

2005-06 Kentucky AmeriCorps Accomplishments

As of Aug. 31, 2006:

- AmeriCorps members recruited nearly **9,000** community volunteers who provided more than **42,000** hours of service in their hometowns.
- **More than 67,500** Kentuckians directly benefited from the service provided by AmeriCorps members.
- **56** homes were built and more than **20** homes here rehabilitated for disabled and elderly residents.
- **More than 4,050** children in grades 1-12 received academic tutoring.
- **Nearly 16,000** at-risk elderly and disabled received help with everyday living tasks so they could remain in their homes and continue to live independently.
- **Approximately 600** homeless individuals and families found permanent or transitional housing thanks to housing counseling and related assistance from AmeriCorps members.
- **About 3,000** Kentuckians benefited from information, activities, screenings and fellowship at **46** community events, including health and safety fairs, organized and staffed by AmeriCorps members.
- **95** public assistance recipients became gainfully employed thanks to job counseling and skills mentoring from AmeriCorps members.
- **More than 350** youth each completed 15 hours of leadership training and are on their way to making a difference of their own in communities all over Kentucky.

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