



Position Description for AmeriCorps Member at Caroline County Health Department 2017-18

The Caroline County Health Department is seeking a half-time AmeriCorps Member!

The Caroline County Health Department provides community services including: Wellness; Women, Infants & Children; DDA; AERRS; Adult Day Care; Transportation; Environmental Health; Community Health; Addictions; and Mental Health.

AmeriCorps Member responsibilities with Caroline County Health Department are to:

- Attend numerous public events and promote Health Department Services
- Contact various Community Service Organizations concerning potential grants or donations for programs.
- Help Behavioral & Addictions Team to educate our residents about our community services and medical offices.

The AmeriCorps position with Caroline County Health Department can accommodate weekend and weekday schedules, and participation in some (not all) community events is required.

Requirements for applicants include the following:

- Have a strong interest in serving the community
- Be at least 18 years of age
- Able to provide copy of either high school diploma, GED, or college transcript
- Have reliable transportation
- Be available to attend the tuition-free, mandatory AmeriCorps class at Salisbury University bi-weekly during the Fall and Spring semesters.
- Be available to serve for approximately 20 hours/week for half-time service for at least 48 weeks.
- Must successfully pass a comprehensive Criminal History Check, which includes FBI fingerprinting
- Must be a U.S. Citizen, U.S. National, or lawful permanent resident alien

Benefits available to the AmeriCorps Member:

- Valuable job experience in the area of non-profit management
- Joining a fun team committed to help you learn and grow
- A bi-weekly stipend of \$252.08
- Receipt of educational award to be used toward educational loans or future educational expenses upon completion of service year requirements in the amount of \$2,865
- 6 tuition free credits at Salisbury University

Applications will be accepted until all positions are filled. An application can be downloaded from the ShoreCorps/PALS web site: www.salisbury.edu/amicorps/Member-info.html