



MGH Youth Programs AmeriCorps Massachusetts Promise Fellow

AmeriCorps Massachusetts Promise Fellows deliver the resources young people need to be successful in life by creating, managing, and leading meaningful out-of-school time programs for youth in grades 6-12. Fellow projects focus on college and career exploration and academic enrichment.

The Massachusetts Promise Fellowship achieves this by placing AmeriCorps Fellows with schools, non-profit organizations, and state/local government agencies that focus on fulfilling the needs of our youth by providing: *a caring adult, a safe place, a healthy start, an effective education, and an opportunity to serve.*

Service Description

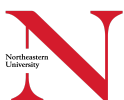
The MGH Youth Scholars Program will provide twenty-five 10th grade students, who have participated in our program since the ninth grade, with the academic, 21st Century, and professional development skills to expand and enhance their educational and career options. Based on the belief that there is a direct correlation between educational attainment, economic potential, and one's overall health, the Fellow's effort will aid in helping to create healthier people; and thus healthier communities. The Fellow will also work to build a future workforce that is educationally prepared and has the skills to successfully compete in a dynamic and global economy.

Primary Location: 101 Merrimac St., Suite 620, Boston MA, 02114

More information about MGH Youth Programs can be found at www.massgeneral.org/community-health/cchi/programs/mgh-youth-scholars

Essential Functions

- The Fellow will spend 80% of their overall year of service on executing Academic Enrichment in the area of STEM and healthcare which will include, but not be limited to the following:
 - Build relationships with thirty-three existing 10th Youth Scholars and create personal academic plans.
 - Expose Youth Scholars to careers/topics/professionals in STEM and healthcare, specifically to professionals of color
 - Create activities for students to discover college majors and colleges/universities, as well as other postsecondary education options that align with their academic and professional goals.
 - Build Scholars' leadership skills and confidence in STEM and health careers.
 - Develop ways for 10th grade parents to feel included in their child's academic pursuits, and postsecondary interests.
 - Monitor the academic progress of all Scholars and ensure that those who need extra support are provided tutoring services and/or individual academic advising.
 - Work in collaboration with Youth Scholars managers on creating connections for academic enrichment across grades
 - Provide general programming and support
 - Refining practices and procedures that will strategically strengthen program impact.
- Complete required MPF data and evaluation requirements
- Travel at least once per month for Fellowship meetings, retreats, and training throughout the Commonwealth
- Make a full-time, 11 month commitment



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Marginal Functions

- Work in collaboration with CCHI's evaluation department to identify strengths and areas for improvement in academic enrichment to ensure students meet their academic goals

Qualifications

- Passionate about social justice, youth development, and working with people from diverse backgrounds
- The Fellow will need to demonstrate strong project management, planning, prioritization, and time management skills.
- Excellent interpersonal, verbal and written communications skills.
- "Can do" work ethic with the ability to work on a team and independently.
- Must be a US Citizen, US National or Permanent Resident Alien
- Must be willing to undergo a National Service Criminal History Check, including screenings through the National Sex Offender Public Website, a name-based search of the statewide criminal history registry both in Massachusetts and your state of residence upon application to our program (if not Massachusetts), and a fingerprint based FBI check. *Eligibility to participate in MPF is contingent on the results of this screening

Fellow Schedule

Monday-Friday: 9am-5pm. Some weekends.

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Benefits

For an 11 month full-time commitment (minimum of 1,700 hours of AmeriCorps service) Fellows receive:

A taxable living allowance of up to \$23,000/year ♦ Loan forbearance and \$6,895 Segal education award that can be used on past or future educational expenses ♦ Training and professional development ♦ FREE courses at Northeastern University in the College of Professional Studies & discounted courses upon successfully completing the service year ♦ Travel reimbursement 15+ miles for Fellow monthly meetings ♦ Career coaching and support ♦ Healthcare benefits ♦ Professional Development

[Apply ASAP!](#) Applicants are selected on a rolling basis through July 12, 2023.

Please contact Yuliya Lantsman at y.lantsman@northeastern.edu or 617-373-5609 if you would like to request an accommodation for the application and/or interview process.

More Info

- Interviews will take place during February-July 2023.
- Selection decisions will be made on or before July 28th, 2023 to guarantee an on time program start. **All position offers will be provisional until 2023-2024 federal funding has been confirmed.**
- MPF Program dates are August 14th, 2023 - July 14th, 2024.
- Visit masspromise.sites.northeastern.edu for detailed program information

The Massachusetts Promise Fellowship is committed to providing equal opportunities. We serve and partner with diverse organizations, and are dedicated to non-discrimination. It is our policy to ensure that all individuals with whom we are in contact are treated equally without regard to age, color, disability, gender, marital status, national origin, religion, sexual orientation or expression, or veteran status. We require that all our partners make reasonable accommodations for interviews and service for any and all individuals with a permanent or temporary disability. We actively partner with organizations representing minority concerns and interests to build high-performing teams that mirror the communities we serve.



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