The National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Inc., Harrisburg Chapter (NCBW) is accepting applications for The National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Inc., Harrisburg Chapter, Advocacy Scholarship Award. This scholarship was created to help support the efforts of high school female students of color, pursuing a degree at a post-secondary institution of higher education. One $500.00 scholarship will be awarded to a deserving graduate. Completed applications and all supporting documentation, must be **received** on or before April 1, 2020.

**Eligibility Criteria:**

* Must be a female student of color who will graduate from high school in 2020
* Must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale
* Must have performed at least 20 hours of verifiable community service with an established organization
* Plans to enroll in a full-time technical, associate or baccalaureate degree program in the fall of 2020
* Must reside in Central PA

**Submission Requirements and Documentation:**

1. Must submit a completed application on or before **April 1, 2020**
2. **Official (unopened)** transcripts must be submitted and received by the application deadline
3. Essay (preferably 500 words or less) on what advocacy means to the applicant
4. Proof of graduation must be provided before funds are released

**Transcripts must be mailed to:**

NCBW, Harrisburg Chapter

Scholarship Committee

P.O. Box 60244

Harrisburg, PA 17106-0244

**Completed Applications may be mailed or emailed to:**

NCBW, Harrisburg Chapter

Scholarship Committee

P.O. Box 60244

Harrisburg, PA 17106-0244

**Email Address:** ncbwharrisburg@yahoo.com

**APPLICATION INFORMATION**

Name:­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent(s) or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian’s Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION**

High School: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**COLLEGE INFORMATION (if known)**

College/University you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Field of Interest/Major: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Have you applied: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

List any extra-curricular activities that you were involved in throughout high school as well as awards received and work experience. (If needed, attach an extra sheet of paper)

**EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

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| **Activity** | **Leadership Position Held (if applicable)** | **Dates** |
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**AWARDS**

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| **Award** | **Organization** | **Dates** |
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**EMPLOYMENT**

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| **Employer** | **Position Held** | **Dates** |
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**COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Name of Organization: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Type of Community Service Performed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Total Hours Completed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Dates Completed (to/from): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**ESSAY QUESTION**

**The mission of NCBW, Inc. is to advocate on behalf of black women and girls to promote leadership development and gender equity in the areas of health, education and economic development.**

Please explain what advocacy means to you and if you had to advocate on behalf of someone else in the area health, education or economic development, which area would you choose and why?

(Essay may be typed on a separate sheet of paper)

**Applicant Signature**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Date**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_