

# **COVID EIDL Loan Program Overview**

Borrower-friendly loans with flexible repayment and use of funds

The COVID Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) program is a federal loan program designed to help small businesses and nonprofits, recover from the COVID-19 economic recession by providing quick, borrower-friendly capital. Loans are available immediately, and can be used to meet a variety of immediate business needs. To expedite the application process, we recently simplified the affiliation requirements, and streamlined the loan review process. The program closes on December 31, 2021.

The program's low interest rates and 30-year repayment term provide manageable payments that can be deferred up to 2-years – allowing better control of cash flow.

## **Eligibility**

- Businesses and nonprofits, including sole proprietorship or self-employed small businesses owners with 500 or less employees
- Credit scores 570+
- Businesses active or launched by January 2020

#### **Required Documentation**

- Federal Income Tax Return or business financial statements
- IRS Form 4506-T

## **Apply Today**

Apply for this program's small business loans at www.sba.gov/eidl.

For more information, contact the SBA Customer Service Center: (800) 659-2955 Monday through

Friday from 8 am to 8 pm ET; or to find local assistance visit <a href="www.sba.gov/local-assistance">www.sba.gov/local-assistance</a> or <a href="www.sba.gov/asistencia-local">www.sba.gov/local-assistance</a> or <a href="www.sba.gov/asistencia-local">www.sba.gov/asistencia-local</a>.

# **Loan Overview**

**Maximum loan amount:** Microloans – \$1,000 up to \$25,000; Full loans – \$25,001 to \$2 million.

**Interest rate:** Rates are fixed at 3.75 percent (businesses); 2.75 percent (nonprofits)

**Repayment period:** 30 years **Deferment:** Up to 24 months

**Collateral requirement:** Microloans – none;

Full loans – Yes, if over \$25,000

**Personal guarantee:** Microloans – none; Full loans – Yes, for amounts over \$200,000

**Loan use:** Loans can be used to meet normal operating expenses and working capital, pay and prepay commercial and federal business debt, payments on commercial debt, rent, cost of goods sold, and payroll.

The information contained herein is subject to change.