



AmeriCorps

PUBLIC HEALTH

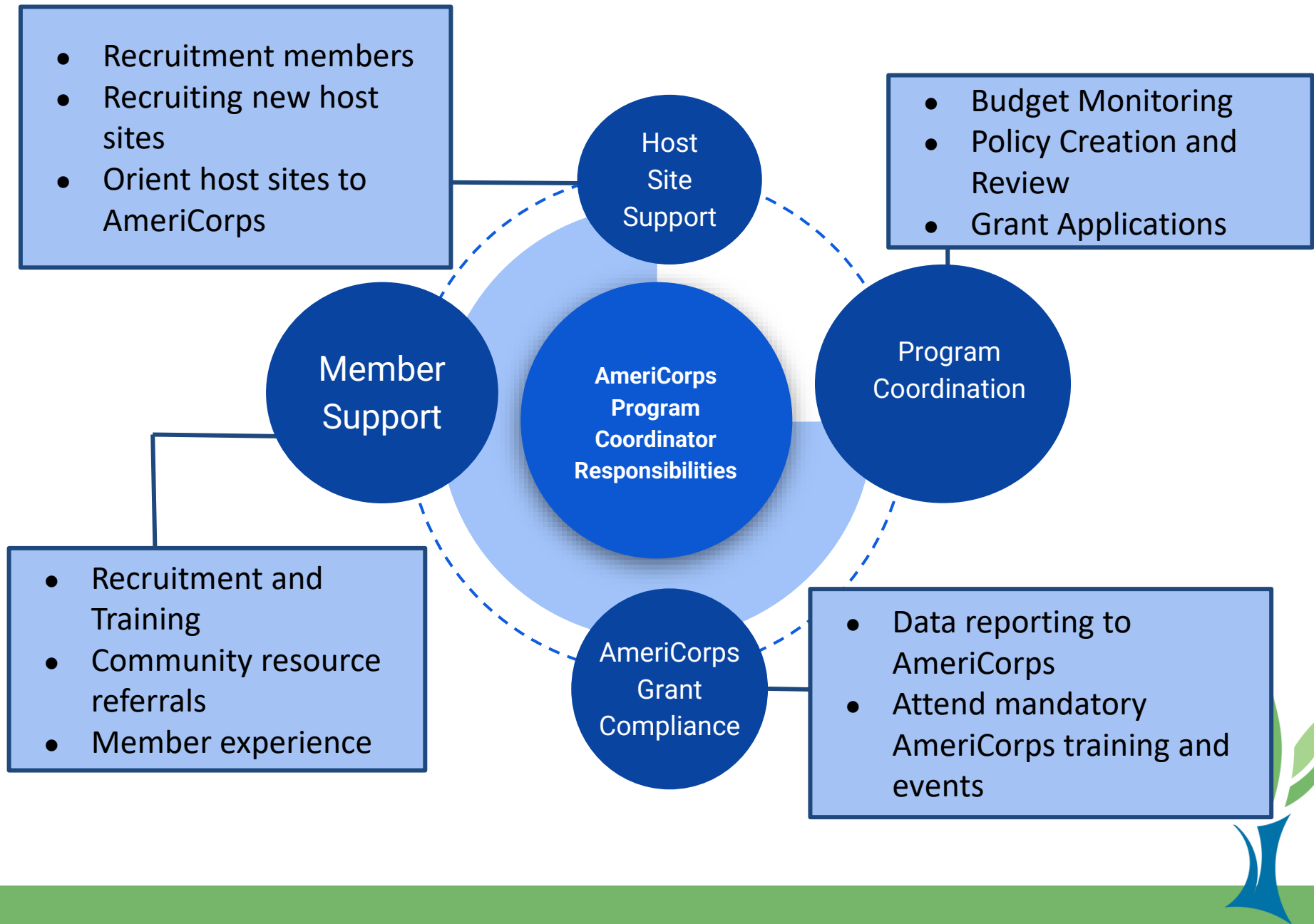


Ingham County
Health Department

What is Public Health AmeriCorps?

- Often referred to as the “domestic Peace Corps”
- Federally-funded, national service program that was founded in the 1970s as a part of LBJ’s War on Poverty
- Members assist in identifying capacity needed to strengthen the work of the organization (using an assessment tool)
- Members develop programming, curriculum, etc.
- Members deliver programming, curriculum, etc.





Member Benefits

- Gain valuable experience in public health, nonprofit, and/or social work sector that is not typically available in an entry-level position
- Resume builder and personal growth
- Professional development that supports self exploration as a professional and community member
- Fulfillment for members who are looking for meaningful service
- Lifelong network across host sites, Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) and alumni

Member Benefits

- Living Allowance (\$20,000 for full time, prorated)
- End of Service Educational Award (Past or future funds for school)
- Loan deferment / Interest Forbearance
- Healthcare + Mental Health Care
- Defined Mileage Reimbursement
- Child Care
- Monthly professional development / training
- CHW certification or similar



Host Site Benefits

- Members build capacity and deliver programming
- Build a pipeline for new hires - members have been offered positions at their host sites post service
- Connected to network of other AmeriCorps host sites for collaboration
- Program support, guidance, and training from Program Coordinators



Member Options for Host Sites

Full time members

Start Date	End Date	Number of Weeks	Hours / Week
10/1/2023	9/30/2024	52	32
11/1/2023	9/30/2024	48	35
12/1/2023	9/30/2024	43	39

- Your cost \$10,630

Half time members

Start Date	End Date	Number of Weeks	Hours / Week
10/1/2023	9/30/2024	52	17
11/1/2023	9/30/2024	48	19
12/1/2023	9/30/2024	43	21
1/1/2024	9/30/2024	39	23
2/1/2024	9/30/2024	34	26
3/1/2024	9/30/2024	30	30
4/1/2024	9/30/2024	26	34
5/1/2024	9/30/2024	22	40

- Your cost \$5,310



Next Steps

1. Email Rsanders@ingham.org your interest
2. Write position description
3. We post position, begin screening candidates
4. Sign MOA with ICHD
5. Your members service year begins

