

# Gain Valuable Career Experience as an AmeriCorps Volunteer at OCHIN

Through a new award from the Washington Service Corps (WSC) in partnership with Career Connect Washington (CCW), OCHIN now has five available slots for AmeriCorps volunteers to support OCHIN member organizations and the communities they serve in Washington state.

**Recruitment takes place now through August 15, 2021.** We're looking for career-minded volunteers aged 30 and under to participate in a dynamic, 11-month professional development program. Bilingual fluency in English/Spanish is preferred. Receive focused training in community health, patient IT service desk support, and clinical quality coordination from OCHIN, a leading national nonprofit health IT organization with over two decades of proven experience in health care equity. Here's how the program works:

- **Volunteers undergo basic training from OCHIN.**

Learn fundamental critical thinking, patient engagement, and OCHIN Epic skills that can make an immediate impact in communities statewide. After initial training, each volunteer is assigned to serve one of our member organizations. Become adept at rotating through these three pivotal roles:

1. **Community/public health** (e.g., contact tracer, immunization outreach coordinator, promotores de salud), to engage patient communities
2. **Bilingual IT service desk** (Spanish), to connect patients with remote monitoring equipment and patient portals
3. **Data and clinical quality coordination**, to support patient safety

- **Gain valuable career experience that can transform lives.**

OCHIN and its members work to address differences in health care that are systemic, avoidable, and unjust. Help communities recover post-pandemic, while spending at least 80% of your time engaged in direct service activities that provide crucial on-the-job training. Other benefits include WSC health coverage, eligible childcare assistance, a top-tier \$1,438.10 monthly living allowance, and an end-of-service education award that supports your continued career development.

**This outstanding opportunity lets you learn and grow, while giving back.** OCHIN supports community health centers and other practices vital to underserved communities. We also facilitate active research projects that address systemic health care inequalities across the country. [Read about an AmeriCorps volunteer's life-changing experience with OCHIN here.](#) We're a driving force for health equity that assists:

**6M**

Patients nationwide

**21,000**

Skilled providers

**500+**

Nationwide care delivery sites

**47**

States—and growing

**35**

Research partner organizations

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*If you are interested in becoming a 2021-2022 AmeriCorps volunteer for OCHIN and its Washington state members, visit our Career Launch page at [my.americorps.gov/mp/listing/viewListing.do?id=101170](http://my.americorps.gov/mp/listing/viewListing.do?id=101170)*

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