

# Employers intentionally recruit AmeriCorps alums for their skills and service experience.

ServeMinnesota, the state's hub for AmeriCorps, brings together people of all backgrounds to create real social change through proven strategies. Join thousands of AmeriCorps members who commit to a transformative year of service. Engage with communities in need across education, affordable housing, employment, environmental protection, and opioid addiction recovery.

Serving with AmeriCorps also helps you gain valuable skills and confidence employers want:



With hands-on experience and the opportunity to build your professional network, AmeriCorps is a great place to grow before entering the workplace.



80% of AmeriCorps alumni say that serving benefited their career path



51% said that serving opened up a career path that they might not have considered otherwise



42% of alumni say that their employment resulted from a connection made while serving





## Join AmeriCorps. Get Perks.



### FEDERAL STUDENT LOAN FORBEARANCE & INTEREST REPAYMENT

Postpone your student loan payments or reduce payment amount. Plus, any interest accrued is paid for you.



#### **EDUCATION AWARD**

Receive up to \$6,345 to pay tuition or repay student loans. The education award makes it possible to pursue your passion.



#### **RECEIVE A PAYCHECK**

Get paid for your service every two weeks. Average checks are around \$700 for full-time service.



#### **HEALTH INSURANCE**

Serve 35 hours a week or more and receive health care benefits with 100% of the monthly premium covered!



#### **DISCOUNT TRANSIT FARES**

This perk is available to metro members through Metro Transit Assistance Program.



#### **CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE**

If you serve 35 hours a week or more, you may qualify for child care assistance based on household income.



#### **TRAINING**

No experience, no problem! We'll provide all the training you need!

## Skills AmeriCorps Members Said They Learned through Service

Appreciating different viewpoints and experiences

Building confidence in sharing ideas, solving problems and adapting to new situations

Taking initiative and seeing myself as a leader



