



What is AmeriCorps?

AmeriCorps is the federal agency for national service and volunteerism. AmeriCorps provides opportunities for Americans of all backgrounds to serve their country, address the nation's most pressing challenges, improve lives and communities, and strengthen civic engagement.

Explore AmeriCorps Service Benefits



Receive Education Assistance

Receive an education award to repay qualified student loans or pay current or future educational expenses at eligible institutions of higher education and training programs. Our [Schools of National Service](#) may offer additional [educational benefits](#) upon acceptance to their programs.



Grow Professionally

AmeriCorps alumni are top-tier candidates for future employment opportunities. [Employers of National Service](#) connect alumni with employers from the private, public, and nonprofit sectors. You may also receive special consideration for employment with the federal government.



Get Support While You Serve

AmeriCorps members may receive living allowances, housing stipends, supplemental health insurance, travel reimbursement, food assistance, developmental training, networking opportunities, and more during their service term.

Enrich your Life by Helping Others

AmeriCorps VISTA

Looking to kickstart your professional career? Serve for a year or a summer with an organization tackling poverty to generate resources, encourage volunteer service, and empower individuals and communities. Build your resume as you coordinate administrative projects such as data management, grant writing, communications and marketing materials development, and more.

AmeriCorps NCCC

Are you 18-26 years old and looking for an adventure of a lifetime? AmeriCorps members in the NCCC program live and serve together, traveling as a team to communities across the country to address critical needs such as disaster response, public health emergencies, and more. Your travel and lodging expenses are included while you serve for 10-11 months or a summer.

AmeriCorps State and National

Ready to put your passion into action? Choose a service opportunity best fit for your unique interests. You can tutor and mentor students, fight climate change, improve health equity, or many other cause-related projects. Serving with AmeriCorps State and National can propel your personal development and career path while making a difference in your community.

Public Health AmeriCorps

Interested in joining the next generation of public health leaders? AmeriCorps members serving in Public Health AmeriCorps may connect underserved communities to resources, provide mental health support to youth, or raise awareness about various illnesses. Get hands on experience and training, meet public health professionals, and develop your resume.