

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI - ST. LOUIS COLLEGE OF NURSING
Instructions for Application for
VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION OF GREATER ST. LOUIS
URSULA JOHNSON BRACY SCHOLARSHIP
To be awarded by
THE HOME HEALTH CARE FOUNDATION
for 2008-2009 Academic Year

Deadline for Application: March 1, 2008

To be considered for this scholarship awarded by Home Health Care Foundation, you must 1) be an African-American baccalaureate student at Saint Louis University School of Nursing or at the University of Missouri - St. Louis College of Nursing; 2) be academically in good standing; 3) have demonstrated leadership characteristics as a student; 4) reside in the St. Louis greater metropolitan area (includes metro East Illinois); and 5) must demonstrate financial need by filing the FAFSA report in January, 2008 with the Office of Financial Aid.

The Ursula Johnson Bracy Scholarship in the amount of \$2,500.00 was established by The Home Health Care Foundation in honor of Mrs. Ursula Johnson Bracy, RN, BSN, who was born on March 9, 1908. She graduated in 1932 from Kansas City General Hospital School of Nursing and received a baccalaureate degree in Public Health Nursing from Saint Louis University School of Nursing in 1951. She was employed by the Visiting Nurses Association (VNA) for nearly 40 years, serving in various capacities from August 28, 1934 until retirement on November 2, 1973. Mrs. Bracy was one of the first African-American nurses to be employed by the VNA. In 1975, she was appointed as an Honorary Board Member. She was a pioneer and leader in community health nursing throughout her professional career.

To apply for the Home Health Care Foundation Scholarship:

1. **Submit the FAFSA report in January, 2008.**
2. **Fill out the attached scholarship application and submit with faculty recommendation already filled out (in a sealed envelope).**
2. **The University will complete the University Comments prior to submitting the Application.**

Attach this cover application to the application materials and submit by March 1, 2008 to:

Warren Gibson
College of Nursing at UM-St. Louis
Nursing Administration Building
1 University Boulevard
St. Louis, Missouri 63121
314-516-6066

For additional information about UMSL and federal and state financial aid, please contact the College of Nursing at the University of Missouri-St. Louis Office at (314) 516 -6066.

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