



Summer Youth Program Coordinator VISTA

Feast of Justice is seeking to hire two driven, organized, and energetic individuals to fill the positions of Summer Youth Program Coordinator. This position helps to expand our capacity in anti-poverty work while utilizing the energy of our young volunteers by engaging them further as leaders and changemakers in the community.

Hunger Free America (HFA), in conjunction with some of the nation's most effective anti-hunger and poverty organizations, is in its third year of the Anti-Hunger Corps (AHC), an AmeriCorps VISTA program that places members at agencies nationwide. This program engages VISTA members and partnering organizations in moving families beyond the soup kitchen by breaking down barriers and providing improved access to healthful, nutritious foods. The AHC VISTA program aims to address hunger, poverty, and build the capacity of the agencies that address these issues.

About Us: Feast of Justice is a charitable, faith-based non-profit organization whose mission is addressing hunger, meeting needs, and inspiring hope as we work toward abundant justice in Northeast Philadelphia and beyond. We currently serve 1800 multicultural households in our community and have a large team of staff, although most are volunteers.

PROGRAM OVERVIEW: The Summer Youth Program Coordinators will provide mentorship, coordination, and development of our High School Youth Leadership Development Program (YLDP). Each of the three 3-week sessions of YLDP develops workforce skills, professional leadership qualities, and joint advocacy through both direct service anti-hunger programming and capacity-building indirect activities. Furthermore, through professional development opportunities, high schoolers will develop cultural awareness and sensitivity, discuss food security issues, and build community.

PROGRAM DATES: June 13-August 21 or June 20-August 28

SCHEDULE: This opportunity will have a varying schedule to meet the needs of both the VISTA member and the program, for a full-time total of 35 hours/week. The youth program itself runs 6 days a week, including some evenings (no Sundays).

POSITION BENEFITS: Biweekly Living Allowance, Training, Choice of Education award or additional End-of-Service stipend upon successful completion of service, Paid Federal Holidays

SKILLS NEEDED: Mentoring, Communications, Team Work, Project Management, Public Speaking, Cultural Awareness, Organization

To Apply: Send Resume with subject line "Summer Youth Program Coordinator VISTA" to hire@feastofjustice.org by May 1. Final application must be approved by the national Americorps program by May 13. Background clearances are required.