



AmeriCorps

Summer Associates VISTA Program

Please consider this exciting opportunity to contribute to our mission, gain valuable work experience!

The AmeriCorps VISTA Summer Associate program offers individuals the opportunity to become engaged in a community through an existing AmeriCorps VISTA project for 10 weeks during the summer. All United Way of the Greater Lehigh Valley AmeriCorps VISTA assignments will expand capacity towards population level goals across the region. UWGLV strives to create population level change in areas of education, food access, healthy aging, and emergency services to ensure individuals who experience crisis have the supports they need to rebound. All Summer Associates receive a living allowance and education award for their 10-week term.

Service Opportunity Descriptions

The Summer Feeding and Learning Coordinator VISTAs will support the Lehigh Valley Summer Learning Coalition and the Summer Meals work group of the Lehigh Valley Food Policy Council with implementing programming to combine resources to increase quality summer learning engagement and food security. Activities for these Summer Associates include:

- Coordination and delivery of meals through the federal summer meals program as needed.
- Coordination and/ or implementation of fun summer learning activities for low-income youth.
- Provide opportunities for family engagement through connection to learning resources.
- Data collection of federal summer meals and summer learning programs.
- Collect stories of sharing successes of the program.

The Summer Meals Coordinator VISTAs will support the Summer Meals work group of the Lehigh Valley Food Policy Council with implementing programming to combine resources to increase food security for children and families. Activities for these Summer Associates include:

- Community outreach to raise awareness of feeding opportunities in the Greater LV.
- Coordination and delivery of meals through the federal summer meals program as needed.
- Provide opportunities for family engagement through connection to learning and community resources.
- Data collection of federal summer meals program
- Collect stories of sharing successes of the program.

The Summer Learning Coordinator VISTAs will support the Lehigh Valley Summer Learning Coalition with implementing programming to combine resources to increase quality summer learning engagement. Activities for these Summer Associates include:

- Community outreach to raise awareness of summer learning opportunities in the Greater LV.
- Coordination and/ or implementation of fun summer learning activities for low-income youth.
- Provide opportunities for family engagement through connection to learning and community resources.
- Data collection of summer learning programs.
- Collect stories of sharing successes of the program.

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