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Currently, due to federal rules, the SBDC is **not permitted to provide our regular assistance and direct one-on-one counseling services to existing or planned cannabis businesses.**

However, we can offer three specific services, which you might find to be useful (next few slides).
Three Available SBDC Services

These three specific services you might find to be useful:

Numerous no to low cost training and workshops.

Resources available on the SBDC website www.nmsbdc.org for starting a business.

Our 91-Page Disaster Preparedness Guide also available on the SBDC website.
Training

By accessing www.nmsbdc.org, you will find links to current trainings, workshops & events.

https://www.nmsbdc.org/workshop-and-events/
SBDC Website Resources – Under the tab “Starting a Business”

How to tell if I’m an Entrepreneur-Test (21 Pages)

Is it a good Idea? (Identifying Start up Ideas) (1 Page)

Basic Steps to Starting Business (2 Pages)

How to Choose a Business Entity (8 Pages)

How to Write a Business Plan (3 Pages)

Business Plan Checklist (4 Pages)

Marketing Plan Framework (3 Pages)

How to Write a Marketing Plan (2 Pages)

Start-up Budget Template (2 Pages)
SBDC Website Resources – Under the tab “SBDC FAQ”

14 Questions and Answers are provided including:

- I want to start a small business. Where do I begin?
- What is a business plan and do I need one?
- How long will it take me to write the business plan?
- What business should I choose?
- Can the SBDC tell me what bank, lawyer, accountant or insurance company is the best for me and my business?

This Guide has numerous Checklists and Handouts to aid businesses in being prepared to respond and recover from any disaster.
Chamber Available Resources

- General Business Information
- Access to government agencies information
- Referrals to appropriate/relevant agencies & business “best practices
QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS