Service Locations

Members serving in Los Angeles County will be assigned to serve in one of the following centers based on availability and need:
- Downtown Los Angeles Resource Center
- Compton
- Long Beach
- Norwalk Resource Center
- Pasadena Resource Center
- Pomona
- San Fernando
- Torrance
- Van Nuys
- LA County Small Claims Advisor Program

Become a JusticeCorps member serving in the Los Angeles Superior Court.

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http://www.courts.ca.gov/justicecorps-la.htm

Interested in the law, social justice, and community empowerment?

Los Angeles JusticeCorps Program
Why do we need you?

Thousands of people are denied access to the courts because they cannot afford attorney representation or because language barriers prevent them from understanding how to navigate the court system. Fortunately, individuals like YOU can help! JusticeCorps was created to provide undergraduates the opportunity to help self-represented litigants represent themselves properly. When you join JusticeCorps, you will work one-on-one with litigants at the Self-Help Legal Access Centers to ensure people receive the proper tools to effectively represent themselves in court or you will refer them to places where they can receive additional help.

Program Benefits

- Earn an educational award from AmeriCorps.
- Provide a much needed service to your community.
- Gain professional experience and transferable skills.
- Develop networking opportunities.
- Gain professional experience working with court staff and the public.
- Earn strong letters of recommendations if you successfully complete the program.
- Learn about court processes and forms.

As an equal opportunity employer, JusticeCorps encourages applications from all individuals regardless of age, gender, race, ethnicity, or physical ability, and evaluates all candidates on a merit basis. JusticeCorps is a proud member of the AmeriCorps national service network.

Minimum Time Member for Summer Program:

- Students from all colleges throughout the country can apply. Students who are enrolled or graduated from college can apply.
- All majors are encouraged to apply.
- Program begins June and ends August.
- Must be able to serve a minimum of 30 hours per week.
- Minimum GPA 2.5
- Applicants must pass a livescan/fingerprinting security check.
- Must be able to attend at least two Friday afternoon trainings in the summer.
- Upon completion of 300 hours, members are eligible for the education award.

Minimum Time Member for Academic year long program requirements:

- Applicants must be enrolled at one of the six participating university campuses (UCLA, USC, CSUN, CSULB, CSUDH, Cal Poly Pomona)
- All majors are encouraged to apply.
- Complete 300 hours of service within the program year.
- Attend first few Friday afternoons onsite trainings and weekend trainings.
- Minimum GPA 2.5
- Applicants must pass a live scan fingerprinting security check.
- Upon completion of 300 hours, members are eligible for the education award.

Full-Time Member Program Requirements

- College graduate from any university and all majors are welcome to apply.
- Non-JusticeCorps alumns as well as JusticeCorps alumns may apply.
- Complete 1700 hours within program year equivalent to 5 full days and some weekend trainings. (Aug – Aug)
- Will receive a monthly living allowance and education award.

How do I apply?

Applications will be for the 2015-2016 Minimum Time Member Positions (Summer and Academic Year) and Full Time Member Positions. Applications can be completed and submitted online through our website: [http://www.courts.ca.gov/programs/justicecorps](http://www.courts.ca.gov/programs/justicecorps) (click on Los Angeles Region). Application Priority Deadlines are listed on our website. However, the program will accept applications after the priority deadline and until all slots are filled.

What is JusticeCorps?

The California JusticeCorps Program is an innovative approach to solving one of the more pressing issues faced by courts around the country today: providing equal access to justice. JusticeCorps recruits and trains university students annually to serve in overburdened legal self-help centers throughout California. JusticeCorps members receive intensive training throughout the year so they can provide in-depth and individualized legal services to self-represented litigants (individuals who represent themselves before the court), often in their own languages, under the supervision of an attorney.

Funded through an AmeriCorps grant, JusticeCorps is a collaborative project of:

- The California Administrative Office of the Courts
- Superior Courts of California, Counties of Los Angeles, Alameda, San Diego, San Francisco, San Mateo, & Santa Clara
- Six local universities: California State University Dominguez Hills, California State University Northridge, California State University Long Beach, California State Polytechnic University Pomona, University of California Los Angeles, and University of Southern California
- Several local legal aid agencies and community-based service providers

Approximately 152 JusticeCorps members will be recruited from the local universities to provide assistance in 10 Los Angeles area Self-Help Legal Access Centers and with the LA County Department of Consumer Affairs Small Claims Advisor.