

HUB Resource Guide

Government Funded Programs that Assist
Small Businesses in Texas



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Small Business Development Centers (SBDC)

Small Business Development Centers provide counseling and training to small businesses including working with SBA to develop and provide informational tools to support business start-ups and existing business expansion.

SBDC Programs deliver professional, high quality, individualized business advising and technical assistance to existing small businesses and pre-venture entrepreneurs. SBDCs provide problem-solving assistance to help small businesses access capital, develop and exchange new technologies, and improve business planning, strategy, operations, financial management, personnel administration, marketing, export assistance, sales and other areas required for small business growth and expansion, management improvement, increased productivity and innovation.

Small Business Development Centers (SBDC)

Texas Gulf Coast

Fort Bend County at Coastal Plains SBDC- Bay City

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281.499.9787

www.sbdc.uh.edu/sbdc/Coastal_Plains_SBDC.asp

Lee College SBDC- Baytown

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281.425.6309

www.lee.edu/workforce/sbdc/

Lamar University SBDC- Beaumont

sbdclamar@lamar.edu

409.880.2367

www.sbdc.uh.edu/sbdc/default.asp

Blinn College SBDC- Brenham

sbdcblinn@blinn.edu

979.830.4137

https://www.sbdc.uh.edu/sbdc/Blinn_College_SBDC.asp

Brazos Valley SBDC- Bryan

bvsbdc@uh.edu

979.260.5222

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San Jacinto College SBDC- Deer Park

SBDC@sjcd.edu

281.485.5214

<https://www.sanjac.edu/about-san-jac/community/small-business-development-center>

Houston Center SBDC- Houston

sbdcmetro@uh.edu

713.752.8400

https://www.sbdc.uh.edu/sbdc/Houston_Center_SBDC.asp

Sam Houston State University SBDC- Huntsville

sbdinfo@shsu.edu

936.294.3737

https://www.sbdc.uh.edu/sbdc/Sam_Houston_State_University_SBDC.asp

Small Business Development Centers (SBDC)

Texas Gulf Coast (cont.)

Brazosport College SBDC- Lake Jackson

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979.230.3380

<https://brazosport.edu/business-community/sbdc/>

Galveston County SBDC- League City

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409.933.1414

https://www.sbdc.uh.edu/sbdc/Galveston_County_SBDC.asp

Angelina College SBDC- Lufkin

damerine@angelina.edu

936.633.5400

https://www.sbdc.uh.edu/sbdc/Angelina_College_SBDC.asp

Lamar State College SBDC- Port Arthur

euliansm@lamarpa.edu

409.984.6531

https://www.sbdc.uh.edu/sbdc/Lamar_State_SBDC.asp

Prairie View A&M University SBDC

sbdc@pvamu.edu

936.261.9243

<https://www.pvamu.edu/business/alumni-friends/sbdc/>

Fort Bend County SBDC- Rosenberg

sbdcfortbend@uh.edu

281.499.9787

https://www.sbdc.uh.edu/sbdc/Fort_Bend_County_SBDC.asp

Small Business Development Centers (SBDC)

North Texas

Trinity Valley Community College SBDC- Athens

903.675.7403

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Navarro College SBDC- Corsicana

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903.872.8104

<https://www.navarrocollegesbdc.org/>

Dallas College SBDC- Dallas

sbdcclientportal@dallascollege.edu

214. 860.5865

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Grayson College SBDC- Denison

SBDC@grayson.edu

903.463.8787

<http://www.graysonsbdc.org/>

North Central Texas College SBDC- Denton

NCTSBDC@gmail.com

940.498.6468

<https://www.nctc.edu/sbdc>

Tarrant County College SBDC- Fort Worth

admin@tarrantsbdc.org

817.515.2600

<https://www.tarrantsbdc.org/>

UT Tyler-Longview SBDC- Longview

longviewsbdc@uttyler.edu

903.757.5857

<https://www.uttyler-longviewsbdc.org/>

Northeast Texas College SBDC- Mount Pleasant

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903.434.8237

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Small Business Development Centers (SBDC)

North Texas (cont.)

Paris Junior College SBDC- Paris

jjohnston@parisjc.edu

903.782.0224

<https://www.parissbdc.org/>

Collin College SBDC- Plano

SBDC@collin.edu

972.985.3770

<https://collinsbdc.com/>

Tyler Junior College SBDC- Tyler

903.510.2975

<https://tylersbdc.com/>

McLennan SBDC- Waco

254.299.8141

<http://www.mccsbdc.com/>

Small Business Development Centers (SBDC)

Texas South-West

Sul Ross State University SBDC- Alpine

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432.837.8694

<https://sbdc.sulross.edu/alpine/>

Texas State University SBDC- Austin

sbdc@txstate.edu

512.420.9379

<https://sbdc.mccoy.txst.edu/>

Del Mar College SBDC-Corpus Christi

361.698.1021

<https://www.delmar.edu/sbdc/index.html>

SRSU Rio Grande College SBDC- Eagle Pass

sbdc-rgc@sulross.edu

830.758.5023

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UT Rio Grande Valley SBDC- Edinburg

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956.665.7535

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El Paso Community College SBDC- El Paso

avelazc2@epcc.edu

915.831.7743

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Texas A&M International University SBDC- Laredo

sbdc@tamiu.edu

956.326.2827

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Angelo State University SBDC- San Angelo

sbdc@angelo.edu

325.942.2098

<https://www.angelo.edu/community/small-business-development-center/>

Small Business Development Centers (SBDC)

Texas South-West (cont.)

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sasbdc@utsa.edu

210.458.2460

<https://sasbdc.org/>

University of Houston-Victoria SBDC- Victoria

sbdc@uhv.edu

361.485.4485

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Small Business Development Centers (SBDC)

North West Texas

Texas Tech SBDC- Abilene

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325.670.0300

<https://www.abilenesbdc.org/contact-us>

West Texas A&M SBDC- Amarillo

coordinator@wtsbdc.com

806.651.5151

<https://www.smallbusinessdevelopmentcenter.com/>

Texas Tech SBDC- Lubbock

americasbdc.lubbock@ttu.edu

806.745.1637

<https://www.lubbocksbdc.org/>

UT-Permian Basin SBDC- Midland

sbdc@utpb.edu

432.552.2455

<https://www.utpbsbdc.org/>

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sbdc@tarleton.edu

254.968.0558

<https://www.tsusbdc.org/>

Midwestern SBDC- Wichita Falls

msusbdc@msutexas.edu

940.397.4373

<https://www.msusbdc.org/>

APEX Accelerators

(formerly PTAC)

APEX Accelerators help businesses

- Complete registration with a wide range of databases necessary for them to participate in the government marketplace (e.g., SAM).
- Identify which agencies and offices may need their products or services and how connect with buying agencies and offices.
- Determine whether they are ready for government opportunities and how to position themselves to succeed.
- Navigate solicitations and potential funding opportunities.
- Receive notifications of government contract opportunities on a regular basis.
- Network with buying officers, prime contractors, and other businesses.
- Resolve performance issues and prepare for audit, only if the service is needed, after receiving an award.

Today, APEX Accelerators are placing an emphasis on helping underserved businesses that are eligible for certain government solicitations designed for the promotion of diversity, inclusion, and equity, and guiding them throughout the entire process.

APEX Accelerators

NW Texas APEX Accelerator- Abilene

nwtapex@ttu.edu
806.745.3973
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UTA Cross Timbers APEX Accelerator- Arlington

CrossTimbers@uta.edu
817.272.5978
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University of Houston APEX Accelerator- Houston

uhptac@central.uh.edu
713.752.8477
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Del Mar College APEX Accelerator- Corpus Christi

APEXAccelerator@delmar.edu
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UTRGV APEX Accelerator- Edinburg

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956.665.7535
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Contract Opportunities Center APEX Accelerator- El Paso

coc@epcc.edu
915.831.7747
<https://www.elpasococ-events.org/>

University of Texas at San Antonio APEX Accelerator- San Antonio

UTSA.APEXAccelerator@utsa.edu
210.458.3252
apexaccelerator.iedtexas.org

MBDA Business Development Centers (BDC)

The U.S. Department of Commerce, Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) is the only federal agency solely dedicated to the growth and global competitiveness of minority business enterprises.

MBDA invests in a national network of MBDA Business Centers, Specialty Centers, and Grantees. Their programs offer customized business development and industry-focused services to provide greater access to capital, contracts and markets.

MBDA Business Development Centers (BDC)

El Paso MBDA Business Center- El Paso

915.351.6236

<http://ephcc.org/>

San Antonio MBDA Business Center- San Antonio

210.458.2480

<http://ephcc.org/>

Houston MBDA Business Center- Houston

MBDA@hccs.edu

713.718.8974

<https://www.hccs.edu/hcc-in-the-community/entrepreneurial-initiatives/mbda/>

Dallas-Fort Worth MBDA Business Center- Dallas

214.920.2436

<https://www.mbdadfw.com/>

Veteran Business Outreach Centers (VBOC)

The Veterans Business Outreach Center (VBOC) program is designed to provide entrepreneurial development services such as business training, counseling, and resource partner referrals to service members, veterans, National Guard & Reserve members, and military spouses interested in starting or growing a small business.

VBOCs programs include:

- Transition Assistance Programs
- Pre-Business Plan Workshops
- Concept Assessments
- Business Plan Preparation
- Comprehensive Feasibility Analysis
- Entrepreneurial Training and Counseling
- Mentorship
- Other Business Developmental Related Services

Veteran Business Outreach Centers (VBOC)

Veterans Business Outreach Center at UTA –Arlington

utavboc@uta.edu

817.272.6789

<https://www.uta.edu/vboc/>

Veterans Business Outreach Center at UTRGV -Edinburg

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956.665.8931

<https://www.utrgv.edu/vboc/>

Women's Business Centers (WBC)

Women's Business Centers (WBCs) are a part of a national network of entrepreneurship centers throughout the United States and its territories, which are designed to assist women in starting and growing small businesses. WBCs seek to "level the playing field" for women entrepreneurs, who still face unique obstacles in the business world.

WBCs help women entrepreneurs launch new businesses and compete in the marketplace. There are a number of resources for women-owned businesses including business training, counseling, federal contracts, and access to credit and capital.

Women's Business Centers (WBC)

Women's Business Enterprise Alliance- Houston
wbc@wbea-texas.org
713.681.9232
<http://www.wbea-texas.org/about-wbea>

GHWCC SBA Women's Business Center- Houston
713.782.3777
<https://ghwcc.org/entrepreneurs/>

Dallas/Fort Worth Women's Business Center- Dallas
wbcdfw@liftfund.com
214.572.9452
<https://womensbusinesscenterdfw.com/>

San Antonio Women's Business Center- San Antonio
wbc@liftfund.com
888.215.2373 ext. 3000
<https://womensbusinesscentersa.com/>