

# Dialpad SMS User Guide

## Introduction

**Dialpad SMS/MMS Connector for Creatio** is an integration module that enables full two-way SMS and MMS communication directly inside Creatio.

The connector allows users to:

- Send and receive SMS/MMS messages through Dialpad.
- Use Creatio Omnichannel for routing and processing incoming messages.
- Automate communication via business processes and marketing campaigns.
- Track message delivery statuses directly within Creatio.

This guide explains how to configure the connector, including setting the Dialpad API key and defining chat channels for the Dialpad SMS channel.

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## 1. Configure the Dialpad SMS API Key

1. Open **System settings** in Creatio.
2. Locate the system setting **SM Dialpad SMS/MMS**.
3. Open the setting record.
4. Enter the **Dialpad API Key** into the value field.
5. Click **Save**.

This API key allows Creatio to authenticate outbound SMS/MMS requests through Dialpad.

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## 2. Configure Chat channel for DialpadSMS

1. Open **Chat settings** from the main menu.
2. Click **Add** and select **DialpadSMS** as the chat provider.
3. Fill in the configuration form:

### Name

Provide a meaningful name for this channel (e.g., "Dialpad SMS Queue" or "Support SMS Line").

### Source

Enter the Dialpad phone number in E.164 format (e.g., **+11234567890**).

#### Assign to

Select **All agents**, or choose a specific queue/group.

4. Click **Save**.

Once saved, Creatio will route incoming SMS/MMS messages from the specified number into the Omnichannel agent interface.

### 3. Using SMS Sending in Business Processes

To send SMS messages from business processes in Creatio, you must use the pre-built UserTask named “**Send Dialpad SMS**”. This UserTask is designed to integrate seamlessly with your business process workflows, enabling automated SMS communication via Dialpad.



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#### Disclaimer

The connector uses a **WebSocket-based mechanism** to receive real-time events from Dialpad, including:

- Incoming SMS/MMS messages
- Delivery status updates

This approach allows Creatio instances located **inside private networks** to maintain an active connection to Dialpad without exposing inbound ports.

However, this requires the Creatio application to maintain a **continuously active WebSocket connection**.

If the application server or web server is not configured for persistent long-running connections, **incoming messages and delivery status updates may be missed**.

Please ensure your web server and hosting environment support persistent connections for production use.