



Key Applicant Information

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps) is a full-time, team-based residential program for men and women ages 18-24. NCCC members are assigned to one of five regional campuses into teams ranging between 8-12 members who are supervised by a Team Leader and complete 2-3 month projects responding to local communities' needs throughout the United States. NCCC projects span across five issue areas including: Natural and Other Disasters, Infrastructure Improvement, Environmental Stewardship, Energy Conservation, and Urban and Rural Development. To achieve NCCC's mission of strengthening communities and developing leaders through service, members assist community and faith-based organizations, national nonprofits, schools, local municipalities, national and state parks, and Indian tribes. Each campus has dedicated programming staff that work with sponsors to develop projects for NCCC teams.



Regional Campuses:

Baltimore, Maryland
Vinton, Iowa

Vicksburg, Mississippi
Denver, Colorado
Sacramento, California

National Headquarters:

Washington, DC

SPONSORING A TEAM

An AmeriCorps NCCC team can be sponsored by nonprofit and faith-based organizations, government entities (federal, state, and local), public schools and universities, and Native American Tribal Councils. Those who sponsor an NCCC team want to solve an issue related to one of our five issue areas and can provide a meaningful experience for our Corps members during their 2-3 months of service with the organization.

WHAT PROJECT SPONSORS PROVIDE VS. WHAT NCCC PROVIDES

Project Sponsors provide:

- Planning and organizational orientation
- Technical supervision (between 15-30 hrs/week)
- On-site technical training, supplies, and equipment
- 40 hrs of full-time service for team to include explanation of project value, community enhancement, and service learning
- Parking for 15-passenger team van
- Housing for team during the course of the project, including bathroom/shower and cooking facilities.
Examples include:
 - Youth hostels
 - Churches/Community Centers
 - Campsites
 - Other housing in the community

NCCC provides:

- 8-12 Corps Members, 1 Team Leader
- One 15-passenger van and fuel
- Limited funds, specifically designated for team food purchases
- Limited hand tools and basic personal protective equipment (PPE)
- Federal Tort Claim Act (liability claims) and Federal Employees Compensation Act Coverage (worker's compensation claims)
- Service learning support to help the team understand the community's need and the organization's work

WHAT IS THE SCHEDULE FOR PROJECT DEVELOPMENT?

Each campus has full-time staff that develop projects for members. Members typically experience between three and four rounds of projects over the course of their 10 months term. Each campus has a different start date for their members' teams and have unique project schedule deadlines. Please see the schedule below for project deadlines

	Available Project Dates	Concept Form Due	Application Submission Due
North Central Region	May 2 – June 30, 2016 July 15 – September 1, 2016 September 13 – November 2, 2016	January 11, 2016 March 25, 2016 May 24, 2016	February 22, 2016 May 6, 2016 July 5, 2016
Pacific Region	June 2 – July 13, 2016 November 7 – December 21, 2016 January 12 – March 16, 2017 March 27 – May 16, 2017 May 24 – July 12, 2017	February 22, 2016 July 20, 2016 September 22, 2016 December 2, 2016 February 13, 2017	March 24, 2016 August 8, 2016 November 3, 2016 January 13, 2017 March 24, 2017
Southern Region	August 16 – October 14, 2016 October 25 – December 19, 2016 January 10 – April 19, 2017	April 25, 2016 June 29, 2016 September 19, 2016	June 6, 2016 August 10, 2016 October 31, 2016
Atlantic Region	April 25 – June 3, 2016 June 13 – August 12, 2016 August 29 – November 3, 2016	January 11, 2016 February 29, 2016 May 9, 2016	February 15, 2016 April 4, 2016 June 29, 2016
Southwest Region	November 4 – December 17, 2016 January 6 – April 1, 2017 April 11 – July 8, 2017	July 15, 2016 September 16, 2016 December 20, 2016	August 26, 2016 October 28, 2016 January 31, 2017

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