



Key Applicant Information

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

AmeriCorps National Civilian Community Corps (NCCC) 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. The teams 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 serve alongside 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 project 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 Members during their 2-3 months of service with the organization.

WHAT PROJECT SPONSORS PROVIDE VS. WHAT AMERICORPS NCCC PROVIDES

Project Sponsors provide:

- Planning and organizational orientation.
- Technical supervision (between 15-30 hrs per 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 needs 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 Close Date & Application Open Date	Application Submission Close Date
North Central Region	March 13—April 28, 2017 May 08—June 29, 2017 July 14—August 31, 2017 September 12—November 2, 2017	November 21, 2016 January 16, 2017 March 24, 2017 May 23, 2017	January 02, 2017 February 27, 2017 May 05, 2017 July 04, 2017
Pacific Region	November 07—December 21, 2016 January 11—March 17, 2017 March 27—May 16, 2017 May 24—July 12, 2017	July 18, 2016 September 09, 2016 December 05, 2016 February 01, 2017	August 29, 2016 November 02, 2016 January 16, 2017 March 15, 2017
Southern Region	October 25—December 19, 2016 January 10—April 19, 2017	July 05, 2016 September 20, 2016	August 16, 2016 November 01, 2016
Atlantic Region	March 09—April 21, 2017 April 29—June 02, 2017 June 10—August 11, 2017 August 26—November 07, 2017	November 17, 2016 January 07, 2017 February 18, 2017 May 06, 2017	December 29, 2016 February 28, 2017 April 01, 2017 June 17, 2017
Southwest Region	November 04— December 17, 2016 January 06—April 01, 2017 April 11—July 08, 2017	July 15, 2016 September 16, 2016 December 20, 2016	August 26, 2016 October 28, 2016 January 31, 2017

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