Step 1 – Customer Registration Form

Employee (or customer directly via web app) opens "Add Customer" form containing:

Basic Information:

Field	Туре	Description	Mandatory
Unique ID (auto)	Generated	System auto-creates	✓ Yes
Full Name	Text	Customer name	✓ Yes
Mobile Number	Number	Used for OTP & WhatsApp communication	✓ Yes
Alternative Number	Number	Optional	×
Email Address	Email	For notifications	✓ Yes
Address	Text	Street/Area	✓ Yes
City / Village	Text	Manual entry	✓ Yes
Taluka	Dropdown	Predefined list	✓ Yes
District	Dropdown	Predefined list	✓ Yes
State	Dropdown	(e.g., Maharashtra, Gujarat, etc.)	✓ Yes
Pin Code	Number	For service zone identification	✓ Yes

Step 2 – Vehicle Information

Each customer can register one or multiple vehicles (if needed).

Field	Туре	Description	Mandatory
Vehicle Number	Text	Registration (e.g., MH12AB1234)	Yes
Vehicle Brand	Dropdown	Toyota, Maruti, Tata, etc.	Yes
Vehicle Model	Text	Model name (e.g., Innova Crysta)	Yes
Year of Purchase	Year	Optional	×
Vehicle Photo	Upload	Used for authenticity	Yes

Authentication:

• System can verify vehicle number format (e.g., MH12XX1234) before saving.

Step 3 – OTP Verification

After clicking **Submit**, system triggers OTP flow:

- 1. System sends a **6-digit OTP** via:
 - o **SMS** (through gateway like Twilio, MSG91, etc.)
 - WhatsApp API (for quick verification)
- 2. Customer enters OTP in frontend.
- 3. Backend verifies OTP → If correct:
 - o Marks customer as "Verified" in database.

Step 4 – Save Data & Generate Reference Code

Once verified:

System creates **Unique Reference Code (Ref ID)** for the customer:

Stores all info in customers & vehicles tables.

Step 5 – Notification System

After successful registration:

SMS Message Example:

Dear Rahul, your car *Toyota Innova (MH12AB1234)* has been registered successfully.

Your Reference ID: CUST-MH12-000145

- [Dealer Name]

WhatsApp Message Example:

Thank You for Visiting [Dealer Name]

Your car Toyota Innova (MH12AB1234) has been added successfully.

Ref Code: CUST-MH12-000145

We'll notify you about offers, services & discounts soon!

Email Example:

Subject: Registration Confirmation – [Dealer Name]

Body:

Hi Rohan,

Thank you for registering your vehicle with us. Your reference ID is **CUST-MH12-000145**.

You'll receive notifications about service reminders, discounts & accessories.

Step 6 – Admin Dashboard Features

- View all customers (filter by city, district, vehicle brand, verified/unverified).
- Click customer → see vehicle details, OTP verification status.
- Trigger manual **Thank You / Discount Notification** again.

Step 7 – Security & Validation

- Validate all mandatory fields.
- Prevent duplicate vehicle numbers.
- Encrypt sensitive data (mobile, email).