

Build your future

through a small business

Need support?

The Small Business Recovery Centre is here to help



The Department of Employment, Small Business and Training supports Queensland small businesses to reach their full potential. That's why the Small Business Recovery Centre has been created to provide personalised assistance to help your business succeed.

If you are in need of support to recover from the North Queensland monsoonal trough or want to take your business to the next level and build resilience, we can help.

Small Business Recovery Centre

Contact the Small Business Recovery Centre to discuss support and mentoring services, and access advice on financial assistance, insurance and other business matters.

To make an appointment:

Phone: 0459 873 781

Email: sbrc@desbt.qld.gov.au

Mentoring for Growth

Mentoring for Growth (M4G) provides Queensland businesses with the opportunity to engage with experienced business mentors who can help them with any challenges or opportunities facing their business. We have more than 700 active mentors from across Queensland from a range of industries. Access experts who can provide insights, options and suggestions to help grow your business. Businesses wishing to access M4G must have an Australian Business Number (ABN), be registered for GST and have Queensland headquarters or significant Queensland operations.

Small Business Disaster Recovery Grants up to \$10,000 are available now

These grants support small businesses severely impacted by the North and Far North Queensland Monsoonal Trough to engage high-level expertise to help them recover and rebuild business confidence. Funding for building, plant and equipment repairs is available in specific circumstances.

Funding of up to \$10,000 (excluding GST) may be provided to eligible businesses to engage business consultants, mentors, coaches or an advisory service to assist with business recovery. The grant can provide severely impacted small businesses with access to high-level expertise and advice to rebuild business confidence and increase resilience for the future.

Small Business Financial Counsellors

The Small Business Financial Counsellor program provides free financial counselling to non-rural business operators in key local government areas, who are suffering financial hardship and to manage the challenges presented by the current environmental and ongoing economic conditions.

Free online training for small business

Businesses impacted by the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic can access a range of online training opportunities tailored to small business recovery.

Course areas include:

- Foundation business skills
- Leading a successful business
- Connecting businesses and customers
- Adaption and digital skills.

The online training is being provided through GO1 and its online learning platform, in partnership with the Queensland Government, to support you and your employees to recover from COVID-19 and enable future growth.

Queensland Small Business Commissioner

The Queensland Small Business Commissioner provides information and advocacy support to small businesses, and informal resolution and mediation of COVID-19 affected small business leases.

All programs have eligibility criteria. See www.business.qld.gov.au for details.

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