

## **How to Apply for AmeriCorps National Grants**

**The Deadline to Apply for AmeriCorps National Direct funding is in January.** For information on the National Direct Consultation requirements see pg. 7-8 in the [FY16 AmeriCorps NOFO](#).

If your organization is seeking AmeriCorps National Direct funding, please complete the [National Direct Consultation Form](#) and submit to the Virginia Office on Volunteerism and Community Service (OVCS) at [patricia.doyle@dss.virginia.gov](mailto:patricia.doyle@dss.virginia.gov).

1. OVCS will then review your application and respond with any questions we might have.
2. Once the application has been reviewed, we will send your program an agreement letter which your program will need to sign and submit.
3. OVCS will then give your program a 'support' rating with CNCS when CNCS is reviewing the organization's application for national direct funding.