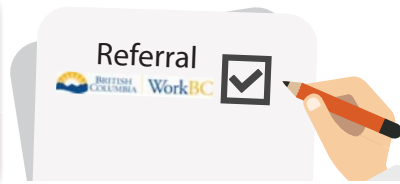


Initial Meetings with WorkBC

- Complete Preliminary Requirements
- Decision is made to explore Starting a Business while on EI
- WorkBC makes a Referral to CFDC



Orientation and Assessment

1 week

- Orientation - Business Checklist Workshop, 2 hours
- Complete Assignment
- Assessment Meeting and Recommendation



For Approval



Business Concept Development

2 weeks

- Business Concept Development Workshop
- One on One Business Concept Review
- Concept Application to Committee for Approval



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Business Plan Development

10 weeks

- Business Plan Training, Market Research, Marketing and Sales, Operations and Financial Management
- Writing your Business Plan
- Minimum 2, One on One Business Plan Reviews
- Business Plan Application to Committee for Approval



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Business Launch

38 weeks

- Business Launch Meeting
- 4 Mentor and Monitor Meetings
- Monthly Review and Ongoing Coaching

