

## MMSI HOW TO

Please take a moment to log in, review and update your MMSI Registration!

MMSI is the nine-digit number programmed into the **DSC Radio or AIS Unit** radio on board your vessel. When the emergency button is activated the Coast Guard will use this information to locate and identify your vessel.

1. Your registration must accurately reflect your current information:
  - Address and phone numbers
  - Emergency contacts ashore
  - Identifying characteristics of boat (length, hull type, color or things that may differentiate it from vessels nearby)
2. If you have sold the boat with the programmed radio, log in and choose either 'Cancel MMSI Registration' or 'Transfer to new owner,' if new owner contact information is available.
3. If you have sold the boat but retained the programmed radio for use in a new boat, log in, choose 'Edit MMSI Registration,' and update with the new boat information.
4. If you have begun taking your boat into international waters, you must log in and choose 'Cancel MMSI Registration.' Once cancelled, contact the FCC at (877) 480-3201 to obtain the appropriate FCC assigned MMSI. **BoatUS MMSI registrations are NOT in the International ITU database.**

To View or Edit your registration go to [boatUS.com/MMSI](https://boatUS.com/MMSI) and log in. If you do not have your MMSI log in and password, retrieve them from the database at: [BoatUS.com/MMSI/MMSIAccount/RetrievePassword](https://BoatUS.com/MMSI/MMSIAccount/RetrievePassword)

BoatUS provides MMSI registration, in accordance with guidelines from the Federal Communications Commission and the U.S. Coast Guard, as a service to the boating community.