

### National Service in Mississippi



#### MEETING COMMUNITY NEEDS IN MISSISSIPPI

More than 3,100 people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through national service in Mississippi. Serving at more than 520 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 \$19,710,000 to support Mississippi 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 \$4,810,000 in other resources to strengthen community impact, build local support, and increase return on taxpayer dollars. Nationwide, CNCS, its grantees, and project sponsors generated more than \$1.25 billion in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in FY 2015.

AmeriCorps: This year AmeriCorps will provide more than 1,000 individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, health, economic, and other pressing needs in communities across Mississippi. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the Volunteer Mississippi, 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 Mississippi residents have served more than 30 million hours and have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than \$56,310,000.

Senior Corps: More than 2,000 seniors in Mississippi 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 2,400 young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than 500 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 180 groups across Mississippi.

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.

## Mississippi At a Glance



AmeriCorps	Projects	Service Locations	Participants 1	Education Scholarships <sup>2</sup>	Program Funding
AmeriCorps National	7	79	308	\$3,550,764	\$389,289 <sup>3</sup>
AmeriCorps NCCC Campus	-	-	160	\$924,000	\$4,351,4174
AmeriCorps State Competitive	7	66	359	\$1,234,139	\$2,411,663
AmeriCorps State Formula	8	16	163	\$409,200	\$1,124,333
AmeriCorps Tribes/Territories	1	3	13	\$19,861	\$47,221
AmeriCorps VISTA	12	87	72	\$413,865	\$1,175,832
AMERICORPS TOTAL (Current Projects Only)	35	251	1,075	\$6,551,829	\$9,499,755
Senior Corps	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Program Funding
Foster Grandparent Program	6	77	632	-	\$2,021,421
RSVP	6	185	1,193	-	\$298,605
Senior Companion Program	3	23	218	-	\$654,569
SENIOR CORPS TOTAL (Current Projects Only)	15	285	2,043	-	\$2,974,595
Social Innovation Fund	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Program Funding
Nonprofit Subgrantees	1	-	-	-	-
SOCIAL INNOVATION FUND TOTAL (Current Projects Only)	1	-	-	-	-
Other Funding	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Program Funding
Martin Luther King Day	1	-	-	-	\$83,118
September 11th National Day of Service and Remembrance	1	-	-	-	\$119,000
State Commission Operations Support	1	-	-	-	\$250,000
Volunteer Generation Fund	1	-	-	-	\$233,191
OTHER FUNDING TOTAL (Current Projects Only)	4	-	-	-	\$685,309

PROGRAM TOTALS	55	<b>536</b> <sup>5</sup>	3,118	\$6,551,829	\$13,159,659
TOTAL CNCS FUNDING (Including Segal AmeriCorps Educatio	n Awards)				\$19,711,488
TOTAL LOCAL PROGRAM SUPPORT (Non-CNCS Resources)					<b>\$4,815,820</b> 6
TOTAL CNCS FUNDING + TOTAL LOCAL PROGRAM SUPPORT					\$24,527,308

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.

<sup>1</sup> This figure represents the number of awarded positions available to be filled in the 2015 - 2016 program year. For AmeriCorps VISTA, this represents the actual number of VISTA members in active service.

<sup>2</sup> This figure represents the maximum potential value of Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards that can be earned by AmeriCorps members serving in Mississippi. 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.

<sup>3</sup> 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.

<sup>4</sup> Mississippi is home to the Southwest Region campus of AmeriCorps NCCC, located in Vicksburg. Members based at this campus perform service projects throughout Mississippi and AL, FL, GA, KY, LA, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, and WV.

<sup>5</sup> The service location total may contain multiple counts of unique locations where multiple CNCS programs are operating.

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 or other revenue used to support their programming activities across the state. Last year, CNCS, its grantees, and project sponsors generated more than \$1.25 billion in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources.

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#### **State Commission**

Volunteer Mississippi's mission is to engage and support Mississippians of all ages and backgrounds in service to their communities. Established in 1994 as the Mississippi Commission for Volunteer Service, Volunteer Mississippi has worked to encourage a culture of citizenship, service and responsibility to America. In partnership with the Corporation for National and Community Service, Mississippi Institutions of Higher Learning, Mississippi Department of Education, Mississippi Center for Nonprofits, and faith-based and community organizations statewide, Volunteer Mississippi is fostering community engagement and building volunteer capacity throughout the state. During the 2014-2015 program year, the 11 AmeriCorps programs overseen by Volunteer Mississippi received 1,323 applications to fill 525 positions. AmeriCorps members serving in these programs recruited 8,051 volunteers who served 19,315 hours; tutored and mentored more than 7,000 students, refurbished 9 homes, transitioned 21 individuals from assisted living into independent community living, and earned \$1.2 million in education awards to help pay for college or pay back student loans.

#### **AmeriCorps State**

Through the unique program design of America Reads Mississippi (ARM), the program was approached about a collaboration with the Mississippi Council on Economic Education to facilitate the Never Too Young Financial Curriculum in the 28 schools where ARM AmeriCorps members serve. The project was having difficulty getting established in local schools and the ARM program was a great vehicle for its introduction and implementation. The focus on literacy, personal finance, and economics fit in well with ARM and the school setting. The project uses literacy through reading booklets and books to convey a financial topics. Eighty-five AmeriCorps members presented ten weekly lessons to 933 K-3 students on these skills and to enhance their reading. ARM partnering schools were also engaged in the process by assisting and supporting ARM AmeriCorps members by helping them secure a location and a designated time for implementation. Many schools desire to continue the curriculum on their own by receiving facilitation training as well as using the skills that were taught for their own personal financial needs.

FoodCorps AmeriCorps members help students and their families gain knowledge, engagement, and access to healthy foods. Kids are bringing home stories, recipes, and vegetables to share with their parents and siblings. One AmeriCorps member reported a child requested the recipe for what the students had made the day before, saying his grandmother wanted to make it. Another student proudly informed a member that he had made a salad at home with his parents. One mother told a member that she was so excited that her son tried collards, noting that he has autism and doesn't usually try new foods. Collards are now on her grocery list.

#### **AmeriCorps National**

FoodCorps has ten AmeriCorps members serving in Greenwood, Jackson, Oxford, Shelby, and Tupelo. FoodCorps is a nationwide team of AmeriCorps leaders who work under the direction of local partner organizations to connect children to real food and help them grow up healthy. They teach children hands-on lessons about food and nutrition build and tend school gardens, teach cooking lessons, and help change what's on lunch trays so that children can eat healthy food from local farms. In the past year, the FoodCorps members in Mississippi served 4,143 children, built or brought back into use 20 school and community gardens, harvested 765 pounds of produce, and recruited 640 community volunteers.

#### AmeriCorps VISTA

Midtown Jackson is a low-income, inner-city neighborhood in the capital city that is plagued by chronic unemployment and low-performing public schools. An AmeriCorps VISTA project, "1 Campus 1 Community," builds collaborations with the Millsaps College community, Midtown residents, and social service providers to address community needs. The AmeriCorps VISTA members' efforts have helped improve student academic performance through Adopt-A-School projects they created at Brown Elementary School and Rowan Middle School. The members have raised more than \$50,000 in grants. They created and implemented a financial literacy curriculum to help people who live in poverty effectively manage their money, make sound financial decisions, navigate the banking system, and create a safety net of savings. The members have made a difference for well over a thousand students and Midtown residents. These and many new initiatives will continue in the coming year.

Delta State University Center for Community and Economic Development has been an AmeriCorps VISTA sponsor since 2003. The program has had a significant positive impact on the lives of community residents through its anti-poverty initiatives and its signature service projects. During this period, AmeriCorps VISTA members have recruited 11,237 community volunteers and trained them to assist 76,700 economically disadvantaged individuals across the Mississippi Delta region. Volunteers have helped with academic achievement, health education and healthy living, financial education, and job readiness. Members raised more than \$1,579,450 through grants, fundraisers, and in-kind donations of goods and services. During the summer program in 2015 alone, more than \$6,000 worth of donations was raised in eight weeks to provide 500 school supply bags and 25 boxes of supplies for summer programs at 12 community centers in the Delta.



#### AmeriCorps NCCC

Residents of the Mississippi Delta town of Friars Point lack financial and many other resources. The town struggled to maintain its appearance, and there is little business in the area. An AmeriCorps NCCC team helped revitalize three of the town's buildings. The team completed a restoration project at the North Delta Museum at Friars Point. They removed old material from the exterior of the building, painted the exterior, and cleaned the interior, including displays. At historic Hirshberg's Store, the team cleaned display windows and gathered antiques to make a new display. Finally, the team painted the entire exterior of the town's maintenance shop. The members' service at these three public spaces improved the appearance of each building and its section of town, and members gained a new perspective on life in a rural, impoverished area. The project also inspired and informed discussions about the many difficulties that arise in revitalization efforts, giving members an increased understanding of the challenges related to extreme poverty.

An AmeriCorps NCCC team partnered with the Girl Scouts of Greater Mississippi to guide campers through the day. Members led or helped with group activities such as nature programs, STEM activities, arts and crafts, games, and sports. The Girl Scouts' mission is to build girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place. At Camp Iti Kana in Wiggins, and at Camp Wahi in Brandon, the team helped 465 K-12 students in an out-of-school program, planned and conducted 20 summer programs, and served 4,148 meals. The team also helped train 13 community youth leaders. The team was divided by gender into different roles while at camp. Both female and male corps members acted as program staff. Female corps members most often served as unit counselors, while male corps members worked with camp maintenance and kitchen staff. The team's service helped both camps with their three main initiatives for campers: Live Healthy, Lead Healthy, and STEM/Literacy.

#### **Senior Corps Foster Grandparent Program**

The Oxford-Lafayette County Chamber of Commerce is a nonprofit organization of businesses and individuals dedicated to preserving and promoting economic community development. The Foster Grandparent Program is considered to be a vital program in this effort to improve quality of life in the area. Foster Grandparents serve as mentors and role models for students at an alternative school and seven elementary schools. In each school system, many students are reading below grade level. The 87 Foster Grandparents make a real difference for the students, helping them learn to read at appropriate levels. They also help students prepare for the GED exam, help Head Start children with pre-reading skills, and help people with intellectual disabilities maintain or improve their skill level.

#### Senior Corps RSVP

Before Hurricane Katrina nearly wiped the cities of Waveland and Bay St. Louis off the map, 500 RSVP volunteers actively served there. Today RSVP has been able to recruit back 127 volunteers. RSVP volunteers staff an American Red Cross disaster evacuation shelter in Hancock County. They participate in all mandatory Red Cross training and are available to staff the shelter when called upon by the Gulf Coast Chapter. They sign in all shelter evacuees, communicate with the Red Cross to request meal delivery, and enforce shelter rules during the emergency events. Veterans and military families participate in the "R-U-OK?" program, in which RSVP volunteers help seniors live independently. In the "Handy Man Brigade" program, experienced, skilled volunteers perform light to heavy home repairs for people who need assistance. The local food pantry is staffed by, and under the direction of, RSVP volunteers. It serves more than 10,000 citizens each year. Funding for this RSVP program is supplemented each year by \$71,000 in local resources, including cash and in-kind support.

#### **Social Innovation Fund**

The Social Innovation Fund (SIF) is investing in the Mississippi Delta Workforce Funding Collaborative, which provides job seekers with services so they can get jobs in industries such as healthcare, manufacturing, and transportation. The Social Innovation Fund transforms lives by using evidence to find what works and make it work for more people. The SIF Classic and SIF Pay for Success programs harness the expertise of grant-making intermediaries to identify, evaluate and expand effective nonprofits serving low-income communities.

#### **Volunteer Generation Fund**

With its Volunteer Generation Fund grant, the Mississippi Commission for Volunteer Service will strengthen the state's ability to engage more citizens in meaningful volunteer service and build capacity in more nonprofit organizations through the expansion the volunteer center network. Over the next three years MCVS will continue strengthening current infrastructures and initiate at least three new Volunteer Centers that will expand outreach to unserved, highly populated areas that also have a large concentration of nonprofit organizations. Through the expanded volunteer center network, MCVS will significantly increase the number of meaningful volunteer engagements to at least 80,000, and increase the number of nonprofit organizations who benefit from capacity-building services to at least 900 in the first year. Efforts will include a significant increase in the number of skill-based volunteers, as well as progressive increase in volunteer retention rates and nonprofits implementing effective management practices as a result of capacity-building services.

# AmeriCorps in Mississippi

AMERICORPS TOTA		PARTICIPANTS	PROGRAMS/PROJECTS
CURRENT (as of Fe	bruary 22, 2016)	1 075	36
COMPLETED (within		506	30
Primary City	Program/Project Name Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Bay Saint Louis	Support 10th Anniversary Hurricane Katrina Home Rebuild and Weatherization (July 20 - August 28, 2015) Habitat for Humanity - Bay-Waveland Area	7	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Bay St. Louis	Bay Waveland Area, HFH (Current) Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	-	AmeriCorps National
Belden	MCC VISTA Career Connect (Current) Mississippi Corridor Consortium - Itawamba Community College	4	AmeriCorps VISTA
Biloxi	Diocese of Biloxi (Current) University of Notre Dame	7	AmeriCorps National
Biloxi	Katrina 10th Anniversary Events (August 27 - August 30, 2015) Mississippi Commission for Volunteer Service (MCVS)	27	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Biloxi	Mississippi Gulf Coast, Inc., HFH of the (Current) Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	10	AmeriCorps National
Brandon	Support Girl Scout Camp for 800 Children (June 2 - July 20, 2015) Girl Scouts of Greater MS, Inc.	-	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Choctaw	Choctaw AmeriCorps Education (Current) Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians	13	AmeriCorps Indian Tribes
Clarksdale	Clarksdale, MS - DSA - R04-1816-MS-DSA-DSA (January 8 - February 4, 2016) Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) - IOF - Clarksdale, MS	7	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Cleveland	Mississippi Delta Service Corps/AmeriCorps*VISTA (Current) Center for Community Development, Delta State University	14	AmeriCorps VISTA
Clinton	Clear Trail and Vegetation (June 2 - July 15, 2015) The City of Clinton, MS	9	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Columbia	Columbia, MS Public Assistance R04-1184-GA-TFP-TFP (March 26 - May 1, 2015)	7	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Columbus	FEMA-Region IV-Atlanta Lowndes County "Healthy Living Initiative" (Current) Columbus Arts Council	15	AmeriCorps VISTA
Flowood	Flowood, MS Planning R04-1477-MS-ANY-XXX (August 18 - September 21, 2015) FEMA-Region IV-Atlanta	8	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Flowood	Mississippi 4WARD (Current) The Partnership for a Healthy Mississippi	-	AmeriCorps State Formula
Friars Point	Historic Museum Restoration in the MS Delta (September 16 - October 2, 2015) Town of Friars Point	7	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Gautier	SCA Mississippi (Current) Student Conservation Association, Inc.	4	AmeriCorps National
Greenville	Restore Public Facility (October 13 - November 12, 2015) City of Greenville	7	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Grenada	The Grenada School District AmeriCorps Program (Current) Grenada School District	29	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Gulfport	Building Capacity to End Poverty (Current) United Way of South Mississippi	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Gulfport	Harrison County Human Resource Agency III (Current) Harrison County Human Resource Agency	-	AmeriCorps State Formula
Gulfport	Impact (Completed) Boys and Girls Clubs of the Gulf Coast	20	AmeriCorps State Formula
Gulfport	Southern Mississippi Planning and Development District, Inc. (Current) Southern Mississippi Planning and Development District, Inc.	27	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Gulfport	Workforce Training Institute AmeriCorps Gulf Coast (Current) Climb Community Development Corporation	27	AmeriCorps State Formula

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CURRENT (as of Feb	ruary 22, 2016)	1,075	36
COMPLETED (within		506	30
Primary City	Program/Project Name Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Hattiesburg	Campus Link AmeriCorps (Completed)	80	AmeriCorps State Formula
Hattiesburg	University of Southern Mississippi Campus Link AmeriCorps Program (Current)	80	AmeriCorps State Formula
Hattiesburg	University of Southern Mississippi R3SM (Current) R3SM	-	AmeriCorps State Formula
Hattiesburg	Support Summer Program and Upgrade Building (June 2 - June 29, 2015) Oseola McCarty Youth Development Center	7	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Hattiesburg	TRIAD AmeriCorps (Current) University of Southern Mississippi	36	AmeriCorps State Formula
Holly Springs	Mississippi Commission for Volunteer Service Flood Response-Walnut, MS (January 2 - January 16, 2016) Mississippi Commission for Volunteer Service (MCVS)	10	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Jackson	1 Campus 1 Community (Current) Millsaps College	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Jackson	America Reads-Mississippi (Current) Mississippi Institutions of Higher Learning	87	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Jackson	American Red Cross Capacity Project (Current) American Red Cross of Mississippi	4	AmeriCorps VISTA
Jackson	City of Jackson AmeriCorps Program (Current) City of Jackson	20	AmeriCorps State Formula
Jackson	FoodCorps Mississippi (Current) FoodCorps, Inc.	10	AmeriCorps State Competitive
lackson	Genesis & Light's Educational Assistance Mentoring Project (Current) Genesis and Light Center	5	AmeriCorps VISTA
Jackson	Jackson, MS DSA R04-1559-MS-ANY-ANY (September 15 - October 9, 2015) FEMA-Region IV-Atlanta	9	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Jackson	Katrina 10th Anniversary Events (August 27 - August 30, 2015) Mississippi Commission for Volunteer Service (MCVS)	-	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Jackson	Linking Individuals into Neighborhoods and Communities (Completed) Living Independence For Everyone, Inc.	20	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Jackson	Mississippi Center for Justice EOLC (Current) Equal Justice Works	2	AmeriCorps National
Jackson	Prescribed Fire Preparation and Burning (March 6 - April 3, 2015) Bureau of Land Management- Southeastern States Field Office	9	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Jackson	Veterans serving our Military Community (Current) Northtown CDC	20	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Jackson	VISTA - Mississippi Senior Needs Project (Current) Division of Aging & Adult Service1	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Jackson	YouthBuild Jackson, MS (Completed) YouthBuild USA, Inc	186	AmeriCorps National
Mississippi State Univers	Maroon Volunteer Center (Current) Mississippi State University	4	AmeriCorps VISTA
Monticello	City-Wide Beautification (March 6 - March 30, 2015)	8	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Moss Point	Town of Monticello City of Moss Point II (Current) City of Moss Point	-	AmeriCorps State Formula
Mound Bayou	City of Moss Point City-Wide Beautification (March 6 - March 30, 2015) Maural Parage Historic Programming Commission	8	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Ocean Springs	Mound Bayou Historic Preservation Commission SCA AmeriCorps National Direct Mississippt (Current) Student Conservation Association, Inc.	-	AmeriCorps National

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CURRENT (as of February 22, 2016)		1,075	36
COMPLETED (within	n last 12 months)	506	30
	Program/Project Name	Number of	
Primary City	Sponsor Organization	Participants	Program Type
Oxford	Teach For America - Mississippi (Current) Teach For America	285	AmeriCorps National
Ridgeland	COOL Education Project (Current) Scientific Research (SR1)	64	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Shelby	Support Community Gardens and Construct Greenhouses (June 2 - July 1, 2015) Mississippians Engaged in Greener Agriculture	8	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Starkville	Veterans & Low-Income Outreach Program (Current) Oktibbeha/Starkville Emergency Response Volunteer Services	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Tougaloo	Community Health Corps (Current) Tougaloo College	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Tupelo	Tupelo, MS Public Assistance R04-1252-GA-RTF-XXX (March 26 - May 1, 2015) FEMA-Region IV-Atlanta	8	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
University	North Mississippi VISTA Project at UM (Current) University of Mississippi	15	AmeriCorps VISTA
University	UM College Corps (Current) University of Mississippi	122	AmeriCorps State Competitive
Vicksburg	Clean and Paint Union and Confederate Metal Tablets (September 16 - October 13, 2015) Vicksburg National Military Park	8	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Vicksburg	Members at the Southwest Region campus of AmeriCorps NCCC perform service projects throughout MS, AL, FL, GA, KY, LA, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, and WV.	160	AmeriCorps NCCC Campus
Vicksburg	Perform Home Repairs and Lead Youth Volunteers (June 20 - July 6, 2015) Crawford Street United Methodist Church	8	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Vicksburg	Restore Historic Battlefield to Original Wartime Appearance (April 3 - May 14, 2015) Vicksburg National Military Park	9	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Vicksburg	Survey Homes and Develop List for Critical Home Repairs (April 14 - May 14, 2015) Crawford Street United Methodist Church	7	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Vicksburg	Tutor Low Performing Students (March 31 - May 14, 2015) Dana Road Elementary	8	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Vicksburg	Tutoring Interventions (September 16 - November 12, 2015) Vicksburg Warren School District - Vicksburg High School	7	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Walnut	Mississippi Commission for Volunteer Service Flood Response-Walnut, MS (January 2 - January 16, 2016) Mississippi Commission for Volunteer Service (MCVS)	-	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects
Wiggins	Support Girl Scout Camp for 800 Children (June 2 - July 20, 2015) Girl Scouts of Greater MS, Inc.	7	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects

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 Mississippi



SENIOR CORPS TOTALS		PARTICIPANTS	PROGRAMS
CURRENT (as of February 22, 2016)		2,043	15
COMPLETED (with	in last 12 months)	493	3
	Program Name	Number of	
Primary City	Sponsor Organization	Participants	Program Type
Clarksdale	Coahoma Opportunities RSVP (Current) Coahoma Opportunities Inc.	121	RSVP
Ellisville	Foster Grandparent Program of the Pine Belt (Current) Laurel-Jones County Council on Aging	168	Foster Grandparent Program
Gulfport	Harrison County RSVP (Current) Harrison County Human Resource Agency	250	RSVP
Gulfport	Harrison County Senior Companion Program (Current) Harrison County Human Resource Agency	61	Senior Companion Program
Hattiesburg	FGP of Hattiesburg Area (Completed) Southern Mississippi Planning and Development District, Inc.	39	Foster Grandparent Program
Hattiesburg	Hattiesburg Foster Grandparent Program (Current) Southern Mississippi Planning and Development District, Inc.	55	Foster Grandparent Program
Indianola	Sunflower/Humphreys/Bolivar Counties SCP (Current) Sunflower-Humphreys Counties Progress, Inc.	101	Senior Companion Program
Jackson	MDHS/Jackson County Senior Companion Program (Current) Division of Aging & Adult Service1	56	Senior Companion Program
Jackson	RSVP of Hinds, Madison and Rankin Coutnties (Completed) Hinds County Human Resource Agency	145	RSVP
Kosciusko	Attala County RSVP (Current) City of Kosciusko	207	RSVP
Meridian	Lauderdale County Foster Grandparent Program (Current) Multi-County Community Service Agency	143	Foster Grandparent Program
Meridian	RSVP Meridian/Lauderdale County (Current) United Way of East Mississippi	175	RSVP
Natchez	RSVP Adams Co (Completed) City of Natchez	309	RSVP
Oxford	Lafayette County Foster Grandparent Program (Current) Oxford/Lafayette County Chamber of Commerce	122	Foster Grandparent Program
Oxford	Lafayette County RSVP (Current) Oxford Park Commission	225	RSVP
Waveland	Hancock County RSVP (Current) City of Waveland1	215	RSVP
Whitfield	FGP of the Capital Area (Current) Mental Health Association of the Capital Area	99	Foster Grandparent Program
Yazoo City	Yazoo County Foster Grandparent Program (Current) Yazoo County Board of Supervisors	45	Foster Grandparent Program

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 Mississippi

Program HQ Location	Nonprofit Subgrantee Name Intermediary
Jackson, MS	Mississippi Delta Workforce Funding Collaborative / Foundation for the Mid South Jobs for the Future Inc NFWS

#### Description

The Delta Workforce Funding Collaborative is providing services to 500 job seekers and 125 incumbent workers, including training and education in health care and manufacturing trades.

## Other Programs in Mississippi

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