



**Position Title:** Jesuit Volunteer/AmeriCorps Member

**Position Description:**

Engage in a meaningful year of service and community with JVC Northwest! For one year, Jesuit Volunteer (JV)/AmeriCorps members serve local organizations across the Pacific Northwest, helping them address a pressing community need that they've identified.

By living together in intentional community, JV/AmeriCorps members lean on each other for personal growth in the four core values of community, simple living, social and ecological justice, and spirituality/reflection.

Here at Thrive Central Oregon, we are looking to fill the role of Community Outreach Specialist with a JV/AmeriCorps member for the 2022-23 service year that begins in August. Thrive Central Oregon seeks to connect individual needs with community resources by providing barrier-free, walk-in services in public spaces. The Community Outreach Specialist will provide hands-on assistance to individuals experiencing housing insecurity and/ or living in poverty, to better connect them to the supports and change they seek, and assist in developing and maintaining community partnerships. We are actively seeking advanced or fluent Spanish speakers to fill this role.

All JV/AmeriCorps members will be provided with a living stipend, communal housing, health insurance, potential student loan forbearance, and a \$6,495 AmeriCorps Education Award to be used towards future tuition or to pay back qualified student loans.

**Service Dates:** August 8, 2022 through July 31, 2023

**How to Apply:** Apply at [www.jvcnorthwest.org](http://www.jvcnorthwest.org).

**Application Process:** JVC Northwest has a thorough and intentional process for matching applicants with the best service placement for them among our 100+ positions across the Northwest. Applying to JVC Northwest does not mean that you are guaranteed to serve with Thrive Central Oregon, but rather that you will be considered for a variety of service placements. Placements are made based on your interests, skills, and experience.

**Requirements:** JV/AmeriCorps members must be 21 or older on August 8 and cannot be married or have dependents. JV/AmeriCorps members commit to living in intentional community alongside fellow volunteers.

**Contact:** Reach out to Chris Suriano at [recruitment@jvcnorthwest.org](mailto:recruitment@jvcnorthwest.org).