

CHICAGO CHAPTER NATIONAL BLACK NURSES ASSOCIATION  
CRITERIA FOR GAY LA SHAUN REESE RN, BSN  
GRADUATE LONG-TERM CARE/PSYCHIATRIC NURSING



In honor of Gay La Shaun Reese, RN, BSN, the family decided to continue her legacy of supporting nurses who desire to pursue advanced education in Long Term Care Nursing/Psychiatric Nursing in an effort to continually provide quality healthcare services for this population of clients. La Shaun's passion and commitment for nursing in this setting was greatly appreciated of those who received her care.

**Scholarship Eligibility:**

- 1) Applicants must be a resident of Illinois.
- 2) Must submit a copy of current RN License.
- 3) Must submit proof of active employment in the Long-Term Setting or Psychiatric Setting.
- 4) Must have proof of acceptance for enrollment in an approved advanced practice-nursing program and must be enrolled and have completed one nursing course with a minimum 3.0 G.P.A.
- 5) Submit a minimum 500 word typed and double-spaced essay inclusive of financial need and/or provide any additional evidence why you are deserving of CCNBNA Scholarship. A current professional photo must be included in profile.
- 6) Must participate in CCNBNA-sponsored health care events after acceptance.
- 7) Become an active member of the Chicago Chapter National Black Nurses Association.
- 8) Obtain at least two letters of recommendation, in which one must be from a discipline of Nursing (Clinical Instructor), and the other one can be submitted from a community organization, current employer, civic organization, and/or professor of education.
- 9) Submitted letter (s) of recommendation must be written on official letterhead of institution and/or organization which includes professional title, email, address and contact phone number.
- 10) Please identify which scholarship you are applying for.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: March 26, 2024 @11:59pm**

(Application must be postmarked by this date)

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