

Digital Equity AmeriCorps VISTA

All United Way of the Greater Lehigh Valley AmeriCorps VISTA assignments will expand capacity towards population level goals across the region. UWGLV strives to create population level change in areas of education, food access, healthy aging, and emergency services to ensure individuals who experience crisis have the supports they need to rebound. The UWGLV VISTA project focuses on strengthening the networks of providers that deliver services to address concerns and through working with UWGLV staff they support the efforts across all four-issue areas. VISTAs address issues at the programmatic and system levels seeking to identify and deal with the root causes by utilizing the collective impact framework.

An AmeriCorps VISTA assignment is a federal volunteer opportunity for which you commit to a year of service and receive a living allowance. Participants must be 18 years of age and have a combination of community service and/or equivalent college experience. They receive an end-of-service stipend or education award, health coverage, training, a relocation allowance, a living allowance, and childcare assistance if eligible. The work is full-time; VISTAs are permitted to do paid part-time work during their assignment to supplement their income. Our AmeriCorps VISTAs work closely with our community impact team, assignments are based in our UW office, school districts, partner agencies and community schools.

Service Opportunity Description

The Digital Equity VISTA will collaborate with the United Way of Pennsylvania to ensure the sustainability of the Connect-PA Statewide Digital Equity Hub. This role involves mapping digital equity and literacy services, developing outreach materials, and promoting engagement for organizations to enroll in the PA 211 resource database. The VISTA will create a support plan and convene a statewide table of digital equity experts to identify and develop capacity-building resources. Responsibilities include facilitating meetings, prioritizing work plans, documenting outcomes, and posting vetted resources on the Connect-PA hub. Additionally, the VISTA will design a template for community collaboratives focused on digital equity and establish a marketing plan and budget for promoting the Connect-PA digital equity hub statewide.

The assignment is full-time and requires a 1-year commitment.

For more information, please contact Jennifer Nicolosi, Director, Service-Learning Programs at jennifern@unitedwayglv.org

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