

<b>CONTACT INFORMATION</b>	
Organization Name	WOMEN'S VENTURE FUND
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<b>ORGANIZATION DESCRIPTION</b>	The Women's Venture Fund is a non-profit organization that helps women of diverse backgrounds in New York City and parts of New Jersey to establish thriving businesses in urban communities. WVF offers training, small business loans, and a network of business advisors to help women reach their business goals. By troubleshooting specific challenges and encouraging women to share their experiences with other entrepreneurs, WVF is able to expedite the growth of businesses participating in our programs.
<b>COUNTIES SERVED BY FINANCING PROGRAMS</b>	New York
<b>LOAN PROGRAM(S) DESCRIPTION</b> (Detail on borrower eligibility, geographic focus, eligible uses of funds, application requirements, etc.)	Offers loans of up to \$25,000.
<b>SERVE PRE-STARTUPS?</b>	Yes
<b>SERVE STARTUPS (LESS THAN ONE YEAR IN OPERATION)?</b>	Yes
<b>SERVE OPERATING BUSINESSES?</b>	Yes
<b>LOAN AMOUNTS</b>	Up to \$25,000
<b>INTEREST RATES</b>	Market + 2.5%
<b>FEES</b>	\$100 application fee
<b># OF LOANS MADE IN PREVIOUS CALENDAR YEAR</b>	
<b>TOTAL DOLLAR AMOUNT OF LOANS MADE IN PREVIOUS CALENDAR YEAR</b>	
<b>IS THE ORGANIZATION A CDFI?</b>	Yes
<b>OTHER SERVICES AVAILABLE</b>	Women entrepreneurs, training, peer support and technical assistance.