

Prescription 5: Civic Engagement

Following are the online resources available from CNCS and where to find them:

- *A Guide to Effective Citizenship through AmeriCorps* is “a handbook divided into ten 2-hour modules based on the knowledge, skills, attitudes, and action essential to active citizenship.”
- A Facilitator’s Guide for *By the People* “introduces citizenship skills and concepts that AmeriCorps members can apply to their own projects in the field.” This curriculum employs the principle that one best learns about citizenship through the major historical documents of our democracy.
- *Citizenship Toolkit* provides Corporation guidance on training in this subject area along with scenarios for effective use of the two curricula named above; it also includes a resource directory.

All three of these documents are available for downloading at

<http://nationalservicerresources.org/search/etr/citizenship>. The Resource Center is sponsored by the [Corporation for National and Community Service](#) and administered by ETR Associates.