



HELP EXPAND SERVICES FOR GREATER FOX CITIES AREA HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

About Greater Fox Cities Area Habitat for Humanity

Located along the Fox River and serving the communities of the Fox Valley, Greater Fox Cities Habitat for Humanity has served over 700 families since 1993. Fox Cities HFH is dedicated to making simple, decent and affordable housing available to those who need it the most – because when families have decent housing, they can afford, many of life’s other challenges become more manageable. Fox Cities HFH has grown to support many habitat programs, including a Habitat for Humanity ReStore retail outlet, an Almost Home program, home rehab, home repair and most recently, Neighborhood Revitalization and Rock the Block[®] events.

AmeriCorps VISTA Project Description **Continual Improvement Specialist**

The goal of this VISTA member is to help Fox Cities HFH develop a continuous improvement program that will eliminate wasted time, reduce errors and mistakes, and improve the quality of the services offered in the community.

- Learn about continuous improvement practices and explore the activities taking place at the affiliate.
- Implement continuous improvement activities related to high impact processes connected to the affiliate’s programs and services.
- Ensure that continuous improvement efforts are sustainable.

Basic Requirements:

- Be a US citizen or permanent resident
- Be at least 18 years old
- Available to serve in a full time capacity for one year (8/12/2017 - 8/11/2018)
- Great people and relationship-building skills

How to Apply

1. Create an application on my.americorps.gov
2. Search for VISTA positions in Wisconsin
3. Click **Apply** at the bottom of the page

AmeriCorps VISTA Project Description **ReStore Volunteer Development**

The goal of this VISTA member is to develop a strong volunteer base and related training programs in order to run a second ReStore in our service area.

- Grow and develop a Senior Crew volunteer program to support two ReStores.
- Increase the number of group volunteer opportunities at the ReStores.
- Develop and implement a training and orientation program to support two ReStores.
- Research and evaluate the opportunity for volunteer training on a regional basis .

Benefits:

- Monthly living stipend: \$990
- Segal AmeriCorps Education Award of \$5,815 or a \$1,500 end of service cash stipend upon completion of service
- Relocation assistance (if eligible)
- Student loan deferment/forbearance (if eligible)
- Student loan interest accrual paid (qualified loans)
- 1 year non-competitive eligibility for federal employment

About Habitat for Humanity of Wisconsin VISTA Program

Habitat for Humanity’s vision is a world where everyone has a decent place to live. Nearly 20% of Wisconsin residents pay more than 50% of their family income for housing. With an increasing need for affordable housing in our state, the 38 local Habitat for Humanity affiliates are working hard to address that need by partnering with low-income families to build, rehab or repair homes. The Habitat for Humanity of Wisconsin VISTA program’s goal is to strengthen affiliates and increase their capacity. With passion, commitment, and hard work our VISTA members help affiliates bring individuals and communities out of poverty.

Application deadline: 6/26/2017. Please note, applicants are considered on a rolling basis and the position may be filled before the deadline. Have any questions? Email AmeriCorps VISTA Program Director Jenny Hartwell at jhartwell@habitatwisconsin.org or call 414-517-9251.