National Service in New Hampshire 2023 YEAR IN REVIEW





New Hampshire by the Numbers









Meeting Needs in New Hampshire

Last year more than 1,900 Americans of all ages and backgrounds united to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and expand opportunity through national service in New Hampshire. AmeriCorps invested more than \$5.1 million in federal funding to support cost-effective community solutions, working hand in hand with local partners to empower individuals to help communities tackle their toughest challenges.

AmeriCorps members and AmeriCorps Seniors volunteers are preparing today's students for tomorrow's jobs, helping communities and families impacted by COVID-19 pandemic, connecting veterans to services, fighting the opioid epidemic, helping seniors live independently, rebuilding communities after disasters, and leading conservation and climate change efforts.

AmeriCorps members and AmeriCorps Seniors volunteers served at more than 200 locations across New Hampshire, including schools, food banks, homeless shelters, health clinics, youth centers, veterans' facilities, and other nonprofit and faith-based organizations. Through a unique publicprivate partnership, AmeriCorps and its partners generated more than \$931.5 thousand in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in New Hampshire last year. This local support strengthened community impact and increased the return on taxpayer dollars.

What is AmeriCorps?

AmeriCorps is the federal agency for national service and volunteerism. AmeriCorps provides opportunities for Americans of all backgrounds to serve their country, address the nation's most pressing challenges, improve lives and communities, and strengthen civic engagement.

o P[⊥] Bringing Out the Best in America

More than 200,000 AmeriCorps members and AmeriCorps Seniors volunteers serve each year, empowering millions more to meet needs in their communities. By bringing people together to serve communities, AmeriCorps is making service to others an indispensable part of the American experience.

Segal AmeriCorps

After successful completion of service, AmeriCorps members earn a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award to pay for qualified educational costs. Since 1994, more than 7,000 New Hampshire residents have served approximately 11 million hours and earned education awards totaling more than \$27.6 million. Higher education institutions and other organizations in New Hampshire have received more than \$16.4 million in education award payments since 1994.



Our Programs and Initiatives

AmeriCorps State and National awards grants to organizations to engage individuals in sustained service to address local, regional, and national challenges. Thousands of opportunities exist in locations across the country to serve with nonprofits, schools, public agencies, tribes, and community and faith-based groups. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to Volunteer NH!, the Governor-appointed State Service Commission, which in turn awards grants to organizations to respond to local needs.

Public Health AmeriCorps supports the recruitment, training, and development of the next generation of public health leaders who will be ready to respond to the nation's health needs. In partnership with the Centers for Disease Control, Public Health AmeriCorps advances more equitable health outcomes, creates pathways to quality careers, and recruits members who reflect the communities they serve.

AmeriCorps VISTA places individuals with nonprofit organizations, public agencies, and tribal governments to expand reach and deepen impact in making sustainable change that alleviates the impact of poverty. Through fundraising, volunteer recruitment, program development, and more, AmeriCorps members gain experience and leadership skills that put them on track for a life of service in the public, private, or nonprofit sector.

AmeriCorps NCCC is a full-time, team-based, residential program for 18-26-year-olds. Whether building homes for families in need or accelerating our nation's capacity to respond to a crisis, AmeriCorps NCCC members engage in a variety of community identified projects during their service term, while developing leadership, teamwork, and professional skills. AmeriCorps NCCC FEMA Corps serves communities, in coordination with FEMA, through disaster preparedness, response, and recovery.

AmeriCorps Seniors Foster Grandparents provides grants to organizations to engage low-income Americans aged 55 and older in providing one-on-one mentoring and academic support to children with special or exceptional needs. In 2022, Foster Grandparents in New Hampshire served more than 550 young people with special needs.

AmeriCorps Seniors Senior Companions provides grants to organizations to engage low-income Americans aged 55 and older in providing supportive, individualized services to help homebound seniors and other adults maintain their dignity and independence. In 2022, Seniors Companions in New Hampshire provided independent living support to more than 420 individuals.

AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP provides grants to organizations to engage Americans aged 55 and older in tutoring and mentoring youth, responding to natural disasters, supporting veterans and their families, and meeting other critical needs.

Volunteer Generation Fund supports voluntary organizations and state service commissions in boosting the impact of volunteers in addressing critical community needs.

MLK Day of Service is observed each year on the third Monday in January. It is the only federal holiday designated as a national day of service to encourage all Americans to volunteer to deepen ties to communities, expand racial equity, and solidify service to others as a national commitment.

9/11 National Day of Service and Remembrance calls Americans across the country to volunteer in their local communities in tribute to the individuals lost and injured in the attacks, first responders, and the many who have risen in service to defend freedom since Sept. 11, 2001.

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230 Service Locations

\$6,105,125 Total Investment

Program Funding

	Projects	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding
AmeriCorps National	3	4	5	\$10,121	\$1,247
AmeriCorps NCCC	1	1	7	-	-
AmeriCorps State	6	22	147	\$610,280	\$1,967,297
AmeriCorps VISTA	2	6	7	\$40,829	\$125,321
Public Health AmeriCorps	-	-	9	\$55,208	\$244,649
AmeriCorps Programs Subtotal	12	33	175	\$716,437	\$2,338,514
	Projects	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding

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AmeriCorps Seniors Foster Grandparent Program	1	53	92	-	\$595,212
AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	6	131	1,661	-	\$537,798
AmeriCorps Seniors Senior Companion Program	1	13	63	-	\$415,817
AmeriCorps Seniors Programs Subtotal	8	197	1,816	•	\$1,548,827

Other Funding

	Projects	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding			
AmeriCorps State Planning Grant	1	-	-	-	\$73,740			
State Commission Investment Funds	1	-	-	-	\$201,045			
State Commission Operations Support	1	-	-	-	\$295,000			
Subtotal	3	•	-	•	\$569,785			
Total Program Funding					\$4,457,127			
Total AmeriCorps Funding Including Education Awar	Total AmeriCorps Funding Including Education Awards							
Total Local Project Support (Non-AmeriCorps Resou	\$931,561							
Total AmeriCorps Funding + Total Local Project	\$6,105,125							

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Program Funding

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City	Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding	Current Participants
Ashland	Lakes Region Conservation Corps Squam Lakes Association	AmeriCorps State	7	31	\$116,446	\$387,257	8
Ashland	Reduce Erosion through Trail Relocation & Restoring Habitat at Trailheads (September 18 - October 15, 2023) Squam Lakes Association	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	7	-	-	-
Berlin	Campus Compact AmeriCorps*VISTA Campus Compact	AmeriCorps VISTA	-	-	-	-	1
Claremont	SCA NH THE STUDENT CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION, INC.	AmeriCorps National	2	5	\$10,121	\$1,247	-
Concord	AmeriCorps Victim Assistance Program New Hampshire Coalition Against Domestic & Sexual Violence	AmeriCorps State	4	5	\$29,228	\$71,833	-
Concord	Campus Compact for NH Campus Compact for NH VISTA	AmeriCorps VISTA	4	5	\$32,875	\$100,950	-
Concord	NOFA-NH's Farm Share Program & Food Access Coordinator Northeast Organic Farming Association of New Hampshire (NOFA-NH)	AmeriCorps VISTA	-	-	-	-	1
Concord	SCA-New Hampshire Conservation Corps THE STUDENT CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION, INC.	AmeriCorps State	1	25	\$111,065	\$369,360	-
Lebanon	Goodwill's VISTA Partnership Goodwill Industries of Northern New England	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$1,459	\$4,781	-
Lebanon	NH EFNE Office Epilepsy Foundation New England, Inc	Public Health AmeriCorps	-	-	-	-	1
Manchester	City Year New Hampshire FPG CITY YEAR, INC.	AmeriCorps State	5	36	\$212,937	\$708,360	23
Manchester	Granite State Education Corps Goodwill Industries of Northern New England	AmeriCorps State	4	34	\$57,166	\$179,869	2
Manchester	Manchester Excels Goodwill Industries of Northern New England	AmeriCorps State	1	16	\$83,438	\$250,618	5
Manchester	Refugee and Immigrants Social Empowerment Program (RISE) International Institute of New England, Inc.	AmeriCorps State	-	-	-	-	2
Manchester	Safari Youth Club Safari Youth Club	AmeriCorps VISTA	-	-	-	-	1
Nashua	Goodwill's VISTA Partnership Goodwill Industries of Northern New England	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,495	\$19,590	1
Nashua	GoodwillNNE Public Health AmeriCorps Maine Goodwill Industries of Northern New England	Public Health AmeriCorps	-	2	\$9,743	\$43,102	-
New London	CCAC Colby Sawyer College Campus Compact	AmeriCorps National	-	-	-	-	1

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North Conway	NH EFNE Office Epilepsy Foundation New England, Inc	Public Health AmeriCorps	-	7	\$45,465	\$201,547	-
Plymouth	Goodwill's VISTA Partnership Goodwill Industries of Northern New England	AmeriCorps VISTA	-	-		-	1
Plymouth	GoodwillNNE Public Health AmeriCorps Maine Goodwill Industries of Northern New England	Public Health AmeriCorps	-	-	-	-	1
AmeriCorps Progra	ams Subtotal		31	175	\$716,437	\$2,338,514	48
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Berlin	Coos County RSVP TRI-COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAM, INC. (TRI-COUNTY CAP)	AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	18	336	-	\$76,072	330
Concord	Friends FGP FRIENDS PROGRAM	AmeriCorps Seniors Foster Grandparent Program	53	92	-	\$595,212	76
Concord	Friends Program RSVP FRIENDS PROGRAM	AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	60	792	-	\$149,811	-
Concord	Senior Companion Program of New Hampshire Community Action Program Belknap-Merrimack Counties, Inc.	AmeriCorps Seniors Senior Companion Program	13	63	-	\$415,817	63
Keene	Monadnock RSVP Monadnock Family Services	AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	24	150	-	\$86,913	150
Lebanon	RSVP Volunteer Center (Grafton & Sullivan Counties in NH) GRAFTON COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS COUNCIL I	AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	5	150	-	\$98,017	150
Manchester	Southern NH RSVP Southern New Hampshire Services Inc.	AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	23	224	-	\$126,985	224
Manchester	Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging RSVP Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging, Inc.	AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	1	9	-	-	6
AmeriCorps Senio	rs Programs Subtotal		197	1,816	-	\$1,548,827	999

Other Funding

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Concord	Volunteer NH	State Commission Investment Funds	-	-	-	\$201,045	-
Concord	Volunteer NH	State Commission Operations Support	-	-	-	\$295,000	-
Manchester	AmeriCorps Planning Grant International Institute of New England, Inc.	AmeriCorps State Planning Grant	-	-	-	\$73,740	
Subtotal			-	-	-	\$569,785	-
Total Program Fu	unding		228	1,991	\$716,437	\$4,457,127	1,047
Total AmeriCorps				\$5,173,564			

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Total Local Project Support (Non-AmeriCorps Resources)

Total AmeriCorps Funding + Total Local Project Support

\$931,561 \$6,105,125

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