Business has changed dramatically in the last 36 years; America's SBDCs have been there throughout, helping small businesses achieve their goals and succeed.

With nearly 1,000 locations across the country, we provide local businesses and entrepreneurs with the resources they need to thrive, compete and succeed.

The SBDC network includes dedicated business advisors working in partnership with universities, economic development professionals, chambers of commerce, lenders, investors and entrepreneurs themselves.

America's SBDCs are poised for the future: SBDCs help entrepreneurs start and grow businesses, create jobs, increase prosperity and contribute to the economy.

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covering rural, urban, and suburban communities nationwide





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AMERICA'S SMALL
BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT
CENTERS:

Working with America's Job Creators

Small businesses are job creators and innovators. Supporting their formation and growth moves our economy forward and makes our communities healthier. Strong federal funding for America's SBDCs leverages the continuation of the nation's largest and most effective small business assistance program.

America's SBDCs are accountable and produce measured and verified results.

America's SBDCs Latest Annual Results

JOBS

98,660 new jobs created





A new job every 5 minutes

JOB GROWTH

17.6% average SBDC client

1.8% national average

CREATE NEW BUSINESSES



prospective entrepreneurs that start a business with SBDC assistance

17,207 new businesses started





A new business every 31 minutes

SALES

\$7.1 billion in new sales



SALES GROWTH

16.8% average SBDC client annual sales growth

4X greater than the national average sales

INVEST IN OUR NATION'S FUTURE



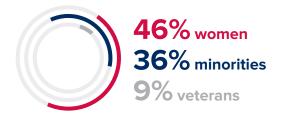
Every federal dollar

= \$43.26 in new capital





WOMEN, MINORITIES, VETERANS



ENTREPRENEURS









RETURN ON INVESTMENT

Cost vs. Revenue Generated by SBDCs (millions of \$):



\$259

\$355

Federal Appropriation

Federal Revenues Generated State Revenues Generated

Every federal dollar --->

\$2.31 Federal Revenue →

\$3.17 State Revenue