

2024 AANBNA Nursing Student Scholarship

We are excited to announce the 2024 Ann Arbor National Black Nurses Association (AANBNA) Nursing Student Scholarship program.

The mission of the AANBNA is to combat health disparities within the African American community and other minorities by providing ongoing education, raising awareness, mentoring current and future minority healthcare professionals, and creating networking opportunities through collaborations and partnerships.

We aim to foster a strong community of healthcare professionals by offering nursing scholarships and providing opportunities for personal and professional growth.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Applicant must be in an undergraduate or graduate accredited nursing school program.
- Applicant must be enrolled and in good standing, with at least one completed semester in current nursing program.
- Applicant must be a permanent resident of Michigan or attend school in the SE Michigan region.
- Applicant must demonstrate involvement in the community.

Scholarship Award:

- Two scholarship recipients will receive a **\$750** award for educational or living expenses (i.e., training materials/equipment, childcare expenses, transportation, or other relevant expenses).
- The scholarship is not renewable, but applicants who continue to meet the eligibility criteria can apply each academic year.
- Applicant may not be part of the AANBNA Executive Board or a member of the Scholarship Committee.

Application Deadline:

All application materials must be submitted online by **September 30, 2024** The scholarship will be awarded during a recognition ceremony in late fall.

Application Process:

- 1. Complete the AANBNA Nursing Student Scholarship application form at: <u>https://forms.office.com/r/5v5Ynv6MU3</u>
- 2. Submit supporting documents to aanbnascholarships@yahoo.com by September 30, 2024
 - Write a personal essay (maximum of 2 pages) that includes your nursing interest, career goals, community involvement, explanation of your financial need, and how this scholarship will help you obtain your nursing degree.
 - Submit an unofficial transcript from current nursing program.
 - Provide two recommendation letters on official letterhead; at least one must be from an academic advisor or faculty member.

Questions: Contact the AANBNA Scholarship Committee at aanbnascholarships@yahoo.com