

New York - FY2018 AmeriCorps State and National Grant Awards

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As a result of the [FY2018 AmeriCorps State and National Grant Competition](#), New York will receive a total of **\$52,589,602** in funding from the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS), the federal agency that administers AmeriCorps and other national service programs.

Through this competition, **22** successful grantees operating in New York will receive **\$12,536,905** in competitive funding from CNCS to support approximately **6,054** AmeriCorps members. After successfully completing their service, these AmeriCorps members are expected to earn **\$32,984,940** in [Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards](#), a post-service benefit that can be used to cover the costs of post-secondary education or help pay back qualified student loans. The New York Commission for National & Community Service, the Governor-appointed state service commission, will also receive **\$7,067,756** in non-competitive formula funding, which will in turn be awarded to New York organizations to support additional AmeriCorps members in the coming months.

The **\$52.5 million** investment from CNCS will leverage an additional **\$70,198,981** in matching funds – further increasing the return on the federal investment.

The following table displays the FY2018 AmeriCorps funding breakdown for New York, including the full list of successful AmeriCorps grantees. The New York Commission for National & Community Service will administer grants operating within the New York state borders; CNCS will administer grants operating in multiple states.

Grant Type*	Program Type**	Grantee	Program	District	City	Funding	Ed. Awards	Local Match	Members
Continuation	State	Sunset Park Health Council, dba NYU Lutheran Family Health Centers	Sunset Park AmeriCorps	07	Brooklyn	\$197,787	\$97,664	\$126,667	25
Continuation	National	The New Teacher Project	TNTP Teaching Fellows	07	Brooklyn	\$400,000	\$4,736,000	\$24,709,897	800
New	State	Grand Street Settlement	Grand Street Settlement AmeriCorps	07	New York	\$261,949	\$109,066	\$302,701	38
Continuation	State	Jumpstart for Young Children, Inc.	Jumpstart New York State (NYS)	10	New York	\$709,415	\$443,530	\$1,073,194	354
Continuation	State	Reading Partners	Reading Partners NY	10	New York	\$337,500	\$159,840	\$1,121,316	27
Continuation	State	Blue Engine	Blue Engine NY	10	New York	\$712,781	\$426,240	\$1,534,461	72
New	State	New York City Office of the Mayor	Peer Corps	10	New York	\$294,000	\$118,400	\$179,150	20
Continuation	National	Teach For America	Teach For America	10	New York	\$1,723,500	\$20,406,240	\$25,731,992	3,447
Continuation	State	New York City Office of the Mayor	NYC Civic Corps	10	New York	\$1,200,000	\$592,000	\$566,300	100
Continuation	National	Great Oaks Foundation Inc.	Great Oaks - National Tutor Corps Program II	10	New York	\$3,383,100	\$1,598,400	3556927	270
New	National	Relay Graduate School of Education	Relay Teaching Residency	12	New York	\$0	\$651,200	\$1,050,000	110
Recompete	National	International Rescue Committee HQ	International Rescue Committee, Inc.	12	New York	\$0	\$118,400	\$484,000	20
New	State	Relay Graduate School of Education	Relay New York Teaching Residency	12	New York	\$0	\$592,000	\$740,000	100
Continuation	National	International Rescue Committee HQ	AmeriCorps National Proposal FY16	12	New York	\$333,757	\$148,000	\$236,558	25
Continuation	National	Up2Us, Inc.	Up2Us COACH ACROSS AMERICA	12	New York	\$0	\$637,199	\$3,161,738	176
Continuation	National	Local Initiatives Support Corporation	LISC AmeriCorps - Parent	12	New York	\$0	\$746,578	\$2,633,264	165
Continuation	State	Student Conservation Association, Inc.	SCA NY AmeriCorps	18	Poughkeepsie	\$645,000	\$296,000	\$0	60
Recompete	State	American Red Cross of Northeastern New York	Red Cross Disaster Resiliency Corps	20	Albany	\$373,330	\$156,880	\$336,861	28
Continuation	State	NYS Unified Court System	Community Mediation School Corps	20	Castleton-on-Hudson	\$297,000	\$130,240	\$315,537	22
New	State	Utica Municipal Housing Authority	Utica Public Housing AmeriCorps	22	Utica	\$264,514	\$118,400	\$412,706	20

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Continuation	State	Legal Assistance of Western New York, Inc.	Access to Justice Project	23	Geneva	\$261,734	\$124,320	\$682,580	21
Continuation	State	The Service Collaborative of WNY, Inc.	AmeriCorps Builds Lives through Education (ABLE)	26	Buffalo	\$1,141,538	\$578,343	\$1,243,132	154
Totals						\$12,536,905	\$32,984,940	\$70,198,981	6,054
Total State Formula Funding						\$7,067,756			
Total CNCS Funding						\$52,589,602			
Total CNCS Funding + Matching Support						\$122,788,583			

***Grant Type:** New = New grantee; Continuation = Ongoing grantee awarded funding for the 2nd or 3rd year of a 3-year grant cycle; Recompete = Previous grantee awarded funding for an additional grant cycle.

****Program Type:** State = Grantee operates in only your state; National = Grantee operates in multiple states.

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Grantee: Sunset Park Health Council (dba NYU Lutheran Family Health Centers)
Program: Sunset Park AmeriCorps
Address: 6025 6th Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11220
Contact: Aleida Kasir | (718) 630-7164 | akasir@lmcmc.com

This is a single-state program funded through the New York State Commission on National & Community Service. Please contact Executive Director Linda Cohen at 518-473-8882 or linda.cohen@ocfs.ny.gov for more information.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	25
Grant Funding:	\$197,787
Education Awards:	\$97,664
*Local Match:	\$126,667

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 07
Service Area: Sunset Park/Southwest Brooklyn, Kings County (Brooklyn), New York.

Program Summary:

The Sunset Park Health Council (dba NYU Lutheran Family Health Centers), will engage AmeriCorps members in two types of assistance to low-income children and families. First, AmeriCorps members will implement their Parent-Child Home Program, an evidence-based early childhood development program that supports successful transition to elementary school. Members will serve as home visitors, providing two years of intensive, twice-weekly home visiting services to underserved families with children between the ages of 16 months – 4 years, strengthening parent-child relationships and increasing children’s language, literacy, cognitive, and social-emotional skills. Second, members will serve at adult education and workforce development programs, providing financial literacy education to adults with low educational attainment and/or limited work experience to gain the education, skills, and certifications necessary to enter or improve their employment opportunities. As a result, at least 40 preschool-aged children will improve their school readiness and 182 low-income adults will improve their financial literacy skills. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will leverage 170 volunteers.

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Grantee: The New Teacher Project
Program: TNTP Teaching Fellows
Address: 186 Joralemon St., Suite 300, Brooklyn, NY 11201
Contact: Tamara Brown | (215) 301-7678 | tamara.brown@tntp.org

This is a national direct program operating in multiple states.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps National
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	800
Grant Funding:	\$400,000
Education Awards:	\$4,736,000
*Local Match:	\$24,709,897

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: NY-07
Service Area: Baltimore, MD; Charlotte, NC; Indianapolis, IN; New York, NY; Tulsa, OK; and San Francisco, CA. Statewide in LA, MA, NV, and TX.

Program Summary:

The New Teacher Project (TNTP) will engage AmeriCorps members to become full-time teachers in high-need schools in ten states. AmeriCorps members will participate in a rigorous year-long training and will receive coaching that prepares them to provide high-quality instruction and service-learning strategies to improve academic engagement among their students. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will lead over 30,976 economically-disadvantaged students to academic success in critical areas such as math, science, and special education.

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Grantee: Grand Street Settlement
Program: Grand Street Settlement AmeriCorps
Address: 80 Pitt St., New York, NY 10002
Contact: Sue-Naina Lalchan | (646) 201-4281 | slalchan@grandsettlement.org

This is a single-state program funded through the New York State Commission on National & Community Service. Please contact Executive Director Linda Cohen at 518-473-8882 or linda.cohen@ocfs.ny.gov for more information.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	New
AmeriCorps Members:	38
Grant Funding:	\$261,949
Education Awards:	\$109,066
*Local Match:	\$302,701

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 07
Service Area: New York and Kings Counties (Brooklyn), New York.

Program Summary:

Grand Street Settlement (GSS) will engage AmeriCorps members in addressing two key community needs: educational attainment for low-income youth and aging-in-place services for homebound seniors. AmeriCorps members will support 11 out-of-school time programs for low-income youth throughout the Lower East Side of Manhattan and North/Central Brooklyn. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will empower over 400 students to improve their academic engagement and performance in literacy and/or math. Additionally, they will support two healthy aging programs on the Lower East Side. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will provide independent living services and companionship to 150 homebound senior citizens, improving health outcomes and reducing social isolation. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will leverage 40 volunteers to engage in community service projects, such as painting or gardening at GSS program sites.

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Grantee: Jumpstart for Young Children, Inc.
Program: Jumpstart New York State
Address: 505 8th Ave Suite 1100, New York, NY 10018
Contact: Mathew Moura | (212) 868-2526 631 | mathew.moura@jstart.org

This is a single-state program funded through the New York State Commission on National & Community Service. Please contact Executive Director Linda Cohen at 518-473-8882 or linda.cohen@ocfs.ny.gov for more information.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	354
Grant Funding:	\$709,415
Education Awards:	\$443,530
*Local Match:	\$1,073,194

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 10
Service Area: New York, NY.

Program Summary:

Children from low-income neighborhoods enter kindergarten with fewer vocabulary words, are less likely to know their letters and numbers, and score below their peers from higher-income neighborhoods in early learning and math. As a result, these children are less likely to read on grade level by third grade, are more likely to drop out of high school, and experience significantly lower earning potential once they enter the workforce. In response to these challenges, Jumpstart provides language, literacy, and social-emotional programming for preschool children from under-resourced communities. Jumpstart New York State will deploy AmeriCorps members to deliver its evidence-based early education program in Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens, and the Bronx. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will be responsible for improving kindergarten readiness for 835 children by building the language, literacy, and social-emotional skills needed to succeed. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will leverage 500 volunteers. Jumpstart has proven to be effective: results from a recent study found that Jumpstart children make 1.5 times greater gains in important literacy skills, as compared to those who don't receive the Jumpstart program.

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Grantee: Reading Partners
Program: Reading Partners New York
Address: 225 W 35th St., Fl 9, New York, NY 10001
Contact: Jennifer Harwood | (646) 318-9596 | jennifer.harwood@readingpartners.org

This is a single-state program funded through the New York State Commission on National & Community Service. Please contact Executive Director Linda Cohen at 518-473-8882 or linda.cohen@ocfs.ny.gov for more information.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	27
Grant Funding:	\$337,500
Education Awards:	\$159,840
*Local Match:	\$1,121,316

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 10
Service Area: Bronx, New York, Queens, and Kings Counties.

Program Summary:

AmeriCorps members serving with Reading Partners provide one-on-one literacy tutoring for low income elementary students. As a direct result of member service, over 800 low-income elementary students across New York City will increase their literacy skills. Reading Partners New York has achieved impressive results—during the 2016-2017 school year, 89% of K-2nd grade students served by Reading Partners tutors mastered key foundational reading skills needed to read at grade level.

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Grantee: Blue Engine
Program: Blue Engine NY
Address: 75 Broad St., Rm 2900, New York, NY 10004
Contact: Anne Eidelman | (202) 361-4168 | anne@blueengine.org

This is a single-state program funded through the New York State Commission on National & Community Service. Please contact Executive Director Linda Cohen at 518-473-8882 or linda.cohen@ocfs.ny.gov for more information.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	72
Grant Funding:	\$712,781
Education Awards:	\$426,240
*Local Match:	\$1,534,461

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 10
Service Area: New York City, NY.

Program Summary:

Blue Engine’s innovative team teaching model works in partnership with public high schools serving low-income communities to give teachers access to trained Blue Engine Teaching Apprentices (BETAs) for an entire school year in 7th-10th grade Math and English/Language Arts classrooms. Teams of three BETAs and one lead teacher work closely together to provide a more engaging and rigorous classroom experience. AmeriCorps members serving as BETAs with Blue Engine will work with classroom teachers to lead in-class, small group instruction; and provide one-on-one tutoring outside of the classroom in 8-10 low income NYC public high schools. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will serve 1,284 students—624 of whom will demonstrate tangible gains in math or literacy.

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Grantee: New York City Office of the Mayor
Program: Peer Corps
Address: 253 Broadway, Fl 8, New York, NY 10007
Contact: Aaron Miner | (212) 788-7550 | aminer@cityhall.nyc.gov

This is a single-state program funded through the New York State Commission on National & Community Service. Please contact Executive Director Linda Cohen at 518-473-8882 or linda.cohen@ocfs.ny.gov for more information.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	New
AmeriCorps Members:	20
Grant Funding:	\$294,000
Education Awards:	\$118,400
*Local Match:	\$179,150

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 10

Program Summary:

On March 15th, 2017, New York City Mayor Bill de Blasio and First Lady Chirlane McCray launched HealingNYC, a comprehensive effort to combat the opioid epidemic in New York City. To support the goals of HealingNYC, AmeriCorps members serving with Peer Corps at Family Recovery Centers will assist families with identifying needs, strengths, challenges and goals related to youth ages 14 to 24 coping with or are at-risk of opioid addiction. AmeriCorps members serving with Peer Corps at homeless shelters will provide shelter residents struggling with opioid addiction with strategies for developing positive health behaviors, connecting them to critical support services. These non-clinical interventions for opioid addiction will have the long term effect of decreasing mortality rates associated with opioid overdose.

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Grantee: Teach For America
Program: Teach For America
Address: 25 Broadway, New York, NY 10004
Contact: Shalini Lall | (213) 489-9272 | shalini.lall@teachforamerica.org

This is a national direct program operating in multiple states.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps National
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	3,447
Grant Funding:	\$1,723,500
Education Awards:	\$20,406,240
*Local Match:	\$25,731,992

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: NY-10
Service Area: Phoenix, AZ; Los Angeles, Sacramento, San Diego, and San Francisco, CA; Orlando, FL; Indianapolis, IN; Twin Cities, MN; Mississippi Delta, MS; Charlotte Eastern North Carolina, and Piedmont Triad, NC; Las Vegas Valley, NV; Entire states of NY, TN, WA, AL, CO, DE, HI, ID, IL, KS, MA, MI, MO, and NJ.

Program Summary:

Teach for America (TFA) engages skilled AmeriCorps members in low-income, high need schools as full-time classroom teachers for two years. In urban and rural schools across 14 states, TFA AmeriCorps members will teach Pre-K–12th grade classrooms, significantly improving educational outcomes for approximately 200,000 students. To support their efforts and multiply impact, members will leverage an additional 8,000 volunteers to assist with lesson preparation and provide students with additional individualized attention. TFA has a large and growing body of evidence to support the effectiveness of its programming—an independent, randomized controlled trial study released in 2013, for example, found that TFA AmeriCorps members produce an average of 2.6 months or more additional progress in math for their students in a given year compared to non-TFA teachers at the same school.

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Grantee: New York City Office of the Mayor
Program: NYC Civic Corps
Address: 253 Broadway, Fl 8, New York, NY 10007
Contact: Aaron Miner | (212) 788-7550 | aminer@cityhall.nyc.gov

This is a single-state program funded through the New York State Commission on National & Community Service. Please contact Executive Director Linda Cohen at 518-473-8882 or linda.cohen@ocfs.ny.gov for more information.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	100
Grant Funding:	\$1,200,000
Education Awards:	\$592,000
*Local Match:	\$566,300

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 10
Service Area: New York City, NY

Program Summary:

New York City Civic Corps, a project of the City of New York and NYC Service, is an AmeriCorps program dedicated to building volunteer capacity and volunteer management systems at community based organizations and city agencies. In an effort to address critical community challenges facing NYC's 8.4 million residents, AmeriCorps members serving with NYC Civic Corps will engage volunteers, build sustainable volunteer initiatives, and serve community members at 50 host sites throughout NYC's five boroughs. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will be engaged in providing disaster services, building economic opportunity and enhancing educational opportunities, and strengthening healthy futures. In order to multiply their impact, AmeriCorps will leverage an additional 50,000 volunteers to engage in community service activities that benefit NYC's low-income and underserved communities.

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Grantee: Great Oaks Foundation, Inc.
Program: Great Oaks – National Tutor Corps Program
Address: 222 Broadway, Fl 25, New York, NY 10038
Contact: Michael Duffy | (917) 239-3641 | mduffy@greatoakscharter.org

This is a national direct program operating in multiple states.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps National
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	270
Grant Funding:	\$3,383,100
Education Awards:	\$1,598,400
*Local Match:	\$3,556,927

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: NY-10
Service Area: Bridgeport, CT; Wilmington, DE; Newark, NJ; and New York, NY.

Program Summary:

The mission of the Great Oaks Foundation is to launch and support a network of charter schools that prepare students for college success through high-dosage tutoring. AmeriCorps members serving with their Tutor Corps program will be placed in high need schools to provide two periods of one-on-one and small group tutoring in English language arts and/or math four days a week to 1,600 elementary, middle and high school students across four cities. To ensure AmeriCorps tutors are prepared to effectively work with students, each year they begin their service in August by participating in intensive pre-service training.

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Grantee: Relay Graduate School of Education
Program: Relay Teaching Residency
Address: 40 W 20th St., New York, NY 10011
Contact: Alessandra Echeverria | (678) 783-3811 | aecheverria@relay.edu

This is a national direct program operating in multiple states.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps National
Grant Type:	New
AmeriCorps Members:	110
Grant Funding:	\$0
Education Awards:	\$651,200
*Local Match:	\$1,050,000

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 12
Service Area: New York, NY; Philadelphia, PA; New Haven, Bridgeport, Hartford, CT; Wilmington, DE; New Orleans, LA; Baton Rouge, LA; Atlanta, GA; and Denver, CO.

Program Summary:

Relay Graduate School of Education (Relay) will train AmeriCorps members to become K-12 instructors through its innovative teacher residency program, the Relay Teaching Residency (RTR). RTR is a two year program, aiming to reduce the achievement gap and help prepare all K-12 students for college readiness by creating a pipeline of committed and well-prepared new teachers. RTR emphasizes the specific teaching and instructional leadership skills that have the greatest impact on student learning and development. AmeriCorps members will teach in K-12 high-need classrooms in seven states: Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Georgia, Louisiana, New York, and Pennsylvania. AmeriCorps members will reduce student to teacher ratios and facilitate increased one-on-one and small group student interactions. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will improve the academic performance of over 9,900 K-12 students. Members will also be certified to serve as full-time teachers, poised for a career improving educational and life outcomes for students in low-income communities.

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Grantee: International Rescue Committee, Inc.
Program: International Rescue Committee, Inc.
Address: 122 E 42nd St., Fl 14, New York, NY 10168
Contact: Gerrard Khan | (212) 551-3000 | gerrard.khan@rescue.org

This is a national direct program operating in multiple states.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps National
Grant Type:	Recompete
AmeriCorps Members:	20
Grant Funding:	\$
Education Awards:	\$118,400
*Local Match:	\$484,000

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: NY-12
Service Area: Abilene and Dallas, TX; Atlanta, GA; Baltimore, MD; Boise, ID; Charlottesville, VA; Elizabeth, NJ; New York, NY; Oakland, Sacramento, and San Diego, CA; Phoenix and Tucson, AZ; Seattle, WA; Silver Spring, MD; and Wichita, KS.

Program Summary:

The International Rescue Committee will deploy AmeriCorps members to 16 cities nationwide to support intensive case management services for refugees, focusing specifically on health and wellness issues. AmeriCorps members will help refugees navigate the health care system and members will develop a series of health education workshops for vulnerable populations. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will assist over 675 clients in navigating the American health care system, moving them toward stability, self-sufficiency, and integration. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will leverage over 100 volunteers to provide health education workshops and individual mentorship opportunities for vulnerable refugees.

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Grantee: Relay Graduate School of Education
Program: Relay New York Teaching Residency
Address: 40 W 20th St., Fl 7, New York, NY 10011
Contact: Alessandra Echeverria | (678) 783-3811 | aecheverria@relay.edu

This is a single-state program funded through the New York State Commission on National & Community Service. Please contact Executive Director Linda Cohen at 518-473-8882 or linda.cohen@ocfs.ny.gov for more information.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	New
AmeriCorps Members:	100
Grant Funding:	\$0
Education Awards:	\$592,000
*Local Match:	\$740,000

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 12
Service Area: New York, NY.

Program Summary:

Relay Graduate School of Education (Relay) will train AmeriCorps members to become K-12 instructors through its innovative teacher residency program, the Relay Teaching Residency (RTR). RTR is a two year program, aiming to reduce the achievement gap and help prepare all K-12 students for college readiness by creating a pipeline of committed and well-prepared new teachers. RTR emphasizes the specific teaching and instructional leadership skills that have the greatest impact on student learning and development. AmeriCorps members will teach in K-12 high-needs classrooms across New York City. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will improve academic outcomes for 3,600 K-12 students. Members will also be certified to serve as full-time teachers, poised for a career improving educational and life outcomes for students in low-income communities.

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Grantee: International Rescue Committee
Program: AmeriCorps National
Address: 122 E 42nd St., New York, NY 10168
Contact: Gerrard Khan | (212) 551-3000 | gerrard.khan@rescue.org

This is a national direct program operating in multiple states.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps National
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	25
Grant Funding:	\$333,757
Education Awards:	\$148,000
*Local Match:	\$236,558

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: NY-12
Service Area: Atlanta, GA; Abilene, TX; Baltimore and Silver Spring, MD; Charlottesville, VA; Dallas, TX; Elizabeth, NJ; Los Angeles, Oakland, Sacramento, San Diego, San Jose, and Turlock, CA; New York, NY; Phoenix and Tucson, AZ; Richmond, VA; Seattle, WA; and Wichita, KS.

Program Summary:

AmeriCorps members serving with the International Rescue Committee (IRC) will deploy AmeriCorps members to 19 cities across the country to help integrate immigrants to their communities. Members will provide job training and job placement services to refugees, asylees, and other recent immigrants. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will provide job training services to over 2,500 individuals and job placement services to over 1,500 individuals, helping them reach economic self-sufficiency. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will leverage 300 volunteers to support ESL and job training classes, outreach to potential employers, and assistance to clients with developing resumes, practicing interview skills, and filling out job applications.

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Grantee: Up2Us, Inc.
Program: Up2Us Coach Across America
Address: 520 8th Ave., Lobby 2, New York, NY 10018
Contact: Paul Caccamo | (212) 563-3031 | pcaccamo@up2ussports.org

This is a national direct program operating in multiple states.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps National
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	176
Grant Funding:	\$0
Education Awards:	\$637,199
*Local Match:	\$3,161,738

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: NY-12
Service Area: NY, MA, PA, MD, DC, OH, MI, MN, CO, WA, CA, IL, LA, NM, RI, AL, FL, and OR.

Program Summary:

Up2Us Sports is a non-profit organization using sports and trained coaches to improve communities and inspire youth to achieve their potential. This project will continue their nationwide Coach Across America (CAA) program, where AmeriCorps coaches serve as role models, mentors, and community leaders in sports-based youth development (SBYD) organizations—non-profits that skillfully integrate mentoring with sports. These evidence-based SBYD programs primarily serve low-income communities. Up2Us CAA will place AmeriCorps members as coach-mentors in SBYDs where they will engage youth in physical activity, reducing obesity and helping them avoid negative behaviors like violence. As coaches, AmeriCorps members will conduct recreational activities that provide youth at least 60-90 minutes of physical activity multiple times a week. As mentors, AmeriCorps members will conduct group and one-on-one mentoring to help develop skills such as resiliency, discipline, and focus. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will leverage 2,000 volunteers to serve in roles ranging from assistant coach to referee to event planner. An external evaluation of Up2Us Sports found that youth taught by CAA coaches experienced statistically significant improvements in positive decision-making.

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Grantee: Local Initiatives Support Corporation
Program: LISC AmeriCorps
Address: 501 Fashion Ave., Fl 7, New York, NY 10018
Contact: Stacey Rapp | (212) 455-9308 | srapp@lisc.org

This is a national direct program operating in multiple states.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps National
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	165
Grant Funding:	\$0
Education Awards:	\$746,578
*Local Match:	\$2,633,264

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: NY-12
Service Area: AR, CA, FL, IL, LA, MA, MI, MS, NY, OH, TX, and WI.

Program Summary:

AmeriCorps members serving with the Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC) will increase the quality of life in economically disadvantaged neighborhoods throughout the nation. To achieve this goal, AmeriCorps members will act as employment counselors, financial and tax coaches, housing counselors, affordable housing development project assistants, and community engagement volunteer coordinators in communities across the country. By the end of the second program year, AmeriCorps members will ensure 848 people secure gainful employment and help 298 clients secure safe and affordable housing. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will leverage over 6,000 volunteers.

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Grantee: American Red Cross of Northeastern New York
Program: Red Cross Disaster Resiliency Corps
Address: 33 Everett Rd., Albany, NY 12205
Contact: Michael Snyder | (518) 694-5115 | michael.snyder@redcross.org

This is a single-state program funded through the New York State Commission on National & Community Service. Please contact Executive Director Linda Cohen at 518-473-8882 or linda.cohen@ocfs.ny.gov for more information.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	Recompete
AmeriCorps Members:	28
Grant Funding:	\$373,330
Education Awards:	\$156,880
*Local Match:	\$336,861

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 20
Service Area: New York

Program Summary:

The American Red Cross (ARC) in New York State will engage AmeriCorps members to educate individuals on the importance of disaster preparedness, increasing overall community resiliency. Members will provide fire safety education and smoke alarm installations to individuals in disaster prone communities. By the end of the program year, AmeriCorps members will be responsible for an additional 30,000 New Yorkers increasing their level of disaster preparedness; members will help 10,000 such individuals with smoke alarm installation and fire safety evacuation plans. They will also help ARC with its own disaster response preparedness efforts by developing supply, storage, distribution, shelter and other logistics planning for effective and rapid response in all ten New York regions of service. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will recruit over 300 volunteers to aid in disaster relief services.

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Grantee: Student Conservation Association, Inc.
Program: SCA NY AmeriCorps
Address: 50 Vassar Farm Lane, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603
Contact: Elizabeth Young | (845) 255-4758 102 | LYoung@thesca.org

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Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	60
Grant Funding:	\$645,000
Education Awards:	\$296,000
*Local Match:	\$0

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 18
Service Area: Hamilton, Franklin, Essex, St. Lawrence, Clinton, Herkimer, Fulton, Warren, Washington, Schoharie, Montgomery, Otsego, Saratoga, Albany, Schenectady, Greene, Rensselaer, Columbia, Sullivan, Delaware, Ulster, Dutchess, Putnam, Orange, Rockland, Bronx, and Manhattan.

Program Summary:

AmeriCorps members serving with Student Conservation Association's (SCA) New York will protect and enhance public lands and natural resources in Adirondack Park, Hudson Valley, New York City, and Long Island. AmeriCorps members will complete high priority conservation service projects including trail building, habitat monitoring, and open space restoration. Additionally, members will provide environmental stewardship education to students in underserved schools. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will improve over 220 acres of state and public land; build and enhance 110 miles of trails, waterways, and access points; and teach environmental education to over 7,000 youth and adults. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will leverage 1,000 volunteers.

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Grantee: New York State Unified Court System
Program: Community Mediation School Corps
Address: 2500 Pond View, #104, Castleton-on-Hudson, NY 12033
Contact: Daniel Kos | (518) 238-4354 | dkos@nycourts.gov

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Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	22
Grant Funding:	\$297,000
Education Awards:	\$130,240
*Local Match:	\$315,537

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 20
Service Area: New York

Program Summary

The Community Mediation School Corps is a partnership between the New York State Unified Court System and Community Dispute Resolution Centers, in which AmeriCorps members provide a variety of effective conflict resolution services in New York public schools. AmeriCorps members will provide conflict resolution services and restorative practices in schools throughout New York including those in the following counties: Albany, Bronx, Dutchess, Erie, Greene, Jefferson, Kings, Madison, Monroe, Nassau, New York, Oneida, Ontario, Richmond, Queens, Schenectady, and Westchester. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will ensure higher school attendance rates and lower disciplinary referrals in schools served. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will leverage 25 volunteers to engage in improving school attendance and discipline, and mediating inter-personal disputes among students.

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Grantee: Utica Municipal Housing Authority
Program: Utica Public Housing AmeriCorps
Address: 509 2nd St., Suite 1, Utica, NY 13501
Contact: John Furman | (315) 735-3362 34 | jfurman@uticamha.org

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Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	New
AmeriCorps Members:	20
Grant Funding:	\$264,514
Education Awards:	\$118,400
*Local Match:	\$412,706

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 22
Service Area: Utica, Oneida, Herkimer, and Madison Counties.

Program Summary:

The mission of the Municipal Housing Authority of the City of Utica is to be a leader in the housing industry by providing safe, clean and affordable housing opportunities to low-income persons while promoting self-sufficiency and upward mobility. Their Utica Public Housing AmeriCorps Program is dedicated to helping individuals achieve economic and housing stability. AmeriCorps members serving with this program will help veterans (particularly those with opioid, mental health, and substance abuse issues), youth, ex-offenders, and the long-term unemployed to enter the workforce. Members will also work to improve the financial literacy of low-income residents, and place the homeless and housing-vulnerable in quality, affordable housing. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will place 60 low-income people into employment; help 35 homeless and at-risk veterans achieve residential stability and greater self-determination; empower 80 low-income individuals to make informed financial decisions; and place 100 persons with severe barriers to financial stability in affordable housing. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will leverage 60 volunteers to mentor residents, provide career and financial literacy counseling, and serve on a community partnership council.

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Fact Sheet – FY2018 AmeriCorps State & National Grant Competition

Grantee: Legal Assistance of Western New York, Inc.
Program: Access to Justice Project
Address: 361 South Main Street, Geneva, NY 14456
Contact: Thomas Dubel | (607) 734-1647 | tdubel@lawny.org

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Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	21
Grant Funding:	\$261,734
Education Awards:	\$124,320
*Local Match:	\$682,580

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 23
Service Area: Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Chemung, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Schuyler, Seneca, Suiteuben, Tioga, Tompkins, Wayne, and Yates Counties, NY.

Program Summary:

Legal Assistance of Western New York provides free legal aid to people with civil legal problems. AmeriCorps members serving with Legal Assistance of Western New York will help expand civil legal services available to low-income individuals and families in seven legal aid offices located in Bath, Elmira, Geneva, Ithaca, Jamestown, Olean, and Rochester, NY. Members will serve as legal assistants to staff attorneys, increasing low-income individuals' access to the legal system through a variety of legal aid and administrative services. By the end of the first program year, AmeriCorps members will screen 10,000 low-income individuals, and 5,000 of those individuals will receive direct legal services to address an immediate legal challenge. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will leverage 100 volunteers. Low-income individuals will receive legal assistance in the areas of affordable and fair housing, health insurance, disability insurance, domestic violence and sexual assault, and more.

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Fact Sheet – FY2018 AmeriCorps State & National Grant Competition

Grantee: The Service Collaborative of Western New York, Inc.
Program: AmeriCorps Builds Lives through Education (ABLE)
Address: 2188 Seneca St., Buffalo, NY 14210
Contact: Melissa Schutte | (716) 418-8500 | mschutte@tscwny.org

This is a single-state program funded through the New York State Commission on National & Community Service. Please contact Executive Director Linda Cohen at 518-473-8882 or linda.cohen@ocfs.ny.gov for more information.

Award Details:

Program Type:	AmeriCorps State
Grant Type:	Continuation
AmeriCorps Members:	154
Grant Funding:	\$1,141,538
Education Awards:	\$578,343
*Local Match:	\$1,243,132

*Required and non-required matching funds proposed by the grantee to help implement the AmeriCorps program.

Congressional District: 26
Service Area: Buffalo, NY.

Program Summary:

The Service Collaborative of Western New York creates opportunities for all individuals to serve their communities, challenging them to turn their ideals into action and their passion into positive change. Their AmeriCorps Builds Lives through Education (ABLE) program deploys AmeriCorps members to low-income schools and educational program to implement social/emotional and/or math interventions for K-10th graders to increase attendance, class participation, and math scores, as well as decrease disciplinary referrals and suspensions. Through one-on-one and small group sessions, AmeriCorps members will increase student achievement and academic engagement in over 2,000 economically disadvantaged students. To multiply their impact, AmeriCorps members will leverage 1,600 volunteers to engage in community service projects and summer learning programs.