**EDSI recognized as a 2022 Best For The World™ for**

**exceptional impact on its Customers**

Dearborn, MI -- EDSI, a national workforce development and training consulting company, has been named a [2022 Best for the World™](https://www.bcorporation.net/en-us/best-for-the-world) B Corp™ in recognition of its exceptional positive impact on its **Customers.** Best for the World is a distinction granted by B Lab to Certified B Corporations (B Corps) whose verified B Impact Scores in the five impact areas evaluated in the B Impact Assessment — community, customers, environment, governance, and workers — rank in the top 5% of all B Corps in their corresponding size group.

EDSI earned this honor because of its values-driven, mission-focused approach and commitment to servant leadership. The company invests in staff as much as customers, creating a culture that makes EDSI a great place to work.

*“During our application process to become a Certified B Corporation, there was a verbal interview where I found out that many companies try for ten years to get the score we got. I’ve known all along that EDSI’s commitment to operating as a people-first organization is unique and inspiring, so to have that reinforced was really meaningful. We are so grateful to stand beside 5,000 other amazing B Corps across 75 countries using business for the force of good,” said Kevin Schnieders, Chief Servant Leader.*

Every year, Best for the World recognizes the top-performing B Corps creating the greatest positive impact through their businesses. More than a badge of honor, Best for the World provides an opportunity for recognized companies to share knowledge, learnings, and best practices with the B Corp community and businesses outside of the community to encourage innovation and transformation across the business sector. The full lists are available at [bcorporation.net](https://www.bcorporation.net/en-us/best-for-the-world).

The Best for the Worldrecognition is administered by B Lab, the global nonprofit network that certifies and mobilizes B Corps, which are businesses that meet high standards of positive social and environmental performance, accountability, and transparency. Today, there are more than 5,000 B Corps across 80 countries and 155 industries, unified by one common goal: building an inclusive, equitable, and regenerative economic system.

"Each Best for the World edition is an opportunity to raise the bar for how businesses can and should operate to create real and lasting positive impact for their workers, customers, communities, and the environment," said Dan Osusky, Head of Standards and Insights at B Lab Global. "While no company is perfect and even the best companies can and should continue to strive to improve, the B Corps recognized as Best for the World can provide us all — standards setters, B Corps, non B Corps, and sustainability advocates — with inspiration on what true leadership in business can look like to make progress on addressing our current global challenges.”

B Corp Certification doesn’t just evaluate a product or service, it assesses the overall social and environmental impact of the company that stands behind it. To achieve B Corp Certification, a company must meet a score of at least 80 points on the B Impact Assessment, an evaluation of a company’s positive impact, and pass a risk review, an evaluation of a company’s negative impact; change their corporate governance structure to be accountable to all stakeholders, not just shareholders; and exhibit transparency by allowing information about their B Corp Certification performance to be publicly available on their B Corp profile on B Lab’s website.

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**About EDSI:** EDSI (Educational Data Systems, Inc.) is a workforce development and consulting company with a passion for helping people and companies in transition. For 43 years, EDSI has worked with state agencies, workforce development boards, community partners and employers to deliver innovative solutions that create a better workforce. EDSI has assisted over 700,000 participants, many of whom are considered hard-to-serve, including unemployed and underemployed adults and dislocated workers, incumbent workers, at-risk youth and those aging out of the foster care system, foreign-born adults, TANF recipients, Veterans, individuals with disabilities, noncustodial parents, returning citizens and those in recovery. We operate 115 contracts in nine states with a staff of 850 professionals.

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**About B Lab:** B Lab is transforming the global economy to benefit all people, communities, and the planet. A leader in economic systems change, our global network creates standards, policies, tools, and programs for business, and we certify companies — known as B Corps — who are leading the way. To date, our community includes 400,000 workers in over 5,000 B Corps across 80 countries and 155 industries, and more than 200,000 companies manage their impact with the B Impact Assessment and the SDG Action Manager. B Lab has created and led efforts to pass over 50 corporate statutes globally that enable stakeholder governance, with over 10,000 companies using the legal framework. To learn more and join the movement, visit [www.bcorporation.net](http://www.bcorporation.net/).

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