





# KENAI PENINSULA CENTER

CLIFF COCHRAN, DIRECTOR



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- Center Director
  - Cliff Cochran, MBA
  - 2020 Region X Award Winner



Recruiting replacement for Justin

- Homer Business Advisor
  - Recruiting replacement for Bryan









#### **ALASKA SBDC**

- What We Provide
  - No-cost, confidential business advising
  - Low-cost business workshops and webinars
  - Online resources and business tools



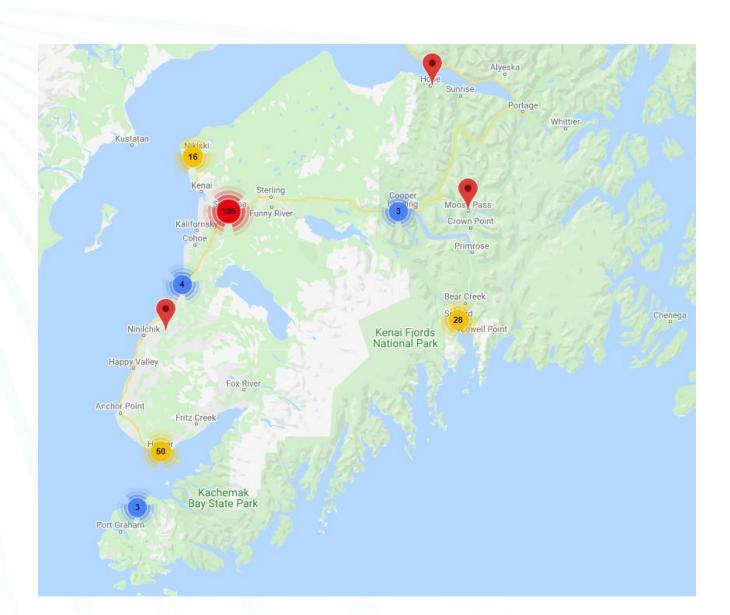


## **BUSINESS ADVISING**

<ul><li>Top Topics in FY20 YTD</li></ul>	Hours	0/0
• Startup Assistance	319.0	26.3
<ul> <li>Managing a Business</li> </ul>	252.0	20.8
• Disaster Assistance	171.1	14.1
<ul> <li>Financing/Capital</li> </ul>	134.6	11.1
<ul> <li>Buy/Sell Business</li> </ul>	80.0	6.6
<ul> <li>Business Planning</li> </ul>	39.6	3.3
<ul> <li>Marketing/Sales</li> </ul>	34.8	2.9
<ul> <li>Website/Social Media</li> </ul>	32.7	2.7
• Legal Issues	25.7	2.1



## **BUSINESS ADVISING**





### **COVID-19 IMPACT**

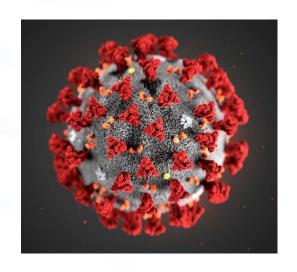
- Kenai Peninsula SBDC
  - Businesses Owners Informed: 559
  - Businesses Advised: 121
  - Jobs Supported: 584
  - Advising Hours: 156.3





#### **COVID-19 IMPACT**

- Clients Advised by Location
  - Soldotna: 27
  - Homer: 25
  - Kenai: 20
  - Seward: 17



- Top 3 industries
  - Accommodation & Food Service: 25 (46 hrs)
  - Healthcare & Social Assistance: 13 (13 hrs)
  - Arts & Entertainment: 11 (13 hrs)



#### **WORKSHOPS**

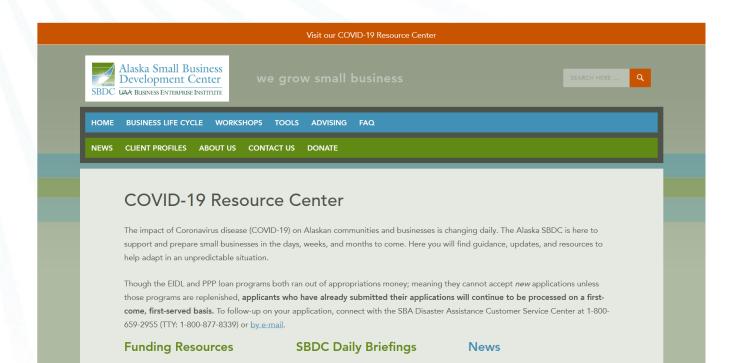
- All workshops free until June 30
  - LLCs in Alaska (\$50 value)
  - Business Insurance (\$50 value)
  - Creating Financial Projections (\$50 value)
- COVID-19 Specials
  - Informational Webinars
  - Daily Briefings





#### RESOURCES

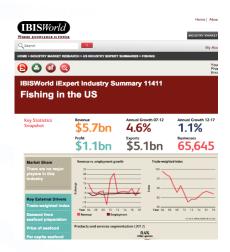
- Website: <u>aksbdc.org</u>
  - Excel financial projection model
  - Business planning checklists
  - COVID-19 Resource Center

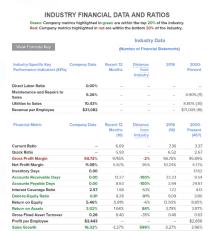




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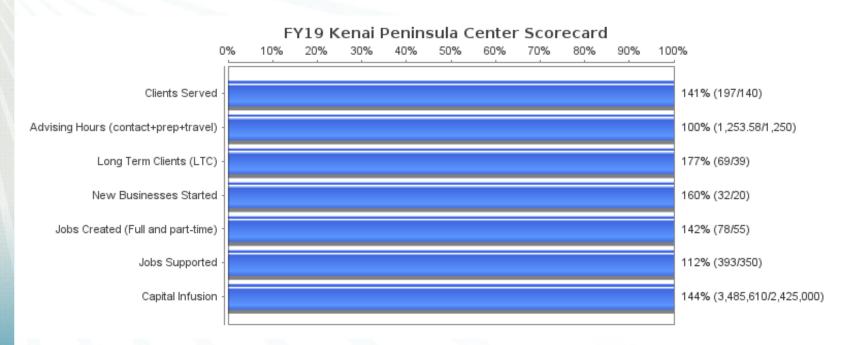
- IBISWorld Subscription
  - 700+ industry reports
  - Updated 6-12 months
  - \$1,850 value each
- ProfitCents Subscription
  - 1400+ industry benchmarks
  - Ratio analysis and business valuation capabilities
  - \$2,400 value each







#### **RESULTS**



ALASKA SBDC'S ONLY PERFECT CENTER





#### **RESULTS**

Five-year trend for level of new client satisfaction

#### **POSITIVE SURVEYS**





"Working with Cliff from the SBDC to start our urgent care made the process a lot less painful."

- Jeoff Lanfear, MSN, FNP-C Urgent Care of Soldotna







"The SBDC helped me out as a new business owner from the very beginning — they were first there to help me to sort out whether or not to even buy my business at all! Having their expertise to lean on was very helpful and reassuring."

Micheley Kowalski,
 Resurrect Art Coffee House,
 Seward



"The SBDC has been a great resource. Thank you for helping us hit the ground running."
- Devon Gonzalez Kenai Kombucha





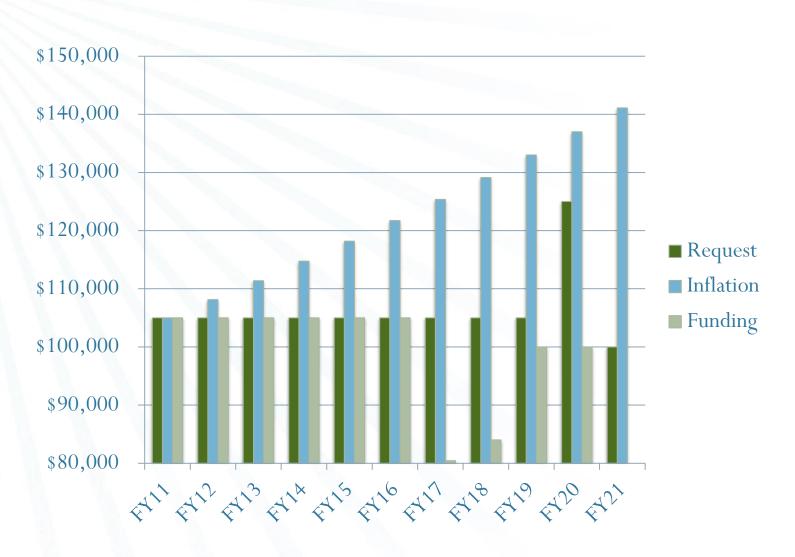
"The assistance I received from the Alaska SBDC was crucial to the start of my medical practice. I am beyond thankful to the Alaska SBDC, but especially Cliff, because his value in this process was immeasurable."

- Tanecia Webster, MSN, ANP
River Health & Wellness, Soldotna



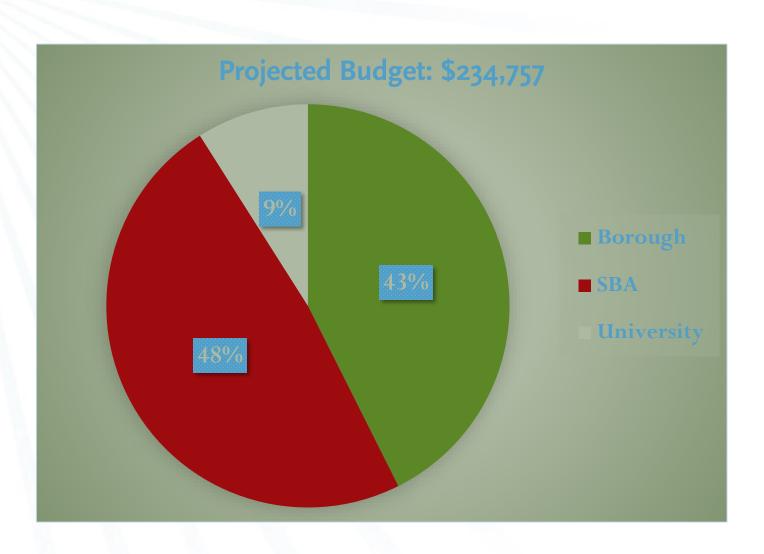


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#### **THANK YOU**

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