

SASSETA Economic Stimulus Program

Frequently Asked Questions

1. How long is the program for?

The whole program is for 12 months starting with induction in January 2021, date to be confirmed. The initial few months will cover the training and once the training is complete, the mentoring and coaching phases will commence.

2. Who is eligible to join the program?

The program is looking for small to medium size enterprises both new and established; community policing forums; locksmiths; private security businesses; neighbourhood watches; legal advisory firms and non-profit organizations preferably but not exclusively in the security and law enforcement sector. Applications are received through the following landing pages:

[CFPs & Neighbourhood Watches](#)

[Legal Advisory and Law Firms](#)

[Private Security Companies](#)

[Private Investigators](#)

[Locksmiths](#)

[NPO's](#)

[SMMEs](#)

3. Are only businesses and organizations from the law enforcement and securities sector allowed to apply?

No, we are accepting applications from all sectors but those within the securities sector will be given preference. The businesses or organizations applying need to belong to SASSETA or not be affiliated (pay their skills development levy) to any other SETA.

4. Will the training and the mentoring be face to face or online?

Training will be face to face in central venues in the provinces from which recruitment is taking place but coaching and mentorship will be a combination of online and face to face. During the onboarding of those businesses who were successful in their application, the dates for both training and coaching will be sent out.

5. Who will be my coach?

Coaches are hand selected from experienced entrepreneurs that have started and run their own businesses and organizations. You will have a chance to meet the group of coaches and give your preference to the coach that you would like to work with. We will try our best to match you with the coach of your preference but cannot guarantee this will always be the case.

6. Is there any financial contribution that I have to make to enrol on the program?

No, although there is no financial contribution from you, your commitment to the program is important. Training and coaching will be for a period of 12months.

7. Does the training count towards a qualification?

Yes, the training is part of the accredited training for New Venture Creation Level 2 and will count towards the qualification should you wish to continue and complete the other modules.

8. What will be covered in the training?

The basics of starting and running a business will be covered in the training from entrepreneurial thinking and mindset; how to start and plan a business; the fundamental of marketing a business or organization; setting up business finances and ensuring the financial health of a business; the basics of funding and investment.

9. Who do I contact for more information or questions?

You can reach us at sasseta@trainingyoungminds.co.za

10. Who has authorized this program?

The program has been initiated and sponsored by SASSETA

