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3. To examine the experience of Corpsmen after termination from the Job Corps.

What did they do right after leaving the centers? What are they doing now -- working, in school, or unemployed? If they are working, what kind of jobs do they have now, how much are they earning and what do they think of their chances for advancement? If in school, what kind of school? If unemployed, what are they trying to do with their lives? Finally, what do they feel was useful about their Job Corps experience?

Again the relative success of the graduates, dropouts and discharges since they left the Job Corps will be examined in depth.

4. To examine the positive and negative contacts of the ex-Corpsmen with their

community. In this section many factors will be explored, including the extent of their participation in a roster of leisure activities, membership in labor, trade, and social groups, religious attendance, and contact with social agencies and with the police.

The question here is how involved are the ex-Corpsmen with their community?

Sample

The Job Corps supplied a list of 3,073 names of August 1966 terminations.

From this list 750 individuals were to be interviewed to achieve the desired return rate of 24 percent. In the end, 868 interviews were completed for a return rate of 28 percent.