HABI CORPS WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

HabiCorps provides 10.5 months of meaningful, hands-on training focused on construction trades and landscape/property maintenance. Trainees serve the community while building Habitat for Humanity homes for families in need. All HabiCorps trainees receive stipends, health care and child care benefits, along with student loan forbearance if eligible. Following successful completion of the program trainees will receive job placement assistance and an educational award that can be applied to student loans or further education and training.

APPLY TODAY AT: www.habitatchesapeake.org/habicorps

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AT-A-GLANCE

10.5 MONTHS of hands-on training

$11/HOUR stipend

$6,095 education award

HEALTH CARE & BENEFITS

EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY
ABOUT HABITAT FOR HUMANITY OF THE CHESAPEAKE
Habitat for Humanity was founded in 1976 to build homes in partnership with families in need. Today, there are more than 1,300 Habitat affiliates across the globe, each striving to meet the unique needs of the community it serves. In Central Maryland, Habitat Chesapeake has built 760+ homes, helping 2,500+ children and family members find safety, stability and a brighter future. In 2019 alone, we worked with 20 families, building 25 homes in 6 communities.

ABOUT THE PROGRAM
HabiCorps trainees work in small teams led by skilled instructors. Projects vary from new construction and complete gut rehabilitation to landscaping and property maintenance. As a result, HabiCorps team members gain a wide range of hands on experience in addition to the focus on attendance, punctuality, leadership, teamwork, and job readiness.

TRAINING TOPICS
Blueprint Reading
Carpentry
Crew Management
Deconstruction & Demolition
Drywall
Flooring Installation
Framing
Painting
First Aid & CPR
OSHA Safety Standards & Certification

SUPPORT SERVICES
Case Management
Financial Literacy Education
Free Tax Preparation
Transportation Assistance

"It doesn't get any better. It's building a home for a family from the ground up and giving me a career. I'm getting paid to learn. It's awesome.
-Lamont, HabiCorps Trainee"