



AmeriCorps Idaho



RISK REDUCTION TECHNICIAN MERIDIAN, ID

The Risk Reduction Technician is a key member of the Meridian Fire Department, dedicated to enhancing public safety through education and prevention. This role involves maintaining residential smoke alarms, educating residents on fire safety, and supporting risk reduction initiatives. As a technically skilled and community-focused professional, the technician plays a vital role in creating a safer environment for the community. This role involves conducting regular inspections, testing, and maintenance of residential smoke alarms, including repairs, battery replacements, and cleaning. It requires identifying and resolving issues with malfunctioning or outdated alarms while educating residents on fire safety, alarm placement, and maintenance. Responsibilities also include participating in community outreach, collaborating with organizations, and conducting door-to-door campaigns to identify households in need. The position involves maintaining records, preparing reports, monitoring inventory, and assisting in broader fire prevention initiatives. Members do not participate in prohibited activities. Members do not supplement, duplicate, or displace staff members at the host site. Members with this program have recurring access to vulnerable populations.

The Idaho HealthCorps (IHC) AmeriCorps program partners community members with non-profits across Idaho. These community members serve in paid volunteer positions called AmeriCorps positions. **The opportunity is offered each year from Sept 1- Aug 31.** Visit idahohealthcorps.com for more information.

REQUIREMENTS :

- Must be 18 years or older
- Must be a US Citizen or Lawful Permanent Resident
- Pass a background check
- Complete 900 hours
- Participate in required training and service events
- Avoid Prohibited Activities

BENEFITS:

- Living allowance of \$881 per month before taxes, distributed biweekly
- Education Award of \$3,697.40
- Student Loan Forbearance and Interest Forgiveness
- Member Assistance Program

**SEND RESUME AND THREE REFERENCES TO BRAD HUNT
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