



# Small Business Development Centers - Phase II

## Final evaluation



- ✓ Period: March to May 2018
- ✓ Independent evaluation consultant



Countries in CARICOM, 7 evaluated

Antigua & Barbuda, Barbados, Belize, Dominica, Jamaica, Saint Lucia and St. Kitts & Nevis

# \$ 2,456m Investment

81% from U.S. Department of State and 19% from the Organization of American States

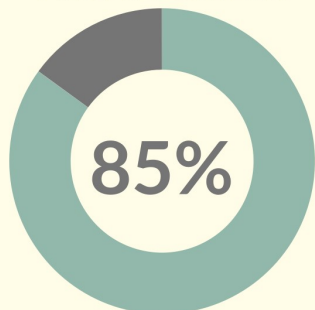


Stakeholders consulted

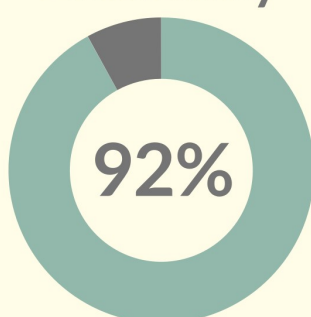
6 evaluation tools used including webinars and cost-benefit analysis

Purpose: review use of previous evaluation recommendations & PERFORMANCE

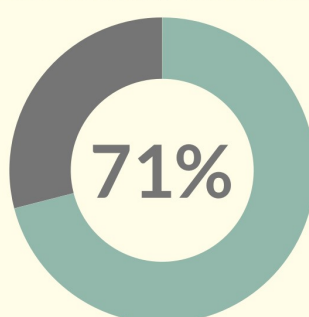
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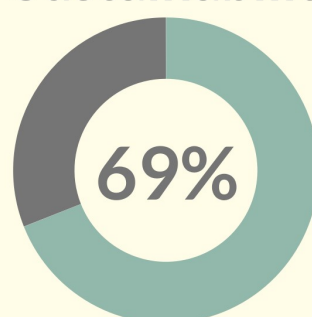
Efficiency



Effectiveness



Sustainability



COST - BENEFIT ANALYSIS: Comparison - cost per job in US MEED program: \$ 34,000

SBDC II



Clients: 6,199



Business advice hours: 9,178



Businesses started: 285



Jobs created: 192



Access to capital or new financing: USD 7,793,063

Cost to the U.S. tax payer in USD:

\$268 per client

\$ 181 per hour

\$ 5820 per business

\$ 8639 per job

\$ 0.21 per 1 \$ accessed