Getting to Remote Desktop in Windows 8

To get to the Remote Desktop Connection application in Windows 8, while on your Start Screen bring up the Charm Bar on your device. To access the Charm Bar: On a touch screen you would swipe in from the right edge of your screen, on non-touch you have to point your mouse on the upper right corner of the screen, move the mouse pointer down. Touch or Click on Search (the magnifying glass) and type in Remote Desktop and the application should show. Touch or Click on it to open.

When you have the Remote Desktop open, you should see the icon on your toolbar at the bottom of the screen. If touch screen, hold the icon until you can pin it to the taskbar. Non-touch right click and pin to taskbar. It will be on your toolbar for future sessions.