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Mariner Credentialing Program Forms Update

The Coast Guard continues to work through the forms approval process for all of the 719 series forms that merchant mariners use in their application process. The table below lists the forms associated with the mariner credentialing program that has reached their "expiration" date. These forms **are still valid and being accepted** by the Coast Guard.

The expiration date is there to remind the Coast Guard to review and affirm, with the office of management and budget (OMB), that the forms are still necessary and supported by regulation or code. This process has long been underway and continues and the NMC will provide notice via the website and list server when update forms will be available. Otherwise, mariners and other providers **should continue to use these forms**.

| Form Number | Title | Last Revised | Expiration Date |
|----------------|--|--------------|--------------------|
| CG-719K | Merchant Mariner Credential Medical Evaluation Report | Rev. (01-09) | 30-Jun-12 |
| CG-719K/E | Merchant Mariner Evaluation of Fitness for Entry Level Ratings | Rev. (01-09) | 30-Jun-12 |
| CG-719P | DOT/USCG Periodic Drug Testing Form | Rev. (03-04) | 30-Jun-12 |
| CG-719S | Small Vessel Sea Service Form | Rev. (03-04) | 30-Jun-12 |
| CG-719B | Application for License as an Officer, Staff Officer or Operator and for Merchant Mariner's Document | Rev. (03-04) | 30-Jun-12 |

Mariners and other providers should contact our Customer Service Center at IASKNMC@uscg.mil or 888-IASKNMC (888-427-5662) with any questions regarding forms. Mariners may reference this bulletin when working with third party providers, such as medical doctors, to ensure those providers of the validity of the forms.

Sincerely,

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