VISTA AT A GLANCE
In partnership with CNHED

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A program of the Corporation for National & Community Service

- More than 1,000,000 Americans have served since 1994
- Leverages $1 billion in outside resources every year
- 75,000 members serve each year benefiting millions of Americans
- Helps communities recover from disaster
- Nearly 450,000 veterans and military families assisted through national service each year
- $3 billion in scholarships earned ($1 billion used to repay qualified student loans)

What is a VISTA?
Fast Facts
- VISTA stands for ‘Volunteers In Service to America’
- Individuals 18 years or older
- Committed to combat poverty through a year of national service
- Create long-term, capacity-building solutions to needs in low-income communities
- Volunteer for limited-length term of service (1 year with option to extend)
- The VISTA program provides the volunteer with a modest living allowance, health care, training, and travel expenses, while you provide them with a meaningful opportunity to build capacity and serve their country

I’m interested! Tell me more!
If you believe your organization could benefit from a full-time VISTA volunteer, you will need to submit an application to CNHED indicating:

- What your project and project goals are and what community need the project addresses
- How the project sustainably empowers the community you serve
- Your ability to provide additional financial support to the VISTA to offset the high cost of housing in DC
- Who the VISTA’s direct supervisor will be and what resources and support you can provide to your VISTA
- Click here to apply today!

Questions?
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