

# How to Reset Your Benefits OnLine Password



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**Step 1.** Click “Reset your Password” on the Benefits OnLine log-in page.

The screenshot shows the 'Benefits OnLine' login interface. On the left is a 'Secure Login' form with fields for 'User ID' and 'Password (Case Sensitive)', a 'Remember me' checkbox, and a 'Login' button. Below the form are links for 'Create User ID', 'Reset your Password', and 'Forgot your Password'. A callout box points to the 'Reset your Password' link with the text: 'If you've forgotten your Password or would like to change your Password, click here to reset and create a new one.' The main header reads 'Benefits OnLine' with the tagline 'Retirement and benefit services provided by Merrill Lynch'. Below the header is a section titled 'The Benefits OnLine Education Center' with icons for video, documents, and social media. At the bottom, there are sections for 'Featured Articles' and 'Research & Insights'. A footer bar at the very bottom contains the text 'RETIREMENT & BENEFIT PLAN SERVICES'.

## Step 2. Enter your User ID and click “Continue”.



Enter your User ID.

User ID

User ID is required in order to reset your Passord.

User ID:

Enter User ID and Click Continue.

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When you're done, click "Continue".

## Step 3. Enter the requested information and click “Continue”.



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### Reset Password

User ID: johnsmith123

To Reset your Password, create new Password, and re-verify. Click **Continue** to submit the new Password information.

Last 4 digits of Social Security/Account Number:	<input type="text" value="...."/>	Enter the last 4 numeric digits of your Social Security/Account Number.
Hint Question:	<input type="text" value=" &lt; None Selected &gt;"/>	Select a hint question.
Hint Answer:	<input type="text" value="....."/>	
New Password:	<input type="text" value="....."/>	Enter 8 to 12 characters. Note: Password is case sensitive and can not be the same as your User ID.
Verify New Password:	<input type="text" value="....."/>	<a href="#">Click here</a> to review guidelines for choosing a secure Password.

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If you are a U.S. citizen, enter the last 4 digits of your Social Security number. If you are a non-U.S. citizen, enter the last 4 digits of the 9-digit internal verification number provided to you.

Select and answer the Hint Question you selected when you first created your User ID.

When you're done, click "Continue".

Please note that clicking "Reset" will clear all of the entries on this page, but **WILL NOT** reset your Password.

**Step 5.** This confirms that your Password has been successfully reset.



## Password Confirmation

Your new Password has been created. It is recommended that you record this Password in a safe place.

You will need this information for the following:

- To access Benefits OnLine®
- To process transactions on Benefits OnLine®.
- To access the Interactive Voice Response System using the keypad number (for example: "POLyNine" = "76596463").

Click **Continue** to log into Benefits OnLine®.

**Click "Continue" to return to the log-in page. Then enter your User ID and Password and click the "Login" button.**

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