Table 2DCC Licenses Six Key Types of Cannabis Businesses

BUSINESS TYPE	DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS
Cultivation	Plants, grows, harvests, dries, cures, grades, or trims cannabis. The type of license issued may vary according to several factors, including the size of the cultivated area and whether cannabis grows indoors or outdoors.
Manufacturing	Makes products from cannabis plants, such as edible cannabis. Businesses vary according to the activities performed and the processes used for production.
Testing Laboratory	Tests cannabis goods before they are sold by a retailer.
Retail	Sells cannabis products through either storefronts or delivery.
Distribution	Transports cannabis products between other licensed cannabis businesses, such as by taking finished cannabis products from a manufacturer to a retailer. This business type may also provide storage of cannabis products for other licensees and arrange for the testing of cannabis goods.
Microbusiness	Performs at least three of the following licensed activities at one location: cultivation of no more than 10,000 square feet, manufacturing, distribution, or retail sales.

Source: State law and DCC.