

Hello and Happy New Year,

iFoster is recruiting both members and host sites for our TAY Americorps Program. I've attached a flier that has the application link for transition aged youth to use. If you know any 18-25 year olds with lived experience in the foster care system who could benefit from serving as an Americorps member, please get this information to them or send them my way.

iFoster provides professional development sessions, training, supervision, and a monthly living stipend throughout the 10 month service year. We work to place our members in internships with community agencies that serve their peers and their community at large.

If your organization would be interested in serving as a host site for an Americorps member, please let me know and I would be happy to discuss opportunities with you.

If you have any questions, please let me know. Thank you for the work that you do in your community and I look forward to a great year ahead.

Best,

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**FOSTER YOUTH WE NEED YOU!**

## **JOIN iFOSTER TAY AMERICORPS & HELP YOUR PEERS!**

The iFoster TAY AmeriCorps Program is recruiting! Our TAY AmeriCorps Peer Mentors work with local agencies to support transition-age foster youth. Our members have successfully served over 40,000 foster youth to-date. Join our national award-winning 10 month internship for 2024!

### **What is iFoster TAY AmeriCorps?**

- Train and become a peer resource navigator and earn money while helping your peers
- Help foster youth persist in school, get a job & become independent by connecting them to the resources they need
- Gain professional skills, ongoing job and life coaching, and a pathway to permanent jobs
- Earn monthly stipends of \$1,350.00 for part-time
- Earn a scholarship for college of \$3,697.50 for part-time if you successfully complete your 6 month service

### **Who Can Apply to be a Member?**

- MUST be a resident of California, Kentucky, Nevada, New York City, Ohio or Washington
- MUST be at least 18 or turning 18 before January 1, 2025
- MUST be a foster youth no older than 26
- MUST commit to serving a minimum of 90 hours a month (part-time status)
- MUST enroll in SNAP E&T or other workforce program designated by iFoster
- NO WORK EXPERIENCE REQUIRED!
- Criminal record is NOT disqualifying

### **Who Can Apply to be a Member?**

- Apply today to be first in line for an interview!
- Click button or link to complete application
- Interviews starting December 2023
- Internships starts March 2024



If you are interested in having a TAY AmeriCorps help your foster youth in support of your agency's programs, click link and complete the [Interested Agency Host Site Form](#).

**Questions? Call/text iFoster TAY AmeriCorps at 213-347-5528 / [tayamericorps@ifoster.org](mailto:tayamericorps@ifoster.org)**