

**CPP Quarterly Webinar: Procurement Technical Assistance Centers (PTACs)**  
**Operations and Support Division**  
**Fall 2022 - Commodity Chronicles**

On November 9<sup>th</sup>, New Vendor Coordinators (NVCs) collaborated with the Washington, D.C. Procurement Technical Assistance Center (PTAC) for their first quarterly webinar of Fiscal Year 2023, which had about 30 participants. PTACs offer personalized business counseling and competitive insights for navigating the government contracting process successfully. If vendors already have experience working on government contracts and are looking for help to secure other contracts, PTACs are a great resource. At the PTACs, businesses get help with strategies to pursue state, local and federal government contracts.

During the webinar, Venessa Kadiri from the Washington, D.C., PTAC presented on the various services PTACs typically offer, such as confidential, one-on-one advice, and guidance on how to navigate the procurement process more confidently and efficiently. PTAC assistance is tailored to meet vendor's specific goals in: contract research, bid matching, marketing plans, subcontracting, proposal preparation, GSA schedules, certifications [HubZone, 8(a) etc.], and post-award counseling.

For general PTAC questions, please contact your local PTAC within your state using the link below.

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