

Community Development Pipeline Program

Technical Assistance Services

Community leaders selected to be a part of the Community Development Pipeline program leadership cohort will receive a three-year scholarship to the Community Development Institute (CDI) and gain access to a variety of FREE technical assistance support services for their community (based on community needs).

Technical assistance services may include the following:

- Diversity, equity and inclusion (DEI) training and capacity building workshops
- Walk audit
- Brand development
- Economic development action plan development
- Business climate survey
- Strategic Doing workshop
- Poverty Simulation
- Leadership development (Gallup Strengths workshops and assessments for individuals and teams, trust building, team building simulations, and meeting and facilitation skill training)
- Community survey
- Community and economic development simulations
- Community convening (trust building and visioning)
- Business retention and expansion (BR&E) program development
- Strategic plan development
- Regional training

Technical assistance services will be provided on an as-needed basis based on community needs. Cohort members will participate in a request for assistance (RFA) process so they are paired with the appropriate service(s).

Technical assistance services will be offered following each completed year of CDI (fall 2023, spring 2024, fall 2024, spring 2025, and fall 2025). RFA applications will be prioritized by need, local capacity and community buy-in and support.

By the end of the three-year program, every leader that participates in the program will have engaged in at least three (3) technical assistance services (one per year).

If you have questions, please contact Shelby Fiegel at sfiegel@uca.edu or 501-450-5269.



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