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Dear Applicant,

Every day, nonprofit organizations across South Louisiana help communities, families and children overcome the challenges of poverty, mental health and wellness, youth development and environmental protection. They want to do even more, and as a Serve Louisiana member, you'll devote an 11-month paid year to helping a nonprofit partner in Baton Rouge or New Orleans operate more efficiently and effectively. For many members, it's both the toughest — and most rewarding — year of their working lives. And the impact of your efforts will far outlast the time you spend with your partner organization.

As you complete this application, you may be interested to learn more about the member application and matching process and timeline.

Partner Organizations and position descriptions for the 2018-2019 service term are announced May 11th and can be found on our website. In the application and interview, you will be asked for which positions you would like to be considered, so do your research on both the position and on the organization.

Applications are due by June 29, 2018. Once we receive your application, a Serve Louisiana staff member will review it within 3 business days, and individuals meeting the criteria to serve will be invited to a preliminary interview. Out-of-state applicants will schedule a remote, video interview throughout June and into July, and local applicants will attend an in-person interview in New Orleans or in Baton Rouge in early July.

If selected to advance, your application will be sent to your top 3 organizations, and someone from the organization will reach out to you directly to schedule an interview. While we will make strong recommendations, it is ultimately up to the partner organization and to the applicant to find that perfect, harmonious win-win match.

Partner Organizations are to complete the interview process and to choose their members by August 6th. All members will begin service on September 4th, and then join their fellow corps members from September 5-7 for a three-day overnight training.

Please reach out with any questions or concerns!

Best,

Maggie Conarro
Program Director

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