



# FEMA Corps: Taking Your Cadet Experience to the Next Level

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# ABOUT FEMA CORPS



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# What is FEMA?

- Federal Emergency Management Agency
- FEMA coordinates and manages the federal government's work before and after all domestic disasters – natural or man made.
- This includes education to prepare for and mitigate disasters, and coordinating the response and recovery efforts after a disaster happens.



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# What is FEMA Corps?

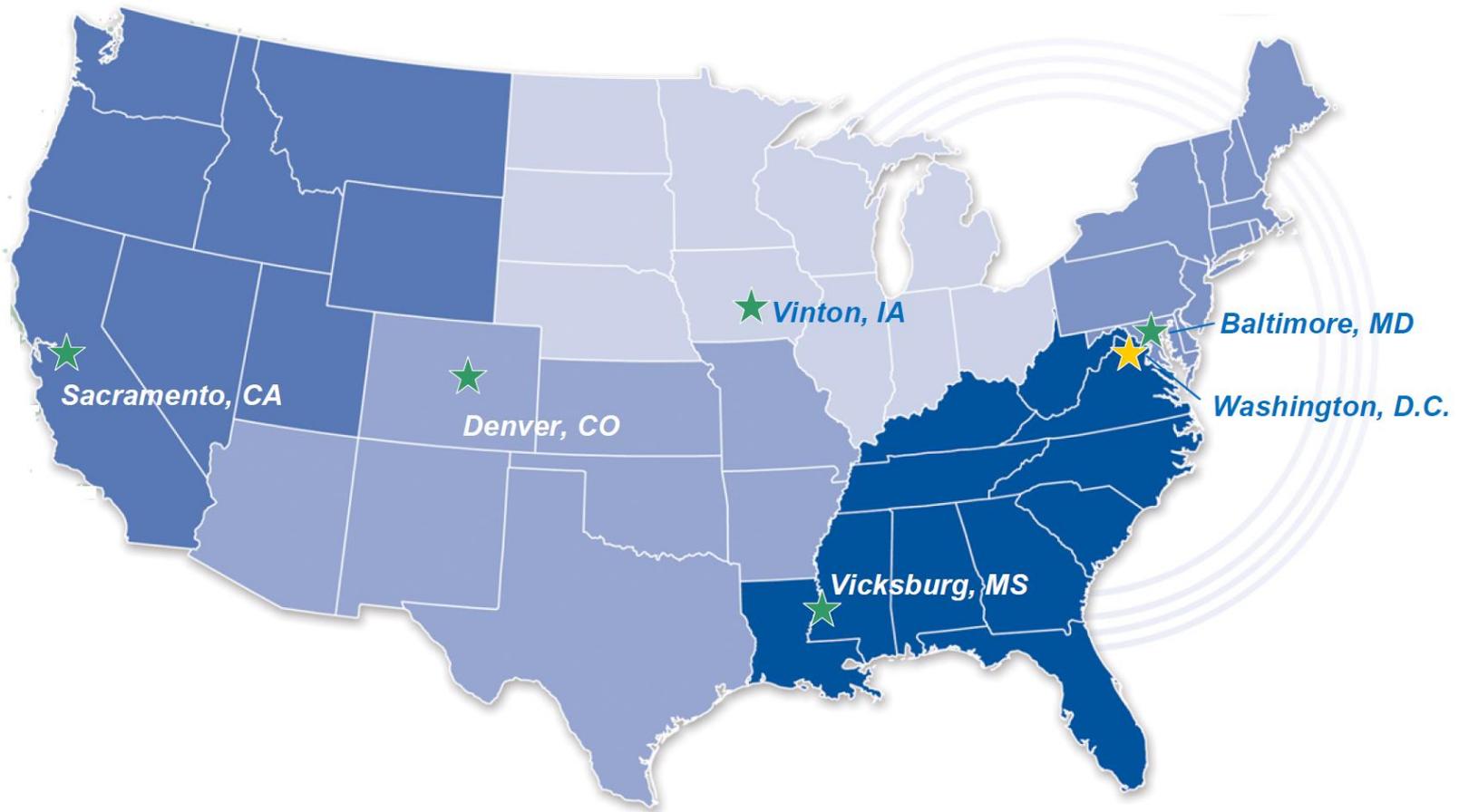
- FEMA Corps is a national service program in which members work directly with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).
- FEMA Corps is a **full-time, 10-month, team-based, residential, national service program for 18-24 year old men and women.** Benefits include a **living stipend, room and board,** and the opportunity to earn **\$5,815 for school** or to repay qualified student loans.
- Members **gain professional skills** and **experience** in emergency management operations, providing support to real-time and long-term disaster recovery efforts and community emergency preparedness.



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# Where is FEMA Corps based?



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Serve as a...

# Corps Member



- 18-24 years old
- Live and work as a member of a diverse team of 8-12
- Perform skill-building projects in a field or office setting
- Build your resume with valuable emergency management and administrative experience
- Give back to communities across the United States
- Earn \$4,000 living allowance
- Earn \$5,815 Education Award for future college or to pay back qualified student loans

Serve as a...

# Team Leader



- Lead and coordinate a diverse team of 8-12
- Manage team dynamics and facilitate Corps Member development
- Build your resume with valuable leadership and emergency management experience
- Earn \$12,500 living allowance
- Earn \$5,815 Education Award for future college or to pay back qualified student loans
- 18+ years old; No previous AmeriCorps experience required



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## Corps Member

Program	Application Deadline
Summer Cycle	April 1
Winter Cycle	November 1

## Team Leader

Program	Application Deadline
Summer Cycle	March 1
Winter Cycle	October 1



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# How Does FEMA Corps Serve Communities in Need?



- **Deployment to Active Disasters**
  - Supporting FEMA during the aftermath of declared disasters
- **Disaster Preparedness and Mitigation**
  - Working alongside FEMA on disaster prevention
  - Educate communities, assess needs and collect information



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# Questions?



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