Meeting community needs in Iowa. More than **19,000** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through **80** national service projects across Iowa. Serving with national and local nonprofits, schools, faith-based organizations and other groups, these citizens tutor and mentor children, coordinate after-school programs, build homes, conduct neighborhood patrols, restore the environment, respond to disasters, build nonprofit capacity and recruit and manage volunteers. This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service will commit more than **$9,600,000** to support Iowa communities through three national service initiatives:

Senior Corps: More than **7,100** seniors in Iowa contribute their time and talents in one of three Senior Corps programs. Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to more than **7,000** young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than **910** homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols for local police departments, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than **1,300** groups across Iowa.

AmeriCorps: This year AmeriCorps will provide more than **740** individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, public safety and other pressing needs in communities across Iowa. Roughly three-quarters of all AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the Governor-appointed Iowa Commission on Volunteer Service, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by the Corporation directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals will serve through AmeriCorps*VISTA, whose members help bring individuals and communities out of poverty by serving full-time to fight illiteracy, improve health services, create businesses and increase housing opportunities, and AmeriCorps*NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps), a 10-month, full time residential program for men and women between the ages of 18 and 24. In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn an education award of up to $4,725 that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than **4,800** Iowa residents have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than **$15,400,000**.

Learn and Serve America: Learn and Serve America provides grants to schools, colleges, and nonprofit groups to engage more than **11,000** Iowa students in community service linked to academic achievement and the development of civic skills. This type of learning, called service-learning, improves communities while preparing young people for a lifetime of responsible citizenship. Learn and Serve America also provides curricula and other resources to teachers, faculty members, schools, and community groups.

The Corporation for National and Community Service improves lives, strengthens communitites, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering. Each year the Corporation engages more than four million Americans in service to meet local needs through Senior Corps, AmeriCorps, and Learn and Serve America. To learn visit www.NationalService.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 202-565-2799.

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Iowa At a Glance

Senior Corps

Senior Corps	Projects	Participants		Program Funding
Foster Grandparent Program	9	588		$1,858,704
Retired and Senior Volunteer Program	20	6,214		$987,015
Senior Companion Program	6	352		$1,079,593
Senior Corps Total	**35**	**7,154**		**$3,925,312**

AmeriCorps

AmeriCorps	Program Sites	Participants [1]	Education Award [2]	Program Funding
AmeriCorps State (Competitive)	7	210	$657,813	$1,638,827
AmeriCorps State (Formula)	5	130	$324,875	$920,970
AmeriCorps National	4	16	$75,600	$180,550
AmeriCorps VISTA	36	64	$302,400	$894,795
AmeriCorps*NCCC	7	160	N/A	N/A [3]
Education Awards Program (National)	2	7	$33,075	$2,800
Education Awards Program (State)	1	158	$165,750	$19,890
AmeriCorps Total	**62**	**745**	**$1,559,513**	**$3,657,832**

Learn and Serve America

Learn and Serve America	Grantees	Participants	Subgrantees	Program Funding
K-12 School-Based	1	10,574	26	$156,657
K-12 Community-Based		33	1	N/A
Higher Education		857	2	N/A
Learn and Serve America Total	**1**	**11,464**	**29**	**$156,657**

Administrative Funds

Administrative Funds				Program Funding
Disability Outreach				$50,929
Program Development & Technical Assistance				$96,000
State Commission Administration				$225,966
Administrative Funds Total		**N/A**		**$372,895**
Program Totals	**98**	**19,363**	**$1,559,513**	**$8,112,696**

Total Corporation Funding (including Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards)   **$9,672,209**

[1] This figure represents the number of awarded positions available to be filled in the 2008 - 2009 program year. For AmeriCorps*VISTA and the Education Awards Program, this represents the actual number of AmeriCorps members in active service.

[2] This figure represents the maximum potential value of Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards that can be earned by AmeriCorps members serving in Iowa. The award can be used in any state to pay for college, graduate school, vocational training, or to pay back student loans. The education award total is included in total Corporation funding.
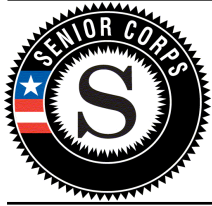
[3] Iowa is served by the AmeriCorps NCCC campus located in Vinton, Iowa.
  In the past year, the members based at the campus performed service project throughout Iowa. Members also serve MN, SD, ND, WI, OH, NE, IL, MI and IN.

Primary City	Program Name *Sponsor Organization* (*if different*)	Number of Participants	Program Type
Carroll	Foster Grandparent Program of Carroll County *Carroll County Board*	18	Foster Grandparent Program
Carroll	RSVP Carroll County *Carroll County Board*	441	RSVP
Cedar Rapids	Foster Grandparents Program *Community Corrections Improvement Association*	35	Foster Grandparent Program
Cedar Rapids	RSVP of Linn & Jones Counties *St. Luke's Hospital*	433	RSVP
Charles City	Charles City FGP *City of Charles City*	92	Foster Grandparent Program
Clarinda	RSVP of Clarinda *Clarinda Foundation*	280	RSVP
Clinton	RSVP of Clinton County *Mobile Meals United Inc*	315	RSVP
Council Bluffs	Pottawattamie/Mills County RSVP *American Red Cross - Council Bluffs Iowa*	164	RSVP
Decorah	Northeast Iowa RSVP *Decorah Public Library*	200	RSVP
Des Moines	United Way of Central Iowa RSVP *United Way of Central Iowa*	250	RSVP
Des Moines	Foster Grandparent Program *Visiting Nurse Services*	70	Foster Grandparent Program
Des Moines	Senior Companion Program *Visiting Nurse Services*	64	Senior Companion Program
Dubuque	Foster Grandparent Program *Dubuque Area Project Concern*	57	Foster Grandparent Program
Dubuque	Dubuque RSVP *The Finley Hospital*	379	RSVP
Forest City	North Central Iowa RSVP *Waldorf College*	222	RSVP
Fort Madison	North Lee County RSVP *City of Fort Madison*	135	RSVP
Ft. Dodge	Fort Dodge FGP *City of Fort Dodge*	64	Foster Grandparent Program

Senior Corps in Iowa

Primary City	Program Name *Sponsor Organization* (*if different*)	Number of Participants	Program Type
Ft. Dodge	RSVP of Fort Dodge *City of Fort Dodge*	123	RSVP
Glenwood	Glenwood FGP *Department of Human Services/Glenwood State Hospital School*	56	Foster Grandparent Program
Glenwood	SCP of Glenwood *Department of Human Services/Glenwood State Hospital School*	7	Senior Companion Program
Iowa City	RSVP Johnson/Iowa/Muscatine/Des Moines *Elder Services, Inc.*	425	RSVP
Mt. Pleasant	Henry County RSVP *Henry County Health Center*	152	RSVP
Newton	Newton/Jasper RSVP *ISU Extension, Jasper County*	75	RSVP
Omaha	Senior Companion Program *Presbyterian Outreach, Inc.*	17	Senior Companion Program
Ottumwa	FGP of Wapello County *American Home Finding Association*	49	Foster Grandparent Program
Ottumwa	Ottumwa RSVP *Ottumwa Area Chamber of Commerce*	299	RSVP
Rock Valley	Faith in Action Senior Volunteer Program *Rock Valley Rotary Club Foundation*	11	Senior Companion Program
Rock Valley	Rock Valley Rotary FGP *Rock Valley Rotary Club Foundation*	147	Foster Grandparent Program
Sioux City	RSVP of Woodbury County *Center for Assistance, Information, and Direction*	130	RSVP
Sioux City	Sioux City SCP *Center for Assistance, Information, and Direction*	137	Senior Companion Program
Spencer	Northwest Iowa RSVP *Iowa Lakes Community College*	650	RSVP
Story City	Central Iowa RSVP *Story City Senior Citizens, Inc.*	900	RSVP
Waterloo	RSVP of Black Hawk/Fayette *Covenant Medical Center*	284	RSVP

Primary City	Program Name *Sponsor Organization* (*if different*)	Number of Participants	Program Type
Waterloo	SCP of Waterloo *Hawkeye Community College*	116	Senior Companion Program
Webster City	Hamilton & Wright Counties RSVP *Hamilton County Supervisors*	357	RSVP
Total Number of Senior Corps Volunteers		7,154	

Primary City	Program Name *Sponsor Organization (if different)*	# of Members	Program Type
Ames	Iowa AmeriCorps State of Promise Grant *Iowa State University*	36	AmeriCorps State
Ames	Strengthening Communities *Points of Light Foundation*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Cedar Rapids	Iowa American Red Cross Project *American Red Cross Grant Wood Area Chapter*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Cedar Rapids	National Preparedness & Response Corps-Cedar Rapids *American Red Cross of Iowa - Grant Wood Area Chapter*	3	AmeriCorps National
Cedar Rapids	Each One Reach One Americorps Project *Community Corrections Improvement Association*	23	AmeriCorps State
Cedar Rapids	VISTA Neighborhood Assistance Project *Community Corrections Improvement Association*	15	AmeriCorps VISTA
Cedar Rapids	Iowa Campus Compact AmeriCorps*VISTA *Iowa Campus Compact*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Clinton	L'Arche Clinton - The Arch *L'Arche USA*	N/A	Education Awards Program
Coon Rapids	Great Places Iowa VISTA Project *Iowa Department of Cultural Affairs*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Coralville	VISTA Neighborhood Assistance Project *Community Corrections Improvement Association*	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Council Bluffs	Volunteer Coordinator *MICAH House Emergency Family Shelter*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Council Bluffs	Iowa Western Community College *University of Wisconsin, Parkside*	6	Education Awards Program
Davenport	BBBS AmeriCorps Consortium for Eastern Iowa *Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Mississippi Valley*	12	AmeriCorps State
Davenport	Iowa Campus Compact AmeriCorps*VISTA *Iowa Campus Compact*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Davenport	Iowa's Human and Civil Rights VISTA Project *Iowa Civil Rights Commission*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Des Moines	State of Iowa Youth Action Committee *Division of Criminal and Juvenile Justice Planning*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Des Moines	EVERYBODY WINS! With AmeriCorps Des Moines *Everybody Wins! IA*	1	AmeriCorps National

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Des Moines	Everybody Wins! Iowa Power Lunch *Everybody Wins! IA*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Des Moines	Habitat VISTA Project *Habitat for Humanity of Iowa, Inc.*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Des Moines	Oakridge Resident Engagement Initiative *Homes of Oakridge Human Services*	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Des Moines	Iowa Campus Compact AmeriCorps*VISTA *Iowa Campus Compact*	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Des Moines	Iowa's Human and Civil Rights VISTA Project *Iowa Civil Rights Commission*	5	AmeriCorps VISTA
Des Moines	Rural Education and Community Help: REACH AmeriCorps *Iowa Coalition Against Domestic Violence*	22	AmeriCorps State
Des Moines	Iowa VISTA Disaster Corps *Iowa Commission on Volunteer Service*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Des Moines	Great Places Iowa VISTA Project *Iowa Department of Cultural Affairs*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Des Moines	Green Iowa AmeriCorps Energy Unit *Iowa Dept. of Natural Resources*	56	AmeriCorps State
Des Moines	Keepers of the Land AmeriCorps *Iowa Dept. of Natural Resources*	52	AmeriCorps State
Des Moines	Iowa Legal Aid AmeriCorps Project *Iowa Legal Aid*	11	AmeriCorps State
Des Moines	Project Welcome *Lutheran Services of Iowa*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Des Moines	Minnesota Conservation Corps-Iowa *Minnesota Conservation Corps*	10	AmeriCorps National
Des Moines	AmeriCorps Partnering to Protect Children *Prevent Child Abuse Iowa*	15	AmeriCorps State
Des Moines	Passageway / RAINBOW Center Expansion Project *RAINBOW Center, Inc.*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Des Moines	Rebuilding Together Greater Des Moines	2	AmeriCorps National
Des Moines	Iowa Accountability Program *State Court Administrator's Office, Iowa Judicial Branch*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Dubuque	Partners in Learning AmeriCorps Program *City of Dubuque*	53	AmeriCorps State

AmeriCorps in Iowa

Primary City	Program Name / *Sponsor Organization (if different)*	# of Members	Program Type
Dubuque	Iowa Campus Compact AmeriCorps*VISTA / *Iowa Campus Compact*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Dubuque	Iowa's Human and Civil Rights VISTA Project / *Iowa Civil Rights Commission*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Fairfield	Great Places Iowa VISTA Project / *Iowa Department of Cultural Affairs*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Harlan	Volunteer/Marketing / *Shelby County Community Outreach*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Indianola	Iowa Campus Compact AmeriCorps*VISTA / *Iowa Campus Compact*	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Iowa City	Coralville Lake / *Student Conservation Association*	1	Education Awards Program
Keosauqua	Van Buren Schools Substance Abuse Prevention / *VanBuren Community School District*	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Lamoni	AmeriCorps Youth Launch / *Graceland University*	24	AmeriCorps State
Mason City	AC4C VISTA / *City of Mason City, Youth Task Force*	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Mason City	Habitat VISTA Project / *Habitat for Humanity of Iowa, Inc.*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Mason City	Habitat for Humanity of Iowa AmeriCorps / *Habitat for Humanity of Iowa, Inc.*	19	AmeriCorps State
Orange CIty	Iowa Campus Compact AmeriCorps*VISTA / *Iowa Campus Compact*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Pella	Iowa Campus Compact AmeriCorps*VISTA / *Iowa Campus Compact*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Sioux City	Midwest Consortium for Service-Learning in Higher Education / *Board of Regents, University of Nebraska*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Sioux City	Habitat VISTA Project / *Habitat for Humanity of Iowa, Inc.*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Sioux City	Iowa's Human and Civil Rights VISTA Project / *Iowa Civil Rights Commission*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Sioux City	VISTA State / *Morningside College*	3	AmeriCorps VISTA

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AmeriCorps in Iowa

Primary City	**Program Name** *Sponsor Organization* (if different)	**# of Members**	**Program Type**
Toddville	Eastern Iowa Conservation Alliance AmeriCorps Program *Linn County Conservation*	17	AmeriCorps State
Waterloo	Iowa's Human and Civil Rights VISTA Project *Iowa Civil Rights Commission*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Waverly	Iowa Campus Compact AmeriCorps Program *Iowa Campus Compact*	158	Education Awards Program (State)
Waverly	Iowa Campus Compact AmeriCorps*VISTA *Iowa Campus Compact*	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Total Number of AmeriCorps Members		**585**[1]	

Notes: If there are programs with identical names in separate entries, they are different grants to the same organization. If no members are shown, either the grant is for planning or technical assistance, or enrollment data was not available at the time of printing.

[1] Total AmeriCorps members does not include the 160 members in the NCCC campus

Primary City	Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Anita	Anita CSD	180	K-12 School-Based
Boone	Boone CSD	900	K-12 School-Based
Charter Oak	Charter Oak-Ute High School	N/A	K-12 School-Based
Clearfield	Clearfield CSD	21	K-12 School-Based
Corning	Corning CSD	105	K-12 School-Based
Council Bluffs	Iowa Western Community College	857	Higher Education
Davenport	Davenport CSD	3,704	K-12 School-Based
Des Moines	Des Moines Public Schools - High School	20	K-12 School-Based
Des Moines	Des Moines Public Schools - Merrill Middle School	28	K-12 School-Based
Des Moines	*Iowa Department of Education*		*K-12 School-Based*
Greenfield	Nodaway Valley Community School	244	K-12 School-Based
Hampton	Hampton-Dumont CSD	N/A	K-12 School-Based
Harlan	Harlan Community High School	597	K-12 School-Based
Iowa City	Iowa City CSD	42	K-12 School-Based
Iowa Falls	Iowa Falls CSD	N/A	K-12 School-Based
Keosauqua	Van Buren CSD	70	K-12 School-Based
Lamoni	Lamoni CSD	350	K-12 School-Based
Leon	Central Decatur CSD	450	K-12 School-Based
Marcus	Marcus-Meriden-Cleghorn CSD	480	K-12 School-Based
Mount Ayr	Mount Ayr CSD	325	K-12 School-Based
Muscatine	Muscatine High School	141	K-12 School-Based
Panora	Panorama CSD	355	K-12 School-Based
Pleasant Hill	Southeast Polk CSD	1,205	K-12 School-Based
Red Oak	Montgomery County Family YMCA	33	K-12 Community-Based
Sioux City	Morningside	N/A	Higher Education
Sioux City	West High School	1,137	K-12 School-Based
Spencer	Spencer CSD	N/A	K-12 School-Based
Tama	South Tama High School	55	K-12 School-Based
Urbandale	Urbandale CSD	12	K-12 School-Based
Waterloo	Waterloo CSD	153	K-12 School-Based
Total Number of Learn and Serve Participants		11,464	

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