



BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM

BE BEP Certification Checklist

BE BEP offers seamless access to the State of Illinois' Business Enterprise Program (BEP) Certification by streamlining the process and boosting participation in State procurement. If you are already certified with the City of Chicago, the Chicago Transit Authority, Cook County Government, the Illinois Department of Transportation, Metra or Pace, then you are eligible to confirm your registration through the BE BEP process.



Each applicant business is required to:

- ☐ Confirm your BE BEP Registration through the Supplier Diversity Management Portal; no other documentation is needed.

BE BEP Certification will mirror your host agency's renewal date.

How to register:

To register for BE BEP, create an account and complete the online application provided through the Supplier Diversity Management Portal at

<https://supplierdiversitymanagementportal.illinois.gov/home.aspx>.

For assistance, contact us at:

Phone: 312-814-4190 or 1-800-356-9206

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