For every state $1 invested in the Florida SBDC, $52 is returned to the state in tax revenue.*
At the Florida SBDC Network, we believe in creating unimaginable possibilities for small businesses that yield economic prosperity for our state.

From starting and growing a business, to selling it, this is where Small Business Development Centers (SBDC) help. Established by Congress, SBDCs foster local, regional, and state economic prosperity by providing aspiring and existing small businesses access to professionally certified and credentialed business consultants to help mitigate common obstacles and find success.

Designated as “Florida’s principal provider of small business assistance [Fla. Stat. § 288.001],” the Florida SBDC Network, one of 62 SBDC networks in the country, has more than 40 offices, and approximately 50 outreach locations from Pensacola to Key West to serve the needs of Florida’s business community.

Since 1976, our network of partners has helped construct a statewide ecosystem to foster the spirit, support, and success of more than 1.2 million small business owners.

In addition to our core service offering of no-cost consulting, training, and business research, Florida SBDCs provide a comprehensive toolkit of specialized services for businesses looking to accelerate market growth, including:

- Strategic & Business Plan Development
- Access to Capital
- Strategic Market Research
- Cybersecurity
- Market Growth Development
- International Trade
- Government Contracting
- Disaster Resiliency & Recovery

Our clients tell our story best. Read a sampling of testimonials (妮) from the tens of thousands of small businesses we assist each year.

Client Testimonials

Common Sense Office Furniture, Orlando
“The business advice provided by the Florida SBDC and the members of our group were exceptionally valuable. Knowing that you have a consultative service at your disposal that has a business owners best interests as its primary objective is very supportive and beneficial.”

—Craig Caswell

Painalgia Relief Center, Orlando
“My endeavor wouldn’t have been possible without the help of the Florida SBDC. From the consulting to the classes to the different ideas and their unbiased support, it’s been great. I am very grateful for everything I have received from the Florida SBDC.”

—Daniel Saint-Elie

Moon Eyes Productions, LLC, Orlando
“I needed help with the renaming and branding of services I provided through my LLC. Hal Thayer was very helpful. He helped me streamline my services and gave great guidance and ideas on what to include on my business card. I’m very thankful for the consultation.”

—Tiffany Pittman

Neu Blooms, LLC, Orlando
“(Our consultant) Jairo helped our business improve our marketing and social media strategy. Before working with him, we had no idea of what we needed to do for marketing as far as social media, website, and SEO. He gave us the tools we needed to improve our social media output and to get our website more views and follow-throughs. Our website purchases have dramatically increased thanks to his help!”

—Alysha Smith

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