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ABOUT AMERICORPS NCCC

AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps) is a full-time, team-based residential program for men and women ages 18-24. AmeriCorps NCCC members are assigned to one of five regional campuses into teams of approximately ten members, and complete 2- to 3-month projects responding to local communities' needs in every state. Teams serve with local and national organizations, infusing resources and leading volunteers for hundreds of organizations like Habitat for Humanity and the American Red Cross. These young adults lead youth development activities, construct and rehabilitate low-income housing, clean up streams, help communities develop emergency plans, and address other pressing local needs.



ABOUT FEMA CORPS

The AmeriCorps NCCC flexible program structure allows both the opportunity to partner with non-profit or government organizations that might lack the capacity to manage longer grant programs, as well as the ability to create strategic collaborations with other national service programs and federal agencies to magnify the impact on communities served. In 2012, AmeriCorps NCCC collaborated with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and created a new unit of members called FEMA Corps. These teams are devoted solely to FEMA disaster preparedness, mitigation, response, and recovery efforts, which strengthen the nation's ability to respond to and recover from disasters while expanding career opportunities for young people. Between the traditional and FEMA Corps, up to 2,800 members serve with AmeriCorps NCCC each year.



ABOUT DISASTER RELIEF

In addition to the FEMA Corps, the traditional AmeriCorps NCCC teams are coordinated for rapid disaster deployment anywhere in the country. Trained in CPR, first aid, disaster response and firefighting, teams have responded to local and national disasters since the program was established in 1994. Since 2000, members have served more than 5.1 million hours on 1900 disaster services projects across the nation.



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WE'RE GETTING THINGS DONE IN HAWAII

Oahu, HI | Peacock Flats Campground

An AmeriCorps NCCC team served with the State of Hawaii's Department of Land and Natural Resources, Division of Forestry and Wildlife during the summer of 2014. The team worked entirely on projects preserving the native habitat of Hawaii. Corps members removed invasive species, replanted native plants, and widened three miles of hiking trail. In addition, the team cleared eight campsites for public use at Peacock Flats Campground and installed eight waterbars to prevent trail erosion during the frequent rainstorms. AmeriCorps NCCC members also had the unique opportunity to remove predatory Wolf Snails in order to preserve the state's natural habitat. Corps members assisted Hawaii Conservation Alliance with their 22nd annual conservation conference. Members supported the event by timing presentations, assisting with set up and break down, and monitoring each session. This was the Hawaii Department of Land and Natural Resources first time sponsored by an AmeriCorps NCCC team.

Waialua, HI | Camp Mokule'ia

Camp Mokule'ia is a year-round facility serving more than 15,000 guests annually. It provides facilities and programs that support the mission of Hawaii's many religious, educational, non-profit and community organizations. Camp Mokule'ia goal is to model and teach practical methods of sustainable living. The team developed or supported five sustainable and energy conservation systems including a nursery and garden area, a compost area, grey water systems, water catchments systems, and an aquaponic system. The team helped construct, paint, and plant two planter boxes, removed 1,520 pounds of garbage, sorted 15 recycling bins, weeded and mulched around 24 trees, painted a belly band and 4 cabins.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN HAWAII SINCE 2000	HIGHLIGHTED SPONSORS IN HAWAII
▶ 88,471 service hours completed	▶ Camp Mokule'ia
▶ \$1,958,748 dollars worth of service provided	▶ Community Work Day Program
▶ 8,203 volunteers recruited or coordinated	▶ Habitat for Humanity - Kauai
▶ 577 tons of debris or underbrush removed	▶ Heritage Ranch, Inc.
▶ 10,022 people educated on sustainability	▶ Boys and Girls Club of Hawaii - Waimea Clubhouse
▶ 31,760 feet of coastal shoreline restored or protected	▶ Hawaii Foodbank
▶ 3,000 new trees, shrubs and seedlings planted	▶ National Park Service - Pu'uhonua o Honaunau
▶ 1,569 tons of food received, inventoried or distributed	▶ Keep Hawaii Beautiful



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