



The Notice of Funding Opportunity

Session 1: Wednesday, Oct. 3

3:30-4:30pm ET







Housekeeping

- All lines on mute
- Questions via chat box
- Technical difficulties? Let us know via the chat
- Call is being recorded
- Recording and slides available after the webinar
- See <u>www.nationalservice.gov/rsvpcompetition</u> for all info and resources

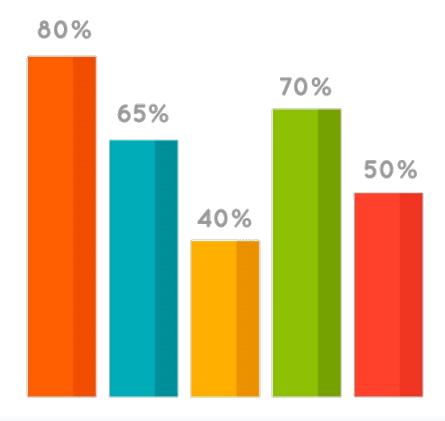
Training Calendar

Webinar	Cycle 1	Cycle 2
Introduction to CNCS, Senior Corps and RSVP	Oct. 2	Oct. 16
Notice of Funding Opportunity Overview	Oct. 3	Oct. 17
RSVP in Action: Mobilizing a Generation	Oct. 4	Oct. 18
National Performance Measures	Oct. 10	Oct. 23
Submitting Your Application via eGrants	Oct. 11	Oct. 25

All calls at 3:30ET/12:30PT



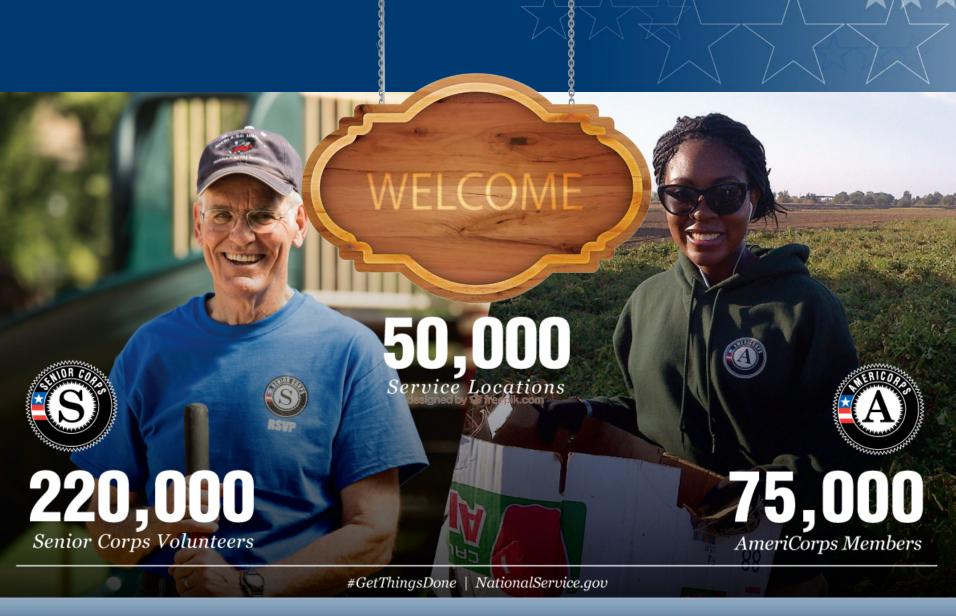




Agenda

- Brief Introduction to CNCS, Senior Corps and RSVP
- Guided Tour of the Notice of Funding Opportunity
- Recap





About the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS)

- Independent federal agency that supports volunteerism and civic engagement
- Mission: Improve lives, strengthen communities and foster civic engagement through service and volunteerism
- Works in partnership with state and local partners, often through grants





About CNCS







Boutique Programs

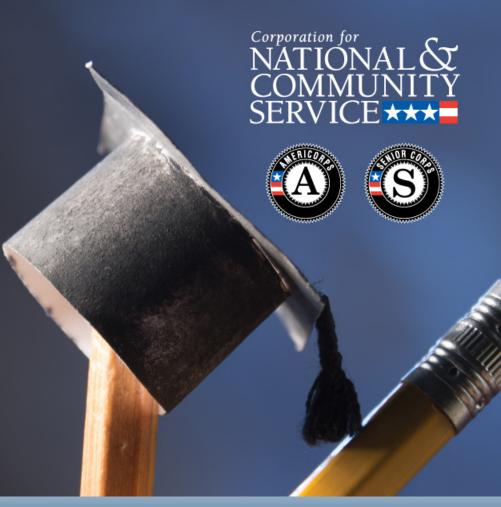






Senior Corps and AmeriCorps members support students in nearly

12,000 public, parochial, and charter schools across the country.





AmeriCorps and Senior Corps members are addressing the opioid crisis in more than **150** communities across **45** states.





NationalService.gov/SubstanceAbuse



About CNCS

- NationalService.gov
- https://www.nationalserv ice.gov/impact-ournation/state-profiles
- Your CNCS State Office
- Social Media: <u>https://www.nationalserv</u> <u>ice.gov/newsroom/social-</u> media-hub



Introducing Senior Corps

- Nation's largest network of older American volunteers
- 220,000 volunteers in every state in the country, plus D.C., Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands
- Support more than 70,000 organizations across the country





The Foster Grandparent Program

- Foster Grandparents are role models, mentors, and friends to children with exceptional needs.
- Volunteers serve at thousands of local organizations that:
 - Help children learn to read and provide one-on-one tutoring
 - Mentor troubled teenagers and young mothers
 - Care for premature infants or children with disabilities
 - Help children who have been abused or neglected
- Eligible volunteers may receive a small stipend to defray the costs of serving.





The Senior Companion Program

- Senior Companions provide assistance and friendship to adults who have difficulty with daily living tasks, such as shopping or paying bills.
- We help these adults remain independent in their homes instead of having to move to more costly institutional care.
- Senior Companions give families or professional caregivers a much needed time off from their duties, run errands, and often provide friendship for their clients.
- Eligible volunteers may receive a small stipend to defray the costs of serving.



Introducing RSVP

- Established in 1971
- Engages people 55 and older in diverse volunteer activities.
- Volunteers:
 - Tutor children
 - Renovate homes
 - Teach English to immigrants
 - Assist victims of natural disasters
 - Provide independent living services
 - Recruit and manage other volunteers
 - And much, much more.





Key Documents

Document	What's It For?	
FY 2019 RSVP Competition NOFO	Establishes competition, application requirements, evaluation criteria, funding priorities and more. Start here!	
RSVP Grant Application Instructions	Step-by-step instructions for navigating eGrants, CNCS' electronic grants management system	
Appendix A: List of Available Funding Opportunities by State	Lists available service areas and associated funding amounts and minimum requirements of volunteers	
Appendix B: RSVP National Performance Measure Instructions	Summarizes performance measurement requirements, lists available measures	
Work Plan Development Worksheets	Allows you to plan Work Plans outside of eGrants	
Frequently Asked Questions	Updated periodically, provides more information on specific questions	



Key Documents



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a substitute for reading all materials carefully





