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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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OHIO

Mt. Gilead, OH | Flying Horse Farms

Flying Horse Farms is located on 200 acres of rolling hills just outside of Mt. Gilead, Ohio. Flying Horse is a place where children with serious illnesses can come to experience the simple magic of being a kid. During the spring of 2014, an AmeriCorps NCCC team served with Flying Horse Farms, where members supported a number of improvement projects. Corps members renovated the camp's Discovery Center, and constructed new seating and shelter for campers in an effort to make the camp more accessible to those with disabilities. The team was able to directly support camp activities, as well. The team prepared the facilities for events and served as camp counselors for two weekend-long family camps that supported 28 children and 46 family members. As counselors, members coordinated activities such as boating, fishing, and arts and crafts, and helped to close the activity centers.

Cincinnati, OH | United Way of Greater Cincinnati

In March of 2014, an AmeriCorps NCCC team served with the United Way of Greater Cincinnati, where the team assisted in enrolling Americans in health care coverage. During their time in Cincinnati, the team participated in 13 enrollment events for the Affordable Care Act. Community members came to speak with someone face-to-face to receive assistance on the application process. Corps members supported three phone-a-thons, where they answered calls, provided information, and directed community members to local enrollment events. Members made nearly 2,000 follow-up phone calls, and entered data from 2,500 community members into Get America Covered online databases.

The service the team performed helped to educate Ohioans about the Affordable Care Act and ensured that individuals had access to healthcare coverage.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN OHIO SINCE 2000	HIGHLIGHTED SPONSORS IN OHIO
▶ 179,744 service hours completed	▶ Gorman Heritage Farm
▶ \$3,979,532 dollars worth of service provided	▶ Toledo Botanical Gardens
▶ 1,020 volunteers recruited or coordinated	▶ Habitat for Humanity - Mahoning County
▶ 2,760 students supported in out-of-school programs	▶ Greater Cincinnati Energy Alliance
▶ 389 tons of underbrush removed	▶ Supports to Encourage Low-Income Families (SELF)
▶ 28,768 seedlings planted	▶ Habitat for Humanity - Greater Columbus
▶ 1,199 homeless people assisted	▶ Camp Echoing Hills
▶ 1,970 feet of stream and riverbanks restored	▶ Youngstown Neighborhood Development Corporation



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