



AmeriCorps

National Civilian Community Corps



Make a difference. Gain new skills.
Travel the country.

Want to give back while learning new skills? AmeriCorps NCCC could be the perfect opportunity for you to help communities, and get the experience of a lifetime. We are looking for men and women ages 18-24 who are enthusiastic and hard-working to join our team.

What is NCCC?

AmeriCorps National Civilian Community Corps (NCCC) is a full-time, team-based residential service program for young adults who want to give back to communities in need at different locations across the country.

For 10 months, you'll work on 4-6 projects such as: engaging youth; building and rehabilitating homes for families in need; cleaning up parks, streams, trails, and shorelines; fighting and preventing wildfires; and helping communities recover from disasters. You'll be assigned to one of five campuses across the country.

What you will get out of the experience:

- The opportunity to travel across the country
- Valuable skills to enhance your resume—such as leadership and team building
- CPR, first aid, and disaster response training
- Room, board, healthcare, uniform, and equipment
- A living allowance of about \$4,000
- The ability to defer qualified student loans
- A Segal AmeriCorps Education Award of \$5,645 to help pay for college, graduate school, or pay back qualified student loans
- The satisfaction of helping communities and making our country a better place

My goal has always been to further my education and NCCC puts me one step closer to reaching that goal.

*– Clondy De La Rosa,
AmeriCorps NCCC member
Santa Rosa, California*



Join AmeriCorps NCCC today!

**Apply at www.NationalService.gov or call 800-942-2677 (TTY 800-833-3722).
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AmeriCorps NCCC is a program of the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS), the federal agency investing in and mobilizing Americans in service and volunteerism.

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SERVICE** ★★ ★



FEMA Corps: AmeriCorps in Action



FEMA



Make a difference when it matters most with FEMA Corps.

Are you interested in a career in emergency management? Want to leave your mark while learning new skills? FEMA Corps could be the perfect opportunity for you to get experience, while helping others. We are looking for men and women ages 18-24 to join our emergency management team.

What is FEMA Corps?

FEMA Corps is an NCCC track for young adults who want to gain professional skills in emergency management while serving with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) staff on disaster response and recovery efforts. It is a 10 month, full-time, team-based residential service program that was developed in partnership with FEMA and the Corporation for National and Community Service, the agency that oversees AmeriCorps NCCC.

Talking with a survivor made all of our trainings seem real. FEMA Corps prepared me to work in disaster settings and with all of that newly acquired knowledge, I feel equipped and ready to get to work.

– Michelle Simes,
FEMA Corps member

As a member, you'll be assigned to one of five NCCC campuses. Your focus will solely be on emergency management and long-term recovery activities within FEMA. You'll provide administrative and logistical support in areas that include:

- ⊙ Educating communities, assessing needs, and collecting information
- ⊙ Developing materials that promote disaster preparation to the public
- ⊙ Ordering materials, tracking inventory, loading supplies, and managing IT equipment
- ⊙ Updating electronic files, managing data, and compiling reports
- ⊙ Working with nonprofits and government agencies to coordinate services for disaster survivors
- ⊙ Helping survivors complete applications for disaster assistance
- ⊙ Assessing and reporting damage to public facilities
- ⊙ Setting up shelter operations and re-unification of families and pets

What are the benefits of joining?

You'll receive all of the same benefits as traditional AmeriCorps NCCC members, plus additional training and experience to prepare you for a career in emergency management and related fields. You'll learn about working with communities, public speaking, customer service, and office/management skills while giving back and positively impacting the lives of disaster survivors.



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Application Process

Thank you for your interest in applying for an AmeriCorps NCCC program!

Follow the steps outlined below to complete and submit your application. We suggest keeping this page to reference during your application process.

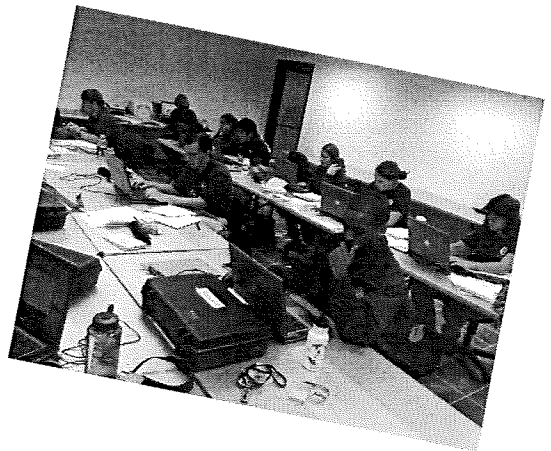
Step 1: Create profile in "My AmeriCorps"

- Go to my.americorps.gov
- Click "Apply to Serve!" under the log-in box on the "My AmeriCorps" front page
- Create an account and submit your profile
 - You must have a valid email address to create your profile
- Check your e-mail for a message from recruitment@americorps.gov (auto-response only)
- Click on the link in the e-mail to create your username and password to access your "My AmeriCorps" account
 - You will use this account throughout your AmeriCorps NCCC service, so keep track of your username and password



Step 2: Complete your application

- Login into to your "My AmeriCorps" account
- Click on "Applications" in the column on the left
- Click the "Create Application" button
- Complete your application
 - There are several sections in the application for you to complete: employment history, skills and experience, community service, education, motivational statement, criminal history, optional information, and references
 - Open-response questions have a word limit. If you exceed the limit, you will need to edit your response
 - References (You will need the contact information for your references to complete this section.)
 - *Corps member applicants:* include at least two references on the last page of the application
 - *Team leader applicants:* include at least three references on the last page of the application
 - Former AmeriCorps NCCC and/or FEMA Corps members should use their team leader and/or unit leader as a reference
 - After creating reference profiles, click the boxes in the "Select" column before clicking the "Finish Application" button





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Step 3: Submit the application to the program

- Summer/Fall-start cycle: You may submit your application between 10/1 and 4/1 for corps members, or between 9/1 and 3/1 for team leaders
 - Summer start: Typically July or August for corps members and June or July for team leaders
 - Fall start: Typically early October for corps members and early September for team leaders
- Winter-start cycle: You may submit your application between 4/1 and 10/1 for corps members, or between 3/1 and 9/1 for team leaders
 - Winter start: Typically early February for corps members and early January for team leaders
- Click "Search Listings" in the column on the left
- In the "Quick Search" box use the "Program Type" drop down menu
 - Select "AmeriCorps NCCC" if you want to be a corps member in AmeriCorps NCCC or FEMA Corps
 - Select "AmeriCorps NCCC Team Leader" if you want to be a team leader in AmeriCorps NCCC or FEMA Corps
 - You do not need to provide a state or program name for those sections
 - Click "Search" button
 - In search results, click on the program name for your preferred start cycle
 - Program options: [AmeriCorps NCCC](#) or [AmeriCorps FEMA Corps](#)
- Review the program description and click "Apply Now" at the bottom of the page
- Follow the instructions below based on the position you are applying for



Corps member applicants

- Verify the application that will be used-it is listed below "Submit Listing" at the top of the certification screen
- Read the certification and select one of the radio buttons
- Click the "Submit" button
- You will receive an email confirmation that your application has been submitted
- In 2-3 weeks you will receive a packet in the mail with the next steps and additional information

Team leader applicants

- Complete the two additional questions on the team leader application (max. 4,000 characters each)
- Click the "Next" button
- Fill out the team leader questionnaire, and click the "Next" button
- Verify the application that will be used – it is listed below "Submit Listing" at the top of the certification screen
- Read the certification and select one of the radio buttons
- Click the "Submit" button
- You will receive an email confirmation that your application has been submitted
- NCCC staff will consider your application and will contact you via email with next steps



Please send an email to anccc@cns.gov or call 800-942-2677 for questions about the application process.