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Member Additional Benefits

This Policy applies to all Washington Service Corps (WSC) AmeriCorps members, including any AmeriCorps project area managed by WSC.

1. **Sponsoring organizations are allowed to offer additional benefits for members serving under a WSC managed grant. These benefits are in addition to the member stipend that are issued by the Washington Service Corps**
 - a. Sponsoring Organizations may provide additional member benefits if the treatment of such benefits is equitable for all members or a defined subset of members, is defined in policy, is an allowable federal expenditure, and follows basic OMB cost principles.
 - b. Sponsoring Organizations should consult with their Site and Member Services Coordinator prior to offering benefits to members. Some common examples are:
 - i. Housing or technology/equipment allowance
 - ii. Transportation allowance
 - iii. Grocery allowance