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A LOOK AT NONPROFITS

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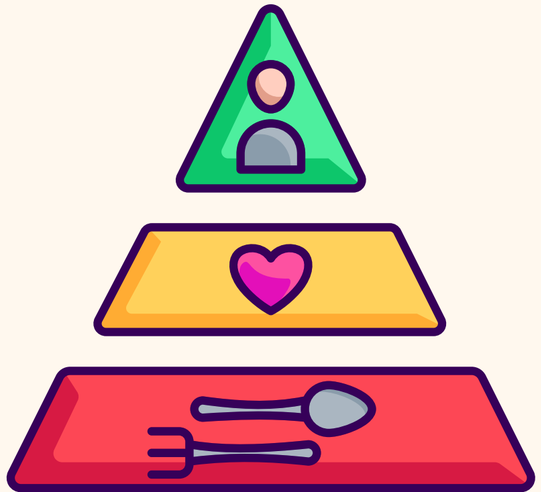
Nonprofit sector is vast and diverse



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Addresses community needs



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Advocate for social needs



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Promote cultural preservation



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Provides economic opportunities



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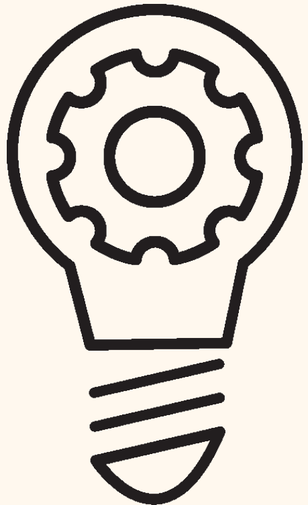
Encourage civic engagement



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Practice innovating solutions



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Fill gaps in education and training



Six Characteristics

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Today nonprofits are:

- Formal Organizations
- Nonprofit Distributing
- Self-Governing
- Private
- Voluntary
- Operating for Public Benefit

History of Nonprofits

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- Elizabethan statute of charitable uses
- Passed into law in 1601 in the United Kingdom

for Releife of aged impotent and poore people, some for Maintenance of sicke and maymed Souldiers and Marriners, Schooles of Learninge, Free Schooles and Schollers in Universities, some for Repaire of Bridges Portes Havens Causwaies Churches Seabankes and Highwaies, some for Educacion and prefermente of Orphans, some for or towardes Reliefe Stocke or Maintenance of Howses of Correccion, some for Mariages of poore Maides, some for Supportacion Ayde and Helpe of younge tradesmen Handicraftesmen and persons decayed, and others for reliefe or redemption of Prisoners or Captives, and for aide or ease of any poore Inhabitantes...

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What is the rank of the nonprofit sector employment in the U.S. workforce?

- A. 1st
- B. 3rd
- C. 5th

How many jobs do nonprofits account for in the U.S.?

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- A. 12.5 million
- B. 10 million
- C. 14 million

What percentage of the total private workforce does this represent?

- A. 5%
- B. 10%
- C. 15%

The nonprofit sector in the CNMI is

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underdeveloped

but

has great **potential** to enhance service capacity through partnerships with public agencies.



How to Start a Nonprofit

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Build mission and vision statements → Draft corporate documents → Submit to Registrar's office → Submit docs for Business License → Apply for Employer Identification Number (EIN) → Apply for IRS Tax-Exemption → Apply for Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) → Build projects, apply for funding

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Identify a need or a gap

Gather your Board of Directors

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer

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Build mission and vision statements

- Follow specific formats

Draft corporate documents

- Petition to Charter
- Articles of Incorporation
- Bylaws
- Annual Corporate Report

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Submit to Registrar's office

- Department of Commerce, Capital Hill

Submit docs for Business License

- Record of Zoning Inquiry
- Business License application
- Other required forms

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Apply for Employer Identification Number (EIN)

- Free and online only

Apply for IRS Tax-Exemption

- One time fee of $275 or $600 online only

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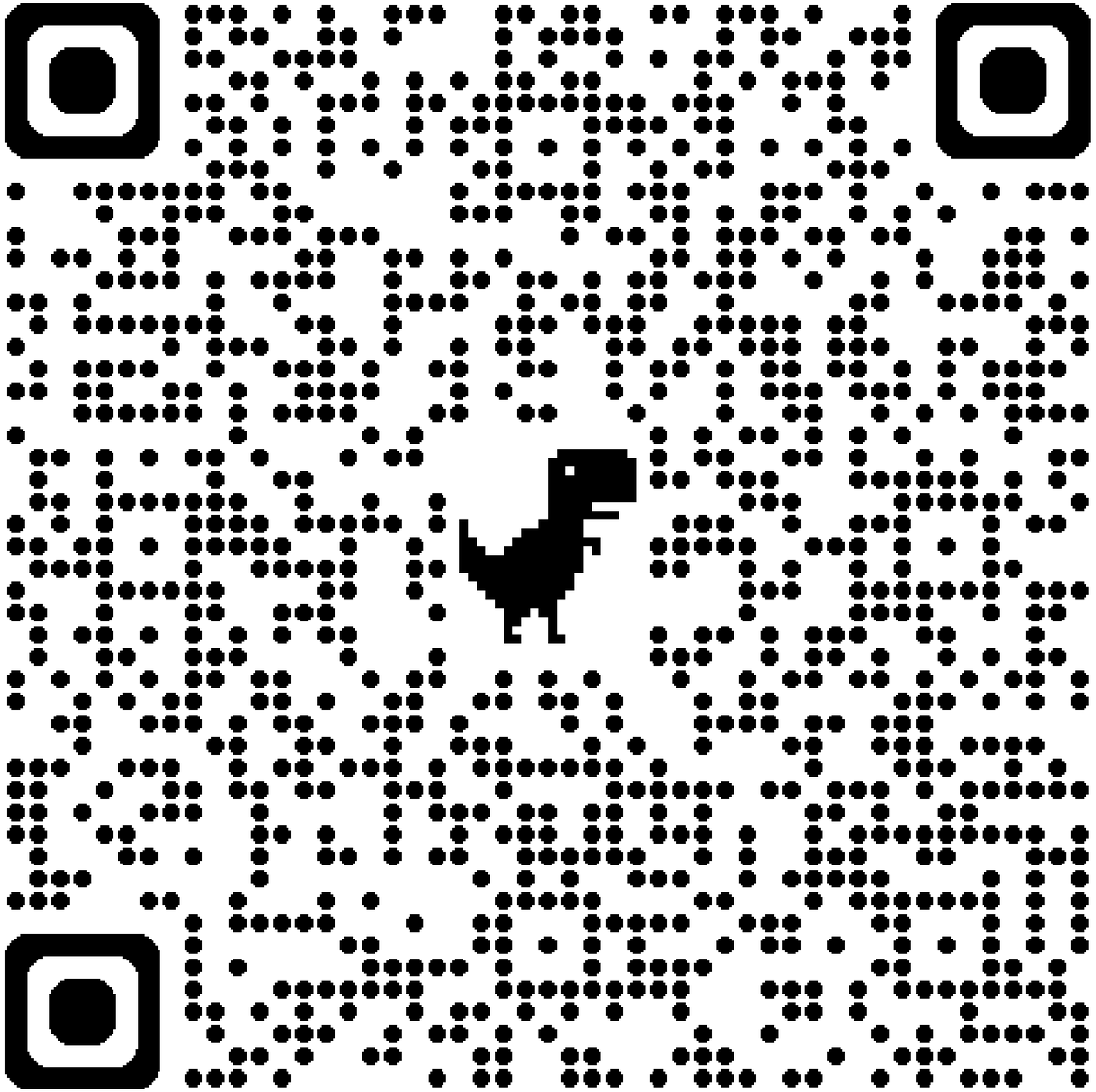
Apply for Unique Entity Identifier (UEI)

- Specific for federal grant applications, proposals

Build projects, apply for funding

- Best to have a strategic plan

Resources




FIVE FLAGS
THEATER






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