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MEMBER RESOURCE OVERVIEW

An Overview of Resources and
Services available as a MCC
Participant, AmeriCorps Member,
and Montana Resident



OFFERED AND FACILITATED RESOURCES

- Member Assistance Program
- SNAP
- Temporary Relief Fund*
- Community Spaces*
- Reasonable Accommodation*
- Pro Deals*
- Health Insurance*
- Patricia Sagawa Corpsmember Relief Fund
- Lifeline
- FindHelp.org

*Resources Provided by MCC



MEMBER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (MAP)

**Free and Confidential Services Available to
AmeriCorps Members 24/7, 365 days a year**



SERVICES INCLUDE:

- Mental Health Counseling
- Life Coaching
- Legal and Financial Resources
- Personal Assistant
- Work/Life Resources
- Medical Advocacy

ACCESSING YOUR SERVICES:

- Call: 800-451-1834
- Visit: www.allonehealthheap.com

To Sign Up, Use Code: **americorps**



SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP)



**Financial Assistance for purchasing food funded
by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)**



- Distributed by your local Office of Public Assistance
- As an AmeriCorps member, your living stipend is exempt income
- SNAP benefits are reloaded onto your EBT debit card at the beginning of each month

TO APPLY:

Refer to the guidance on WorkBright
Make sure you use your MT residence
or host site address

Visit: apply.mt.gov

TEMPORARY RELIEF FUND

www.mtcorps.org/relief.html

The Temporary Relief Fund offers limited financial assistance to AmeriCorps members serving with MCC. This fund is intended to assist with **unexpected financial needs**

All AmeriCorps participants may apply **after completing the first two weeks of their term of service.**

The fund is limited and submitting an application does not guarantee you funding. Applications are reviewed within 1-2 business weeks. Approved funds are dispersed in your paycheck in either the next or second next pay period.

CONTACT YOUR PROGRAM MANAGER IF YOU'RE CONSIDERING APPLYING

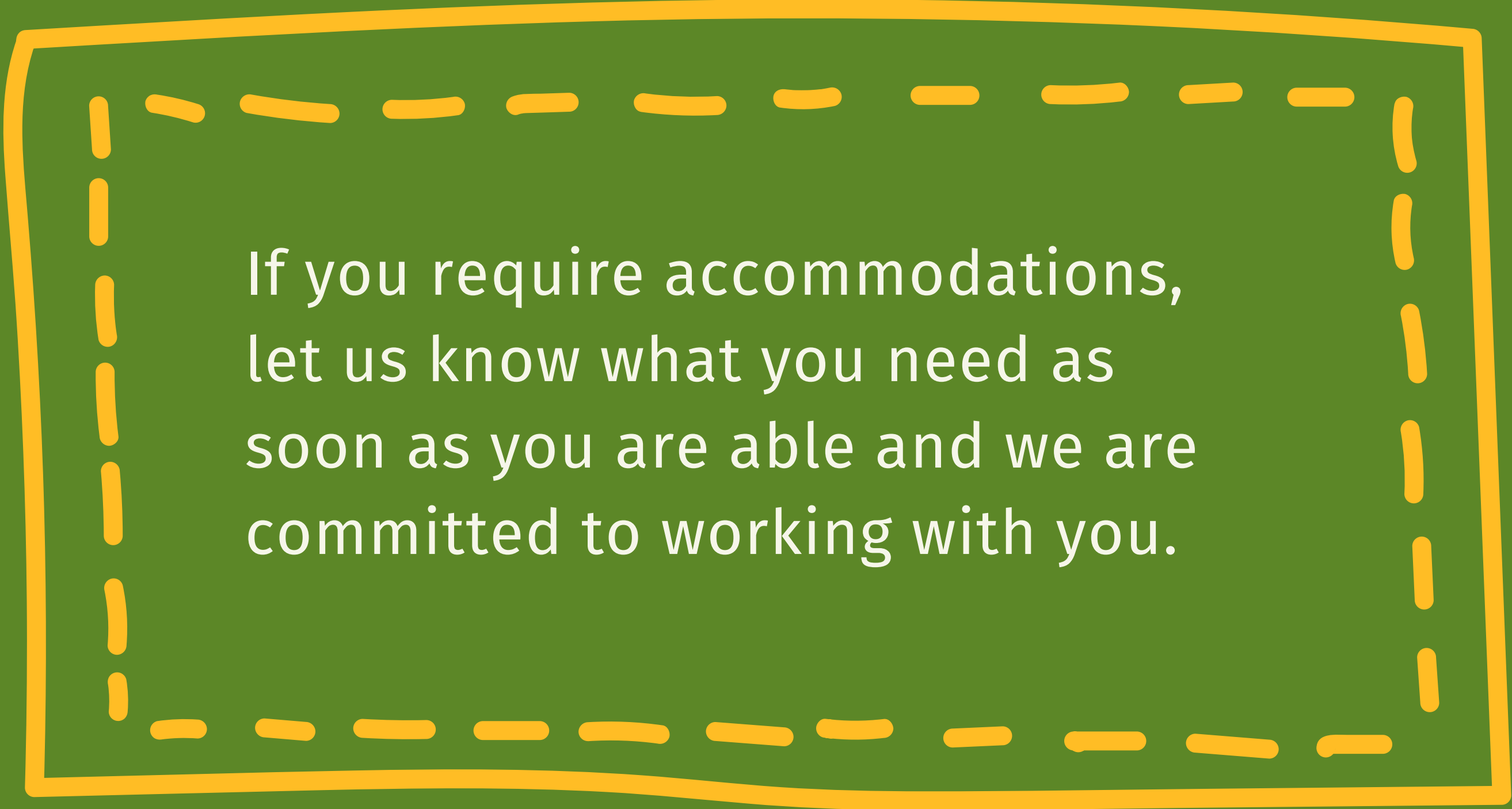


COMMUNITY SPACES

MCC offers community spaces to build community, connection, and support during the season.

These are closed groups open only to those who identify within the respective community.

REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION



If you require accommodations,
let us know what you need as
soon as you are able and we are
committed to working with you.

PRO DEALS

As a way to support your service and success with MCC, we have pre-negotiated several pro-deals on your behalf.



If you have any questions, email brad@mtcorps.org
For More Information: Reference the 2025 Pro Deal Directions

HEALTH INSURANCE

MCC offers Health Insurance to members serving
675 hours or more

- If enrolled, your coverage is effective the first day of your term
- If you originally waived coverage and you lose your other coverage, email tina@mtcorps.org to request coverage with MCC
- Insurance cards are electronic and can be accessed through the Cigna website or app



PATRICIA SAGAWA CORPSMEMBER RELIEF FUND



Designed to provide critical financial support to young adults facing barriers during their term of a service in one of the 140+ member organizations of The Corps Network.

Funds can be requested to support short-term relief including, but not limited to:

- Clothing and Supplies (boots, tent, backpacks, professional clothing, etc.)
- Food
- Housing
- Medical Expenses
- Transportation (public transportation, fuel, repairs, etc.)
- Unforeseen need to travel home
- Utilities

Three Application Windows

Spring: March 30-April 6 Summer: June 15-22 Fall: September 7-14

LIFELINE



Lifeline is a federal program dedicated to making phone and internet service more affordable for low-income households. This benefit provides eligible consumers with a monthly discount of up to \$9.25. Consumers living on Tribal lands are eligible for an enhanced discount of up to \$34.25 per month.

You may be eligible to get Lifeline based on your income or participation in a government assistance program. (ex. SNAP)

<https://www.lifelinesupport.org/get-started/>

FINDHELP.ORG

An online database that's searchable by zip code for free and reduced-cost services for things like:

- money
- care
- education
- work
- legal
- food
- housing
- goods
- transit
- health



It provides access to
local, state and
nationwide resources