

# Service Year Focus Areas



A Better You.  
A Greater Us.

## Aging

Help older Americans by making daily tasks easier, increasing their ability to live independently in their own homes, and assisting them in living overall healthier lives.

## Animals

Calling all animal lovers! You can protect animals in need or develop educational opportunities for others to learn more.

## Arts & Culture

Bring music, theater, and the arts to communities across the country. Everyone could use some Hamilton in their lives!

## Disability

Create more opportunities for service, friendship, employment, and leadership for individuals with disabilities.

## Disaster Relief

Help local communities prepare, respond, recover, and mitigate natural disasters and increase community resiliency. Who was first on the scene after Hurricane Katrina and Superstorm Sandy? You guessed it: service year corps members!

## Education & Youth

Want to help people learn and improve educational outcomes through tutoring, mentoring, and counseling? This is for you. You can even tutor and mentor children directly!

## Environment

Are you someone who encourages friends and family to recycle or turn off the water when they brush their teeth? You can improve at-risk ecosystems, protect and maintain public lands, increase renewable energy, and focus on energy and water efficiency.

## Health & Nutrition

Address unmet health needs, including increasing access to healthcare, encouraging physical activity, and improving nutrition in youth.

## Community and Nonprofit Development

Help nonprofits achieve their missions by improving their operational effectiveness, expanding the range of services provided, and improving external relations so they can have a larger impact on communities.

## Economic Security

Improve the well-being and security of economically disadvantaged people by providing access to services and resources, such as financial literacy, housing, and workforce development.

## Homelessness & Housing

Build economic self-sufficiency and community stability by bringing resources to the homeless or by building and repairing safe, decent, and affordable housing to transform neighborhoods.

## Legal Assistance

Improve access to the justice system for those who need to better understand and navigate the legal system while facing family, housing, financial, and personal safety crises and lack the necessary resources for representation.

## Public Safety

Address public safety issues, including emergency response, information sharing, and crime prevention.

## Veterans & Military Families

Serve those who have served us by working alongside veterans and military families as they enter civilian life.