

Starter List of Government Consulting Firms

Abt Associates

Abt Associates is a mission driven global leader in research and program implementation in the fields of health, social and environmental policy, and international development. Known for its rigorous approach to solving complex challenges, Abt Associates is regularly ranked as one of the top 20 global research firms and one of the top 40 international development innovators.

<http://www.abtassociates.com/About-Us/Overview.aspx>

Acumen LLC

Acumen, LLC is committed to the improvement of public policy through information management, and they have worked with several agencies to develop resources to build their internal databases and self-evaluation capacity. Acumen, LLC provides government agencies with high-quality, impartial research and analytical tools to inform decision-making. Acumen offers practitioners a powerful policy analysis capability, providing specific, impartial advice and context for policy debates.

<http://www.acumenllc.com/about-us/default.html>

Accenture

Accenture launched its Delivering Public Service for the Future program with our foundational piece of research and thought leadership, Delivering Public Service for the Future: Navigating the Shifts. Their Integrated Social Services center human services delivery on families to realize new outcomes. Their Intelligent Processing Service improves tax collection and reduces fraud for governments to maximize revenue compliance. Their Enterprise Services for Government provides new and improved services for citizens through ERP-led government transformation.

<http://www.accenture.com/us-en/industry/public-service-government/Pages/public-service-government-index.aspx>

Avascent

Avascent is the leading independent strategy and management consulting firm serving clients in government-driven industries. With a team of over 100 full-time professionals and a worldwide network of regional and subject matter experts, Avascent has nearly 30 years of experience of helping companies chart paths to business growth in the defense, intelligence, and civilian sectors.

<http://www.avascent.com/about-avascent/>

A.T. Kearney

A.T. Kearney combines commercial and public-sector expertise to address governments' most challenging issues. Working collaboratively with their clients in defense, economics, education, health, and other disciplines, A.T. Kearney applies strategic insight to develop tailored solutions that help them achieve high-impact, sustainable results. A.T. Kearney's capabilities include creating a more agile government, helping to provide more economic development for the government they are working with, and working at anywhere from the city level to the federal level of government.

https://www.atkearney.com/public-sector/capability/-/asset_publisher/0Uam60EID1yD/content/agile-government/10192

Bearing Point

Governments have made major administrative changes in the last 10 years. The development of online public services, back office optimization under 'e-government,' reduction of red tape, introduction of value for money budgeting control and the creation of independent regulators and sustainable development concerns have all had major impacts. These changes will continue, and there are a number of challenges still ahead as governments explore new policies to provide more efficient and higher quality services.

<http://www.bearingpoint.com/en-uk/7633-1081/government/>

Booz Allen Hamilton

The professionals at Booz Allen help civilian government agencies tackle their most complex challenges, such as reforming financial regulatory oversight, evolving our healthcare system, improving information sharing and mission integration among law enforcement organizations, strengthening cybersecurity, improving energy efficiency, supporting green building initiatives, and implementing our nation's Next Generation Air Transportation System. Booz Allen's strategy and technology experts have helped with strategic planning, intelligence management and analysis, information sharing, training, counterintelligence and other mission support. Booz Allen's global defense experts have the experience, perspective, and know-how to support the Department of Defense's toughest missions. With 22,000 employees in 80 offices, the firm generates annual revenues of approximately \$5.4 billion. Booz Allen is continually recognized for its quality work and corporate culture and has been ranked first by *Vault* in public sector consulting in 2014.

<http://www.boozallen.com/consultants/civilian-government/government-management>

Cadmus Group

Cadmus provides a full complement of technical, program management, and strategic services and solutions to help federal and state agencies, nongovernmental public interest organizations, and the private sector meet critical challenges in the energy, environmental, and health sectors. Our service offerings are grounded in the physical and life sciences, engineering, and social sciences, enabling us to take a collaborative, multidisciplinary approach to the work we do. As varied as our services are, our goal for them remains constant: to advance our clients' goals, create social value, protect the natural environment, and improve people's lives.

<http://www.cadmusgroup.com/our-company/>

Capgemini

Capgemini supports the public sector with a skilled approach in a number of key areas of expertise.

Also, our US Government Solutions Group, located in the Washington DC metro area, works with the Departments of Defense, Homeland Security, Justice, Treasury, Health and Human Services, and Agriculture, as well as multiple state and municipal tax, social welfare, criminal justice and public health departments. Capgemini offers a number of services to its clients such as their Transform Police program where they help to promote a more connected police department, or their tax and welfare program where they help to maximize tax revenue and improve welfare provision to citizens.

<https://www.capgemini.com/public-sector>

CGI

CGI's public sector expertise is focused on defense and intelligence, health and human services, public safety and justice, tax, revenue and collections and space programs. Governments partner with us to develop agile, secure and mobile solutions that address both current and emerging priorities. We also help protect their sensitive data and against the threat of persistent cyber-attacks through our extensive security expertise. We provide strategic thinking to transform programs and back-office operations using technologies such as cloud computing in revolutionary ways. CGI has earned a reputation for solving technically complex challenges in biometrics (where we also have our own intellectual property), cybersecurity, electronic warfare, C4ISR, secure hosting, cloud computing, and systems integration.

<https://www.cgi.com/en/governments>

CSC

Whether supporting troops, modernizing and protecting government infrastructure, or delivering better solutions to citizens, CSC public sector consultants address governments' biggest challenges. CSC offers services in border and immigration, climate and energy, health services, logistics, and science and engineering just to name a few of them. All of their services and offerings are designed to support the government as the world changes and as citizens' needs rapidly undergo change.

http://www.csc.com/public_sector

Deloitte

Public sector leaders at every level are tackling the challenges of today and tomorrow with help from Deloitte professionals. Deloitte brings an unmatched breadth and depth of public and private sector experience to help address your mission-critical needs and offer innovative opportunities. Deloitte works with public sector leaders to address today's most pressing challenges: transforming government, boosting performance, improving accountability, enhancing citizen service, ensuring security and privacy, fighting terrorism, or preparing for the impact of an aging population.

http://www2.deloitte.com/us/en/industries/public-sector.html?icid=top_public-sector

Hagerty Consulting

Hagerty provides emergency management services to federal, state, and local governments, colleges and universities, non-profits, and the private sector. Hagerty helps clients prepare for and recover from disasters. Since its incorporation, Hagerty has consistently been recognized for its quality, innovation, and client service.

<http://www.hagertyconsulting.com/>

IBM

Implement proven strategies and technology solutions for successful public governance. By leveraging new business models, innovative capabilities and the wealth of data available, you can create a robust and efficient public infrastructure, ensure safety and security, support the needs of individuals, facilitate sustainable economic growth, and build stronger communities. IBM can help to protect nation's borders, strengthen national security, build intelligent transportation systems, improve public safety, improve government health and social programs, and manage resources effectively.

<http://www-935.ibm.com/industries/government/?lnk=msolS-gove-usen>

ICF International

Since 1969, ICF has been serving government at all levels, major corporations, and multilateral institutions. More than 5,000 employees serve these clients from more than 70 offices worldwide. Within each of our 13 markets, ICF offers advisory and implementation services to assist clients in strategy and policy analysis, program management, project evaluation, and other services.

<http://www.icfi.com/about>

KPMG

Around the world, all levels of government and public sector organizations are facing pressures from financial crises to constituent upheaval to rapidly urbanizing populations. How they choose to address these challenges impacts every part of a country's economy. KPMG's Global Government & Public Sector practice works to deliver meaningful results through a deep understanding of the issues, an intimate appreciation of how the public sector works, and global and local insight into the cultural, social and political environment.

<http://www.kpmg.com/global/en/industry/government-public-sector/pages/default.aspx>

Lewin Group

The Lewin Group (Lewin) is a health care consulting firm. We support our clients with policy research and data analysis on Medicare, Medicaid and CHIP, health care financing, strategic workforce planning, health program evaluation, comparative effectiveness research and other important areas of the public health policy arena. We evaluate health reform options using data-driven financial modeling.

<http://www.lewin.com/>

LMI

As a global strategic consultancy focused on the public sector, LMI works with leaders and managers to help them make decisions that create immediate and enduring value. Since our founding in 1961, we have had a profound impact for clients across the U.S. government and in global ministries, helping them operate with greater predictability and less risk, building efficiency and transparency and far-reaching outcomes. From agriculture to aerospace, defense to disaster relief, our broad client base encompasses critical public sectors: Defense, Intelligence, Healthcare, Homeland Security, Energy and Environment, and Civil Government.

<http://www.lmi.org/en/Home>

Maximus

At MAXIMUS, we are driven by a common purpose to improve the lives of those we serve by operating government health and human services programs. For four decades, we have partnered with government agencies to transform lives and strengthen communities through more effective health, welfare, employment, child support, and education programs. Our services include, but are not limited to business process management, outreach and education, and case management.

<http://www.maximus.com/our-expertise>

Obsidian

Having worked with all levels of government, Obsidian understands the ongoing challenges facing the public sector, and the need for coordination both within an agency, as well as across the federal, state, and local levels. Equally important, Obsidian recognizes the essential nature of strong public-private partnerships that can withstand multiple reverberations of a cyber-attack. Obsidian Analysis supports government organizations to refine their Cybersecurity preparedness strategies. <http://www.obsidiandc.com/what/cyber-and-information-security/public-sector-government/>

SRA International

At SRA we combine our creativity, mission experience, technology acumen and domain expertise to deliver innovative IT solutions and professional services in support of the toughest mission and operational challenges of the U.S. government. We are inspired by our customers' missions and provide the best people, working together to generate the best ideas, to deliver the best possible performance - all driven by our enduring values of Honesty and Service. SRA helps solve some of the most complex challenges in national and homeland security, counterterrorism and intelligence, law enforcement, energy, the environment, health, veteran's affairs, agriculture, commerce, transportation and beyond. www.sra.com

Towers Watson

Towers Watson is a leading global professional services company that helps organizations improve performance through effective people, risk and financial management. With 16,000 associates around the world, we offer consulting, technology and solutions in the areas of benefits, talent management, rewards, and risk and capital management. Towers Watson helps U.S. federal agencies transform their human capital practices. By using the best from the private sector—innovative workforce planning, pay for performance, phased retirement and HR outsourcing programs — Towers Watson helps agencies find new ways to maximize their investment in people. Towers Watson's services address three key areas of human capital management: Signature-ready Preparation Services, Compliance Consulting, and Ongoing Support <http://www.towerswatson.com/en/Services/Services/governmental-forms-services>

Unisys

Public Sector organizations today are faced with multiple challenges, simultaneously, and from all directions. There is an expectation that they must be innovative in their approach to services. They are being asked to meet the growing demand for services, and deliver them in a manner most convenient to the citizen. At the same time, mandated cost savings translates into shrinking IT budgets. There is constant pressure on governments to do more with less, faster, and more securely. Unisys sits at the center of many mission critical needs of public sector organizations around the world including immigration and border control, security, health and human services, and public safety and justice. <http://federal.unisys.com/industries/public-sector>

*****Other Notes**

-Many of the large consulting firms, Boston Consulting Group, Bain, KPMG, etc. have divisions for public sector consulting, such as you see for Deloitte and McKinsey; research the firm's website and then talk with the recruiter of the consulting firms that come to campus.

-See Vault's list of 20 Ranked Government Consulting Firms:

<http://www.vault.com/company-rankings/consulting/best-firms-in-each-practice-area/?sRankID=279>