

Government **Financial Assistance Overview**

Agency/ State	Assistance Description	Links to State Assistance Website
SBA	Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) - In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, small business owners were able to apply for a loan including an advance of up to \$10,000. Advance is designed to provide economic relief for businesses experiencing a temporary loss of revenue. Funds are limited and applications are only being accepted on a limited basis. Loans are processed directly by the SBA.	https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/coronavirus-relief-options/economic-injury-disaster-loan-emergency-advance
SBA	Paycheck Protection Program Loan (PPPL) - Loan program designed to provide a direct incentive to keep workers on the payroll. Loan will be forgiven if all employees are kept on payroll and the funds are used for payroll, rent, interest and utilities.	https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/coronavirus-relief-options/paycheck-protection-program
AL	The #BHAMSTRONG Small Business Loan Fund - To immediately support small businesses affected by COVID-19 who are awaiting state or federal relief funding or a more stable business environment.	https://bhamstrong.com/bhamstrongloan
	The Small Business Relief Fund is a Community Foundation of West Alabama fund offered in cooperation with the Chamber of Commerce of West Alabama. The fund was created to assist small businesses that have experienced a financial hardship as a result of Coronavirus (COVID-19).	https://tuscaloosachamber.com/small-business-financial-assistance/
	The City of Auburn Working Capital Loan Interest Subsidy Program is designed to provide much needed assistance to Auburn's small business community during the COVID-19 world health crisis by providing an interest subsidy to applicants who have been approved for a loan with a participating lending institution.	https://auburnalabama.org/coronavirus/business-resources/interest-subsidy/
AR	The state will allocate \$12 million in block grant money and up to \$4 million from the quick-action fund to provide bridge loans to help midsize companies and nonprofits remain open during the COVID-19 pandemic.	https://www.arkansasedc.com/covid19resources/business-resources
AZ	AZ Commerce Authority - Business Support - Here you will find interactive tools and guidance on how to navigate financial relief programs and other helpful services during this challenging time.	https://www.azcommerce.com/covid-19/financial-resources/
	Small Business Relief Grant Program - City of Phoenix	https://www.azfoundation.org/Portals/0/Uploads/Documents/GrantGuidelines/Census%20tract%20overview%20and%20verification%20link.pdf
CA	The emergency legislative package provides \$500 million General Fund to help California fight COVID-19 and authorizes increases up to \$1 billion. This will provide funding to clean child care facilities that remain open.	https://www.gov.ca.gov/2020/03/17/governor-newsom-signs-emergency-legislation-to-fight-covid-19/
	SACRAMENTO – Governor Gavin Newsom today announced the release of \$100 million to support child care services, and to support child care providers who are stepping up to serve essential infrastructure workers and vulnerable populations and their children during this critical time.	https://www.gov.ca.gov/2020/04/10/governor-newsom-announces-release-of-100-million-to-support-child-care-services-for-essential-workers-and-vulnerable-populations/
	City of San Diego Small Business Economic Relief Fund	https://www.sandiego.gov/economic-development/resources/relief
	Los Angeles City Small Business Emergency Microloan Program	https://ewddlacity.com/index.php/microloan-program
	COVID-19 Guidance regarding Emergency Childcare Services for Essential Workers and At-Risk Populations	https://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/cd/ci/mb2006.asp
CO	Denver Small Business Emergency Relief	https://www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/environmental-health/news/coronavirus-info/support-services.html

CT	Connecticut Recovery Bridge Loan Program	https://portal.ct.gov/DECD/Content/Coronavirus-Business-Recovery/CT-Recovery-Bridge-Loan-Program
DC	Mayor Bowser and the Council of the District of Columbia are investing \$25 million in the COVID-19 Recovery Effort and the DC Small Business Recovery Microgrants Program, which will be housed in the Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development.	https://coronavirus.dc.gov/dc-small-business-recovery-grants
DE	The Division of Small Business is here to help your business navigate this challenging time and succeed in the transition back to normalcy once it has passed.	https://business.delaware.gov/coronavirus/
FL	Florida Small Business Emergency Bridge Loan Program	https://covid19.floridajobs.org/
GA	Invest Atlanta Business Continuity Loan Fund	https://www.investatlanta.com/business-continuity-loan-fund
IL	Emergency Small Business Grants and Loans Assistance	https://www2.illinois.gov/dceo/SmallBizAssistance/Pages/EmergencySBAInitiatives.aspx
IN	Rapid Response Loan Fund through the Indy Chamber's Business Ownership Initiative (BOI) and its partners is an affordable option for loans of \$1,000-\$25,000.	https://www.response.indychamber.com/loans
MA	EEC will continue paying subsidies and parent fees for our subsidized cases for the duration of the closure. Emergency child care programs authorized by EEC will serve children of families designated as COVID-19 Essential Workforce.	https://eeclead.force.com/apex/EEC_ChildCareEmergencyEducators
MD	Maryland Small Business COVID-19 Emergency Relief Loan Fund	https://commerce.maryland.gov/fund/maryland-small-business-covid-19-emergency-relief-fund-programs
	Maryland Small Business COVID-19 Emergency Relief Grant Fund	https://commerce.maryland.gov/fund/maryland-small-business-covid-19-emergency-relief-grant-fund
MI	Michigan Small Business Relief Program	https://www.michiganbusiness.org/about-medc/covid19/
	TechTown Detroit Small Business Stabilization Fund	https://techtowndetroit.org/detroit-small-business-stabilization-fund/
MN	Minnesota Peacetime Emergency Child Care Grant	https://www.childcareawaremn.org/providers/emergency-child-care-grants-2/
MO	This page is being continuously updated with COVID-19 information relevant to small businesses in MO, including resources, videos, and links to additional material from various government agencies.	https://sfdc.missouri.edu/sfdc-covid-19-resources
NE	The Department of Economic Development is partnering with Governor Ricketts to inform and assist businesses during Nebraska's ongoing response to COVID-19.	https://opportunity.nebraska.gov/nded-covid19/
NH	The New Hampshire Department of Business and Economic Affairs (BEA) is actively monitoring the evolving situation with regard to the threat the coronavirus (COVID-19) presents to our state.	https://businesshelp.nheconomy.com/hc/en-us
NJ	New Jersey Economic Development Authority Emergency Assistance Programs	https://faq.business.nj.gov/en/articles/3838662-what-new-state-financial-support-programs-are-available-to-businesses-impacted-by-the-covid-19-outbreak

NM	New Mexico Economic Development Department COVID-19 Business Loan Guarantee Program	https://gonm.biz/about-us/covid-19-response
NV	Nevada Small Business Resource Guide	https://www.rosen.senate.gov/covid-19-small-business-assistance
NY & NYC	<p>NYC Employee Retention Grant Program - The City is offering small businesses with fewer than 5 employees a grant to cover 40% of payroll costs for two months to help retain employees.</p> <p>NYC Business Continuity Loan Fund - Businesses with fewer than 100 employees who have seen sales decreases of 25% or more will be eligible to apply for zero interest loans of up to \$75,000 to help ensure business continuity.</p>	https://www1.nyc.gov/site/sbs/businesses/covid19-business-outreach.page
NC	North Carolina COVID-19 Rapid Recovery Loan	https://ncrapidrecovery.org/
OH	Office of Small Business Relief - This new office is designed to help Ohio's nearly 950,000 small businesses by administrating federal dollars awarded to the state for small business recovery and relief programs.	https://ohiochamber.com/coronavirus-business-resources/#businessrelief
OK	The COVID-19 (novel coronavirus) event is a rapidly changing situation and the Oklahoma Department of Commerce is closely monitoring updates and guidance from our federal and state partners.	https://www.okcommerce.gov/covid19/
PA	<p>Philadelphia COVID-19 Small Business Relief Fund</p> <p>COVID-19 Working Capital Access Program</p>	<p>https://www.phila.gov/programs/philadelphia-covid-19-small-business-relief-fund/</p> <p>https://dced.pa.gov/programs/covid-19-working-capital-access-program-cwca/</p>
SC	South Carolina Department of Commerce	https://www.sccommerce.com/covid-19-resources
TN	Tennessee Department of Commerce & Insurance (TDCI) is issuing guidance to Tennessee's businesses in order to ensure they remain resilient during Coronavirus-related economic disruptions.	https://www.tn.gov/commerce/news/2020/3/19/-supporting-your-tennessee-business-during-covid-19.html
TX	Center for Women Entrepreneurs AssistHer COVID-19 Business Emergency Relief Grant	https://twu.edu/center-women-entrepreneurs/assister-emergency-relief-grant/
VA	Northern Virginia Rapid Response COVID-19 Business Support Initiative	https://vcwnorthern.com/covid19-rapid-response/
WA	<p>Amazon - Seattle Neighborhood Small Business Relief Fund</p> <p>Seattle Small Business Stabilization Fund</p>	<p>https://www.aboutamazon.com/job-creation-and-investment/neighborhood-small-business-relief-fund#what-businesses-qualify-to-apply-for-the-neighborhood-small-business-relief-fund</p> <p>http://www.seattle.gov/office-of-economic-development/small-business/small-business-programs-/stabilization-fund-</p>
WI	Small Business 20/20 Program for Approved Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs)	https://wedc.org/programs-and-resources/small-business-2020/

Note: Information is subject to change as State responses to the pandemic continues to evolve. Links are a suggested starting point in searching for State Assistance. The above information is provided as a general resource and it may not reflect current applicable laws and regulations. It is not intended as legal or financial advice, and should not be relied upon as a substitute for consulting your legal and financial advisors before taking any action.