



Join Our Team!

Healthy Acadia is recruiting two AmeriCorps VISTA members to increase access to healthy food for people living in Downeast, Maine. One member will be based in Machias and the other will be based in Ellsworth. VISTA members will address food insecurity through partnerships with local farms & food access programs, on-farm gleaning opportunities, community gardens, food drives, fundraisers, volunteer coordination, and more.

Locations: Hancock and Washington counties, Maine

Start date: January 17, 2023

Duration: 12 months

Deadline to apply: December 1, 2022

Benefits:

- VISTA living allowance
- Personal leave and sick leave
- VISTA health benefits
- Housing assistance for 1 month rent
- Potential to forbear or defer student loans while in service
- Education award
- Relocation assistance (if applicable)
- Child care assistance
- Free local produce
- Professional development & training opportunities

ACTIVITIES:

- Build partnerships between local farms and food access programs
- Increase access to healthy food through community gardens
- Promote nutrition benefit programs at farmers markets
- Organize a county-wide fundraiser & food drive
- Recruit, train, and coordinate volunteers
- Support regional Food Security Networks
- Build capacity for local food assistance programs

Learn more at
www.HealthyAcadia.org

TO APPLY, SEND RESUME AND COVER LETTER TO:

- Regina Grabrovac, Regina@HealthyAcadia.org (Washington County position)
- Rachel Emus, Rachel@HealthyAcadia.org (Hancock County position)

