Documents related to completing the NBNA Scholarship Application
*(use as your check-off list)*

In order to be considered for the National Black Nurses Association Scholarship Program, you will need to thoroughly complete an application online via CommunityForce. To assist you, we have compiled a list of the information you will need to complete the application. Please review the scholarship application form carefully. Remember to submit ALL requested documents electronically with your application.

**IF YOU ARE NOT A MEMBER IN GOOD STANDING WITH ONE OF OUR CHAPTERS, YOU NEED TO JOIN NOW.** This is the major requirement to be considered for an NBNA scholarship.

- Scholarship application submission online via CommunityForce - Deadline: March 15, 2024
- Official transcripts requested and uploaded online
- Two-page/500-word maximum Personal Statement/Essay that describes how your degree will apply to nursing
- Signed Honor Agreement committing to pay membership dues as a first-year graduate and as a full member for your second year as a RN
- Two (2) letters of recommendation (first letter from Dean/Faculty Member from school of nursing and second letter from the Chapter President/Vice President)
- Current professional photo (headshot); place picture in a separate email file
- Must be enrolled in an accredited school of nursing; submit letter from Registrar verifying enrollment and expected date of graduation
- Must have at least one (1) full year remaining in school
- Must show evidence of active participation in local chapter. If a direct member, must show evidence of community service
- Limit the number of supporting documents to 10 pages, (ex: certificates, letters, articles)

*All applicants must be a member in good standing with NBNA and with a local chapter (if one exists in the area).*

Thank you,

NBNA Scholarship Committee