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BEP provides Oregonians who are legally blind the opportunity to manage food service and vending operations in governmental locations. Experienced OCB staff conduct training, assist in the replacement and repair of equipment, and help renovate facilities to ensure they meet all state and federal standards.

WHAT IS THE BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM (BEP)?

BECOMING A BUSINESS ENTERPRISE MANAGER

Qualified applicants must complete an extensive training program that includes hands-on experience at vending and cafeteria sites, classroom instruction, and online courses. Licensed managers are responsible for all daily food service operations such as inventory management, custodial duties, hiring, and customer service.

BEP FACILITY TYPES

- Vending machines
- Sundry and espresso carts
- Snack bars
- Cafeterias
- Micro markets
- Convenience stores