



National Service in Georgia



MEETING COMMUNITY NEEDS IN GEORGIA

More than 5,000 people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through national service in Georgia. Serving at more than 650 locations throughout the state, these citizens tutor and mentor children, support veterans and military families, provide health services, restore the environment, respond to disasters, increase economic opportunity, and recruit and manage volunteers.

This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) will commit more than \$18,820,000 to support Georgia communities through national service initiatives. CNCS invests in cost-effective community solutions--working hand in hand with local partners to improve lives, expand economic opportunity, and engage citizens in solving problems in their communities. Serving in many of the state's most impoverished communities, CNCS provides vital support to schools, food banks, homeless shelters, community health clinics, youth centers, veterans service facilities, and other nonprofit and faith-based organizations at a time of growing demand for services. Through a unique public-private partnership, this federal investment will leverage an additional \$4,150,000 in other resources to strengthen community impact, build local support, and increase return on taxpayer dollars.

AmeriCorps: This year AmeriCorps will provide more than 1,500 individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, health, economic, and other pressing needs in communities across Georgia. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the Georgia Commission for Service and Volunteerism, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by CNCS directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals 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 that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than 15,000 Georgia residents have served more than 20 million hours and have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than \$42,720,000.

Senior Corps: More than 3,500 seniors in Georgia 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 2,600 young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than 1,000 homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols, renovate homes, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than 150 groups across Georgia.

Social Innovation Fund: The Social Innovation Fund transforms lives and communities using limited federal investment as a catalyst to grow the impact of nonprofits with evidence of strong results. It harnesses the expertise of grantmaking intermediaries to identify, evaluate and expand effective nonprofits and engages funding partners to contribute nearly three dollars to every one federal dollar invested. As the Social Innovation Fund network grows programs that work in Georgia, more people are able to overcome their most pressing challenges in the areas of economic opportunity, health, and youth development. The Social Innovation Fund is investing \$170,000 in expanding the impact of 2 nonprofits in Georgia.

The Corporation for National and Community Service is a federal agency that improves lives, strengthens communities, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering. CNCS annually engages more than five million Americans in service to meet local needs through Senior Corps, AmeriCorps, and national days of service; improves communities through the Social Innovation Fund, and leads President Obama's national call to service initiative, United We Serve. To learn more visit NationalService.gov or Serve.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 1-800-833-3722.

Georgia At a Glance

AmeriCorps	Projects	Service Locations	Participants ¹	Education Scholarships ²	Program Funding
AmeriCorps National	19	49	405	\$786,294	\$719,299 ³
AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects	1	1	10	-	- ⁴
AmeriCorps State	-	7	-	-	-
AmeriCorps State Competitive	3	86	251	\$1,376,400	\$599,008
AmeriCorps State Formula	15	180	632	\$2,725,226	\$3,217,409
AmeriCorps VISTA	20	34	225	\$1,248,750	\$3,579,525
AMERICORPS TOTAL	58	357	1,523	\$6,136,670	\$8,115,241
Senior Corps	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Program Funding
Foster Grandparent Program	8	88	674	-	\$2,099,038
RSVP	10	163	2,467	-	\$601,606
Senior Companion Program	7	44	371	-	\$1,139,026
SENIOR CORPS TOTAL	25	295	3,512	-	\$3,839,670
Social Innovation Fund	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Program Funding
Nonprofit Subgrantees	2	-	-	-	\$177,500
SOCIAL INNOVATION FUND TOTAL	2	-	-	-	\$177,500
Other Funding	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Program Funding
Disability Outreach	1	-	-	-	\$88,612
Martin Luther King Day	1	-	-	-	\$155,000
State Commission Operations Support	1	-	-	-	\$311,101
OTHER FUNDING TOTAL	3	-	-	-	\$554,713
PROGRAM TOTALS	88	652	5,035	\$6,136,670	\$12,687,124
TOTAL CNCS FUNDING (including Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards)					\$18,823,794
TOTAL LOCAL PROGRAM SUPPORT (Non-CNCS Resources)					\$4,150,636 ⁵
TOTAL CNCS FUNDING + TOTAL LOCAL PROGRAM SUPPORT					\$22,974,430

- Notes: The data shown represents a snapshot in time. CNCS project sites, participants, and funding change throughout the year, so the data may not reflect current conditions.
- This figure represents the number of awarded positions available to be filled in the 2012 - 2013 program year. For AmeriCorps VISTA, this represents the actual number of VISTA members in active service.
 - This figure represents the maximum potential value of Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards that can be earned by AmeriCorps members serving in Georgia. 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 CNCS funding.
 - AmeriCorps National figures may include national programs headquartered in the state and/or operating sites of national programs that are headquartered in other states. Funding reflects the estimated proportionate share of the national grant associated with operating sites in this report. Some national organizations do not report operating site data, or it was not available at time of publishing, so figures may not reflect current conditions.
 - Georgia is served by the AmeriCorps NCCC campus located in Vicksburg, Mississippi. In the past year, AmeriCorps NCCC teams have served on projects in Atlanta, Douglasville, Gainesville, Folkston, Lumpkin, Blakely.
 - As part of its public-private partnership approach, CNCS requires grantees to leverage additional resources to strengthen community impact and increase the return on the federal investment. This figure reflects non-CNCS cash and in-kind resources that CNCS grantees and project sponsors have committed to raise to support their programming activities across the state.



AMERICORPS TOTALS	PARTICIPANTS	PROGRAMS/PROJECTS
CURRENT (as of March 11, 2013)	1,523	58
COMPLETED (within last 12 months)	371	33

Primary City	Program/Project Name Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Albany	Albany Police Department AmeriCorps (Completed) City of Albany/ Police Department	10	AmeriCorps State Formula
Albany	United Way of Southwest Georgia Project ONE "War on Poverty" (Completed) United Way of Southwest Georgia	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Americus	HFHI - Women's Build (Current) Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	1	AmeriCorps National
Americus	HFHI - Youth Programs (Completed) Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	1	AmeriCorps National
Athens	Bring America Home (Completed) Northeast Georgia Homeless Coalition, Inc.	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Athens	Georgia 4-H AmeriCorps Program (Current) The University of Georgia	16	AmeriCorps State Formula
Athens	Georgia 4-H Youth Development VISTA Partnership (Current) The Georgia 4-H Club Foundation	9	AmeriCorps VISTA
Athens	Georgia Personal Assistance Service Corps (Completed) Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia, University of Georgia	18	AmeriCorps State Formula
Athens	UGA VISTA Network Project (Current) The University of Georgia	4	AmeriCorps VISTA
Atlanta	AmeriCorps Reading Tutorial Program (Current) Communities in Schools of Georgia	26	AmeriCorps State Formula
Atlanta	Atlanta Community Relations FEMA-Region IV-Atlanta	20	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Atlanta	Atlanta Health Corps 1 (Current) Health Federation of Philadelphia	19	AmeriCorps National
Atlanta	Atlanta HFH (Current) Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	5	AmeriCorps National
Atlanta	Atlanta Individual Assistance FEMA-Region IV-Atlanta	21	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Atlanta	Baton Rouge Community Relations FEMA - Region 4	-	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Atlanta	Boys & Girls Clubs in Indian Country VISTA Project (Current) Boys & Girls Clubs in Indian Country	14	AmeriCorps VISTA
Atlanta	CHGA AmeriCorps (Current) Covenant House Georgia, Inc.	10	AmeriCorps State Formula
Atlanta	Deliver and Install Energy Efficiency Devices in Homes Let's Retrofit a Million Education fund	11	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Atlanta	East Atlanta Kids Club (Current) East Atlanta Kids Club	4	AmeriCorps VISTA
Atlanta	Fulton County Second Chance Project (Completed) Fulton County Manager's Office	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Atlanta	Georgia Commission VISTA Project (Current) Georgia Commission for Service and Volunteerism	11	AmeriCorps VISTA
Atlanta	Georgia Institute of Technology (Completed) Georgia Tech Research Cooperation	30	AmeriCorps State Formula
Atlanta	Georgia Institute on Aging-Wellness Program (Completed) Georgia Institute on Aging	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Atlanta	Georgia Teaching Fellows - Atlanta (Completed) The New Teacher Project	30	AmeriCorps State Formula
Atlanta	Goodwill of North GA (Current) Points of Light Foundation	3	AmeriCorps National
Atlanta	Gulfsouth Youth Action Corps (Completed) Operation REACH, Inc.	-	AmeriCorps State Formula
Atlanta	Hands On Atlanta AmeriCorps (Completed) Hands on Atlanta, Inc.	80	AmeriCorps State Competitive



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Atlanta	Hands on Atlanta, Inc. (Current) Hands on Atlanta, Inc.	11	AmeriCorps State Formula
Atlanta	Hands On Formula (Current) Hands on Atlanta, Inc.	27	AmeriCorps State Formula
Atlanta	Hands On Network VISTA (Current) Points of Light Foundation	64	AmeriCorps VISTA
Atlanta	HandsOn Atlanta (Current) Points of Light Foundation	8	AmeriCorps National
Atlanta	HandsOn Tech (Current) Points of Light Foundation	25	AmeriCorps VISTA
Atlanta	HOPE worldwide Programs - Atlanta (Current) HOPE worldwide	8	AmeriCorps National
Atlanta	Jumpstart Atlanta at Georgia Institute of Technology (Current) Jumpstart for Young Children, Inc.	19	AmeriCorps National
Atlanta	Jumpstart Atlanta at Georgia State University (Current) Jumpstart for Young Children, Inc.	94	AmeriCorps National
Atlanta	Jumpstart for Young Children (Current) Jumpstart for Young Children, Inc.	89	AmeriCorps State Formula
Atlanta	New 2012 Formula GA Tech Program (Current) Georgia Tech Research Cooperation	27	AmeriCorps State Formula
Atlanta	Notre Dame AmeriCorps - Atlanta (Current) Notre Dame Mission Volunteers Program, Inc.	9	AmeriCorps National
Atlanta	Project Health Access (Current) United Way of Metro Atlanta	20	AmeriCorps State Formula
Atlanta	Restore Cabins and Maintain Wooded Areas Georgia State Parks and Historic Sites- Kolomoki Mounds State Historic Park	-	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Atlanta	SCA Georgia (Current) Student Conservation Association, Inc.	61	AmeriCorps National
Atlanta	Soccer in the Streets (Current) Up2Us, Inc.	2	AmeriCorps National
Atlanta	Southern Cluster Habitat for Humanity VISTA Program (Completed) Habitat for Humanity International-2012	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Atlanta	SVdP Sustainability Project (Current) St. Vincent de Paul Society, Inc.	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Atlanta	T.E.A.M.: Technology, Environment And Movement Program (Current) Georgia State University Research Foundation Inc.	31	AmeriCorps State Formula
Atlanta	Tallahassee Public Assistance FEMA - Region 4	-	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Atlanta	Teach For America - Atlanta (Current) Teach For America	184	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Atlanta	Teach for America – Georgia State (Current) Teach For America	266	AmeriCorps State Formula
Atlanta	The Morehouse College Community Revitalization Initiative (M (Current) Morehouse College	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Atlanta	YouthPride VISTA Project (Completed) YouthPride, Inc.	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Augusta	Georgia Teaching Fellows (Current) The New Teacher Project	50	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Augusta	United Way of the CSRA (Augusta) VISTA project (Current) United Way - Augusta	20	AmeriCorps VISTA
Blakely	Restore Cabins and Maintain Wooded Areas Georgia State Parks and Historic Sites- Kolomoki Mounds State Historic Park	11	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Blue Ridge	AmeriCorps Service to Families (Completed) Fannin County Family Connection (Board of Commissioners/ Fiscal Agent)	19	AmeriCorps State Formula



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Clarkston	New 2012 Formula GPC Program (Current) Georgia Perimeter College	20	AmeriCorps State Formula
Clarkston	Vet Success (Completed) Georgia Perimeter College	25	AmeriCorps State Formula
Columbus	Career and Job Assistance for Veterans in Rural GA (Current) Goodwill Industries of the Southern Rivers, Inc.	10	AmeriCorps State Formula
Columbus	Goodwill Industries of the Southern Rivers, Inc. (Current) Goodwill Industries of the Southern Rivers, Inc.	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Dalton	United Way of Northwest Georgia (Current) United Way of Northwest Georgia	11	AmeriCorps VISTA
Decatur	Culture Connect, Incorporated (Current) Culture Connect, Incorporated	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Decatur	DeKalb County Board of Health -capacity building (Completed) DeKalb County Board of Health	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Decatur	Georgia Lions Lighthouse Foundation (Current) Georgia Lions Lighthouse Foundation	4	AmeriCorps VISTA
Decatur	International Community School Project (Completed) International Community School	-	AmeriCorps VISTA
Decatur	RRISA and Fugees Family Education and Soccer Program (Current) Refugee Resettlement and Immigration Services of Atlanta	20	AmeriCorps State Formula
Douglasville	Remove Structures Damaged by Flooding and Restore Outbuildings Youth Villages	10	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Douglasville	Youth Villages AmeriCorps (Current) Inner Harbour Hospitals, Ltd.	28	AmeriCorps State Formula
East Point	Truly Living Well Urban Oasis (Current) Truly Living Well Center For Natural Urban Agriculture	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Folkston	Support National Wildlife Refuge in Prescribed Burning and Maintain Trails US Fish and Wildlife Service, Okefenokee NWR	8	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Forest Park	YouthBuild Forest Park, GA (Current) YouthBuild USA, Inc.	58	AmeriCorps National
Gainesville	Construct Nature Trails and Develop Model for Environmental Conservation The Redbud Project: Model for Green Space Preservation	10	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Gainesville	Y Corps (Completed) Georgia Mountains YMCA	31	AmeriCorps State Formula
Jekyll Island	Georgia Sea Turtle Center Competitive (Current) Jekyll Island State Park Authority dba Georgia Sea Turtle Center	17	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Lumpkin	Renovate Several Public Buildings Historic Westville	9	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Macon	Central Georgia Technical College-Bridges Program (Current) Central Georgia Technical College-Adult Learning Center	6	AmeriCorps VISTA
Macon	Communities In Schools of Georgia (Current) Communities in Schools of Georgia	8	AmeriCorps VISTA
Macon	MPD AmeriCorps Cadet Program (Completed) City of Macon, Macon Police Department	13	AmeriCorps State Formula
Macon	Volunteer Macon (Current) Points of Light Foundation	2	AmeriCorps National
Macon	Volunteer Macon VISTA Intermediary Project (Current) Volunteer Macon, Inc.	9	AmeriCorps VISTA
Marietta	YouthBuild Atlanta, GA (Current) YouthBuild USA, Inc.	70	AmeriCorps National
Morrow	Clayton State University Tutoring Program (Current) Clayton State University	31	AmeriCorps State Formula
Oxford	Oxford College of Emory U. GA 30054-2291 (Current) The College of New Jersey	25	AmeriCorps National



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Savannah	Georgia Center for Nonprofits Capacity Building Project (Current) Georgia Center for Nonprofits	19	AmeriCorps VISTA
Savannah	Support Multiple Organizations in Marine Restoration Projects University of Georgia	10	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Savannah	Working Collaboratively to Reduce Poverty in Savannah (Current) Step Up Savannah	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Smyrna	Archdiocese of Atlanta (Current) University of Notre Dame	1	AmeriCorps National
Statesboro	Georgia Serves (Current) Points of Light Foundation	3	AmeriCorps National
Stone Mountain	GPAN (Current) Share Our Strength's Cooking Matters	1	AmeriCorps National
Stone Mountain	RFS Self-Sufficiency Project (Completed) Refugee Family Services	14	AmeriCorps State Formula
Young Harris	Young Harris College GA 30582-4137 (Current) The College of New Jersey	16	AmeriCorps National

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.
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Senior Corps in Georgia



SENIOR CORPS TOTALS	PARTICIPANTS	PROGRAMS
CURRENT (as of March 11, 2013)	3,512	25
COMPLETED (within last 12 months)	486	6

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Albany	Sowega Council on Aging RSVP Albany (Current) Sowega Council on Aging, Incorporation	516	RSVP
Athens	Athens Community Council on Aging RSVP (Current) Athens Community Council on Aging	200	RSVP
Athens	Athens Community Council on Aging FGP (Current) Athens Community Council on Aging	50	Foster Grandparent Program
Athens	Athens Community Council on Aging SCP (Current) Athens Community Council on Aging	73	Senior Companion Program
Atlanta	ACAC Foster Grandparent Program (Completed) Atlanta Community Access Coalition	170	Foster Grandparent Program
Atlanta	Foster Grandparent Sponsor Site (Current) Easter Seals North Georgia	170	Foster Grandparent Program
Atlanta	Metro Atlanta RSVP (Current) Atlanta Regional Commission	150	RSVP
Atlanta	SCP Fixed Amount (Current) Senior Citizen Services Metro Atlanta	62	Senior Companion Program
Augusta	FGP/Senior Citizens Council of Greater Augusta (Current) Senior Citizens Council of Greater Augusta	106	Foster Grandparent Program
Augusta	RSVP/Senior Citizens Council of Greater Augusta (Current) Senior Citizens Council of Greater Augusta	125	RSVP
Augusta	SCP/Senior Citizens Council of Greater Augusta (Current) Senior Citizens Council of Greater Augusta	26	Senior Companion Program
Columbus	City of Columbus RSVP (Current) Columbus City Consolidated Government	55	RSVP
Gainesville	RSVP-Gainesville "Georgia Mountains" (Current) Legacy Link Incorporated	482	RSVP
LaGrange	Troup County Health Department Senior Companion Program (Current) Troup County Health Department	63	Senior Companion Program
LaGrange	Troup County Health Department/ FGP (Current) Troup County Health Department	59	Foster Grandparent Program
Macon	FGP Program - Macon Bibb EOC (Current) Macon-Bibb County Economic Opportunity Council, Inc.	70	Foster Grandparent Program
Macon	Macon-Bibb County FGP (Completed) Macon-Bibb County Economic Opportunity Council, Inc.	70	Foster Grandparent Program
Macon	RSVP Macon (Current) Volunteer Macon, Inc.	255	RSVP
Milledgeville	Overview FGP (Current) Overview Incorporated	69	Foster Grandparent Program
Milledgeville	Overview SCP (Completed) Overview Incorporated	59	Senior Companion Program
Rome	Coosa Valley RSVP Program (Current) Coosa Valley Regional Services and Development	259	RSVP
Rome	NorthWest Georgia Regional Hospital FGP Project (Completed) Northwest Georgia Regional Hospital/GA Department of Human Resources	21	Foster Grandparent Program
Rome	NorthWest Georgia Regional Hospital SCP (Completed) Northwest Georgia Regional Hospital/GA Department of Human Resources	70	Senior Companion Program
Savannah	Economic Opportunity Authority Savannah RSVP (Current) Economic Opportunity Authority For Savannah-Chatham County Area, Incorporated	300	RSVP
Savannah	Savannah FGP (Current) Economic Opportunity Authority For Savannah-Chatham County Area, Incorporated	56	Foster Grandparent Program
Savannah	Senior Citizens Inc Savannah SCP (Completed) Senior Citizens Inc	96	Senior Companion Program
Savannah	Senior Companion Program of Senior Citizens Inc. (Current) Senior Citizens Inc	95	Senior Companion Program

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Statesboro	GSU Senior Companion Program (Current) Georgia Southern University Research and Service Foundation, Inc.	52	Senior Companion Program
Thomasville	Southwestern State Hospital/ SCP (Current) Southwest Georgia State Hospital/GA Department of Human Resources	-	Senior Companion Program
Valdosta	South Central GA Foster Grandparents (Current) 211 of South Central GA, a program of South GA Coalition to End Homelessness	94	Foster Grandparent Program
Valdosta	South Central GA Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (Current) 211 of South Central GA, a program of South GA Coalition to End Homelessness	125	RSVP

Note: The city column refers to the location of sponsor organization. Volunteers may be serving in other locations than the city listed.

Nonprofit Subgrantees in Georgia

Program HQ Location	Nonprofit Subgrantee Name <i>Intermediary</i>	Description
Atlanta, GA	Atlanta Career Rise/United Way of Metropolitan Atlanta Jobs for the Future, Inc.	Atlanta CareerRise is building on their Work Ready efforts, including job profiling, worker assessment, provision of training and support services to allow low-income individuals to earn a recognized, portable job-readiness certificate.
Atlanta, GA	Boys & Girls Club of Metro Atlanta U.S. Soccer Foundation	Through Soccer for Success in Atlanta, over 650 youth are provided with physical activity, nutrition education, mentorship, and family engagement opportunities that combat childhood obesity and promote healthy lifestyles.