



Housing
Action
Illinois

A stronger Illinois begins at home

Benefits and Requirements of HAVN VISTA Members

Benefits:

Gross Bi-Weekly Living Allowance:

- Cook, DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry, and Will Counties: \$542.22
- All Other Counties: \$472.22

Choice between two End-of-Service Awards:

- Segal Education Award: \$1,252.91
- Cash Stipend Award: \$345.80

Leave Days: Summer Associates receive leave on federal holidays observed by their host organizations. There are three circumstances for Emergency Leave. [Click here](#) for details. [Link](#) to all benefits of service (Click Show Summer Associates Benefits Only)

Requirements:

Housing Action Illinois does not and shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion (creed), gender, gender expression, age, national origin (ancestry), disability, marital status, sexual orientation, or military status, in any of its activities or operations. We are committed to providing an inclusive and welcoming environment for all members of our staff, VISTA Members, vendors, subcontractors, volunteers, and clientele.

Applicants need to be over 18 years old when they start their AmeriCorps VISTA service and must have one of the following citizenship statuses: U.S. Citizens, U.S. Nationals, Lawful Permanent Resident Aliens, or persons legally residing in a state that have the following legal residency classifications: refugee, asylum or asylee, temporary protected status or deferred action for childhood arrivals (DACA) status. By law, only VISTA members who are either U.S. Citizens, U.S. Nationals, or Lawful Permanent Resident Aliens—sometimes referred to as “Lawful Permanent Residents”—are eligible to receive an AmeriCorps Segal Education Award. All other members will receive an end of service cash stipend. There is no upper age limit to apply to AmeriCorps VISTA. ([source](#))

To Apply:

Deadline to Apply: **May 28, 2018** (although we will be reviewing and responding to resumes on a rolling basis).

Submit an application through the AmeriCorps Portal posting ([link here](#)), and/or send cover letter, resume, and two references via email to: your email address.