

## Service Overview

# Micro Focus Visual COBOL Best practices Workshop

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Micro Focus is committed to providing a better service to its customers. The Micro Focus Visual COBOL Quick Start service offering is designed to provide a variety of services including - Project Planning, Environment Configuration, “How To”, Best Practices and hands-on support with Micro Focus Visual COBOL (VC) using the Customers Application environment/components/data and enable customers to deriving maximum value – and be enabled on Micro Focus Visual COBOL. This offering is designed for customers already using Visual COBOL as well as those customers upgrading from Net Express or Server Express to the Visual COBOL solution.

This services offering demonstrates the project planning, best practices for application migration/modernization using Visual COBOL – and re-building/migrating/modernizing applications in a distributed environment using the customer’s own source code.

## Scope & Deliverables

This offering can cover all aspects (or a subset – or specific topics) of a full Micro Focus Visual COBOL solution implementation, including a Project Plan, Environment preparation, application component setup in Visual COBOL software, and mentoring.

## Planning Session

During the planning session, Micro Focus and the customer will

- Review hardware, software and operating system requirements and prerequisites
- Discuss & Finalize Engagement Topics & Deliverables – for example:
  - software installation
  - configuration options
  - Code/Component development
  - Deployment options
  - Mobilization
  - GUI presentation layers
  - Code Management
  - POC on subset of application code
  - Training
  - Testing
  - ...
- Define roles and responsibilities for client and Micro Focus teams
- Develop an Engagement Plan and next steps

The customer will be responsible for preparing the infrastructure components and collecting all source elements per the planning session.

## Engagement Structure

Micro Focus will provide remote (Phone, Email, Zoom, TEAMS, WebEx, etc.) assistance to the customer – we recommend remote support for most projects as well as after the objectives and deliverables of the initial engagement are completed. These support services includes the following activities: software installation, configuration, testing connectivity, as well as training and continuing education.

## Mentoring

The Micro Focus consultant will mentor customer developers throughout the engagement/project to introduce best practice approaches for all tasks/deliverables – in order to train the customer teams.

Mentoring will target those usage scenarios that will provide the most skill reinforcement and productivity gains up front and typically includes both group and individual sessions. Process documentation will be developed during and distributed at the end of the engagement.

## Service Fees

For pricing and more information, contact Micro Focus directly at [consulting@microfocus.com](mailto:consulting@microfocus.com)