

# Applying For: *Merchant Mariner Credential* Entry Level

(No Required Experience or Test)

## Twic Card



- Apply Online: <https://www.tsa.gov/twic>
- Go to Appointment
- Photo and Finger Prints
- Payment \$125.25
- Done (Pick Up or Receive It by Mail)
- Make an electronic copy to submit with your application

Bring

You will need to have a Photo I.D. and a document to prove citizenship\*

## Form - CG 719B



- Fill in Form CG- 719 B ([https://media.defense.gov/2018/May/22/2001920377/-1/-1/0/CG\\_719B.PDF](https://media.defense.gov/2018/May/22/2001920377/-1/-1/0/CG_719B.PDF)) And SAVE as a PDF
- The form consist of the following categories:
  - a. Information and Citizenship
  - b. Address and Contact Details
  - c. Next of Kin Details
  - d. Endorsements
  - e. Consent to Background check and Disclosure of Criminal Records
  - f. Consent and Certification

Select the check box for "Original Entry Level" Leave the text area blank

## Drug Test



- Get a USCG DOT Drug Test
- Or submit a letter that you've been in a Random Testing Pool
- Or submit a letter of pre-employment drug test
- Submit this with your application
- Average test cost \$80 See our recommended partner below

**You Got This!**

Bring your Driver's License and a list of your medications. Makes sure nothing is left blank AND don't forget to sign

## Mariner Oath and Signatures

In the presence of a Notary swear and sign the Mariner's Oath to faithfully perform your duties as required by the laws of the United States of America and your commanding officer. (The Oath is listed in the application).



## Receive a Medical Exam and Certificate

- Book an appointment for a physical with your Dr. or ours\*
- Fill in your sections of form and get it to the medical examiner
- Go to the exam
- Read over the form and be sure to sign\*
- Submit an electronic version to: [MEDAIP@uscg.mil](mailto:MEDAIP@uscg.mil)
- Watch the mail for your Medical Certificate
- When it arrives - Make an electronic copy to submit with your application



## Pay the Application and Issue Fees

- Pay \$140 online at [Pay.gov](https://www.pay.gov)
- Use the search function: *Merchant Mariner Credential*
- Select *USCG Merchant Mariner User Fee Payment* (If using a phone, ignore and scroll past the first "filter by agency" results")
- Follow the prompts to fill in payment information
- Select "Rating Endorsements Only" and "Rating Original Endorsement" (\$95) for the payment boxes.
- Skip the "Examination Fee" box BUT do select to pay the \$45 "MMC Issuance Fee"
- Review and Submit
- Save an electronic copy of your receipt to submit with your application

\*We recommend using [www.stressfreedots.com](https://www.stressfreedots.com) cost is aprox \$110