

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) – Region 5

The United States **Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)** is an agency of the Federal government which was created for the purpose of protecting human health and the environment by writing and enforcing regulations based on laws passed by Congress. To learn more about the EPA in preparation for your meetings, visit <https://www3.epa.gov/>

What does the EPA purchase?

- Environmental remedial services
- Emergency clean-up services
- Limited information technology hardware & services
- Other professional services

What Certifications are important to the EPA?

- Small Businesses
- 8(a)
- Historically Underutilized Business Zone (HUBZone)
- Service-Disabled Veteran Owned Small Businesses (SDVOSBs)
- Woman Owned Small Businesses (WOSBs) & Economically Disadvantaged Woman Owned Small Businesses (EDWOSBs)