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**1**<sup>st</sup> **Chapter President** (1981) Honorable Christine Davenport National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Inc. Anne Arundel County Chapter, Maryland

January 7, 2021

To Whom it May Concern,

The National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Inc., Anne Arundel County Chapter is a nationally affiliated advocacy 501 (c)(3) organization that seeks to empower Black Women and Girls to promote leadership and gender equity in the areas of Health, Education, Economic Empowerment.

Each year the Anne Arundel County Chapter recognizes SHERO women who have made outstanding contributions in their community, to enhance and improve the quality of life for Black Women and Girls in the State of Maryland. On Saturday, April 17, 2021, we will virtually host an Annual Awards and Recognition Program to honor the excellence of SHEROs, Scholars, and Mentees.

We invite you to nominate a qualified woman in the following categories:

- Life Time Achievement
- Trailblazer
- Unsung SHERO
- Young Adult Service Award
- Health and Wellness
- Education
- Entrepreneur

The Award Nomination Form, along with the criteria and instructions for submission are enclosed. All completed nomination packets must be received by the National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Inc., Anne Arundel County Chapter, no later than **February 18, 2021**. The completed packets must be emailed to:

#### eecncbwaaco@gmail.com

Please share this information with your friends, family, and community leaders. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Valecia Winston, Chair of the Economic Empowerment Committee, via email, eecncbwaaco@gmail.com or by cell, 240-257-2882.

Thank you in advance for your help to make this Awards Program a success.

Sincerely,

Andrée Mountain

Andrée M. Mountain, PhD President

Valecia Winston Valecia Winston Committee Chair

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# NCBW APPLICATION PACKET CHECKLIST

# Nomination One Page Statement

NCBW Nomination Form

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#### CRITERIA FOR AWARD NOMINATION STATEMENT

- Submit a typed one page statement why you are nominating the candidate.
- Give specific examples for each applicable category.
- Deadline for all nominations is **February 18, 2021.**
- Any professional organization, community organization, church, or individual may submit a nomination.

#### WHO IS ELIGIBLE

A nominee should be one who:

- lives and has done the work they are nominated for in Maryland
- Demonstrated excellence, accomplishments, and leadership
- Demonstrated leadership in their school, church, or community
- Served as a mentor/role-model or helped others to achieve in some way
- Served as an inspiration to others

#### AWARD CATEGORY

**LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD:** A Black Woman who has opened doors and forged trails for others to follow, for 35 years or more. Her outstanding leadership and contributions have brought about social change that improved the quality of life for women and girls and/or the community.

**TRAILBLAZER AWARD:** A Black Woman who has created history by breaking through barriers and shattering glass ceilings. She has blazed a trail in many different sectors, making the roads to success easier for other women to follow. She is one of the first or few women in her field and is known for her accomplishments that changed history by paving the way for women and girls.

**UNSUNG SHERO AWARD:** A Black Woman who has made significant contributions through her commitment to improving the lives of others, based on the depth of her involvement and the amount of time she spends assisting women and girls. Her actions to advocate for just causes, enhances the quality of life and community living.

**YOUNG ADULT SERVICE AWARD (18 – 35):** A Black Woman who has exemplified the qualities of hard work, dedication and perseverance to chart a new path for herself and/or her family. Her actions have inspired others through overcoming insurmountable odds and succeeding against those odds.

**HEALTH AND WELLNESS AWARD:** A Black Woman who works in the health or wellness field (to include doctors and nurses) who inspires and encourages other women and girls.

**EDUCATION SERVICE AWARD:** A Black Woman who works in the education field, such as educators, guidance counselor, teacher assistant, school psychologist, social worker, and instructional coach. Her dedication has proven that she is committed to improving the lives of others.

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**ENTREPRENEUR AWARD:** A Black Woman who is a small business owner and whose efforts or entrepreneurial pursuits exemplify her passion and commitment to the community, at large. She must have been in business for more than five continuous years.

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## NOMINATION FORM

# **DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF ALL NOMINATIONS IS FEBRUARY 18, 2021**

Application Packet must include: 

Nomination Form
Nomination One Page Statement

Application Packet must be emailed to: <u>eecncbwaaco@gmail.com</u>

### \*\*\*\* NOMINATED BY: (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE) \*\*\*\*

Full Name				
Address				
City		State		Zip
Home Phone	ne Cell Phot		;	
	**** NOMINEE INFO	RMATION: (PLEASE PL	RINT OR T	YPE) ****
Name: First	Mide	dle Initial Last		
Address:	C	ity	State	Zip
Home Phone	Cell Phone			
Email				
Category of Nomination: (Choose One)				
	Life Time Achievement	Trailblazer	Uns	sung "SHERO"
	Young AdultHealth	& WellnessEduc	cation _	Entrepreneur
Final award category cr	led categories are subje iteria.	ect to committee rev	iew and	may change based on

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