurs and licensed public chauffeurs who have been ordered to take a remedial training course. $85

**TAXI ACCESS PROGRAM (TAP)**

This two-day course is designed to train individuals on how to transport people with disabilities and how to use the PACE-TAP voucher system to ensure payments. Day and evening courses are available beginning on Thursdays. $85

Fees for PCTI training courses include the cost of all training materials. Materials will be distributed on the first day of class.

Excluding CAB, students registering for Continuing Education courses must bring a letter from the Department of Business Affairs & Consumer Protection indicating the course required.