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How to Reboot Your Work-From-Home Career During the Pandemic

If you've spent the last several years building a work-from-home career only to suffer a job loss during the pandemic, you're not alone. Millions of Americans are trying to bounce back after a career setback. But you have an advantage many others don't: You're used to working from home. Now, you just have to get out there, find more work, and ensure that you're set up for long-term success. Here are some practical tips to get you started:

Hit the Web

These days, it's easier than ever to find jobs online.

- Start with general interest job sites like [Indeed](#), Monster, and Career Builder.
- If you want sites more tailored to freelance and contract work, try Upwork, [Fiverr](#), and Toptal Business.
- Use [Virtual Vocations](#), FlexJobs, and Remote.co for finding remote-only work.
- To find tech-related remote jobs, try GitHub Jobs, AngelList, and [PowerToFly](#).

Make a Workspace

No matter what kind of work you do at home, you will need a proper workstation.

- Make sure your workspace allows you to [separate](#) your work and home life.
- Choose a location in your home that provides plenty of access to [natural light](#).
- Choose attractive and efficient [lighting](#) to use during the darker hours.
- Don't hesitate to put out a few [house plants](#).
- Paint the walls a [color](#) that motivates you and helps you stay productive.

Equip Yourself

Continuing to learn and investing in the right tools will go a long way in helping you succeed.

- Find marketing and social networking opportunities when you join the [Spring River Area Chamber of Commerce](#).
- Consider [pursuing](#) an online degree to grow your business knowledge and skills.
- Invest in a quality desk and [ergonomic chair](#) for your workspace.
- Look into all of the communication and [collaboration tools](#) that can help you succeed as a remote worker.
- And don't forget about the wealth of [productivity apps](#) out there that can help you stay accountable and efficient on a daily basis.

Even though no one really knows how long the pandemic will last, it doesn't have to stop you from having a great career now and in the future. Look on the right job sites for new work, make sure you have a sufficient workspace, and equip yourself for short-term and long-term success.