

North Central Michigan College
Scholarship Application for

BORRA NURSING PATHWAY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____
 First **Middle Initial** **Last**

Address: _____
 Street **City** **Zip Code**

North Central Student ID Number: _____ Phone: (____) _____

Name of High School You Graduated From and Graduation Date: _____

Purpose:

The Borra Nursing Pathway Scholarships are designed to encourage the most capable students with the greatest financial need to obtain an ADN and BSN with the goal that upon graduation and obtaining positions in the nursing field they will be encouraged to work in our community, set good examples for and promote North Central Michigan College's nursing program.

Scholarships Eligibility:

- a. ADN students who are taking courses in preparation to transfer to BSN completion programs at Preferred Partner schools (*see below);
- b. NCMC students with an ADN who are transferring to an NCMC Preferred Partner school to pursue a BSN;
- c. NCMC students pursuing ADN or Allied Health degrees; and
- d. Past NCMC graduates (Registered Nurses) who may not be able to meet their tuition requirements at their place of employment. Applicants must show proof of tuition need.

Applicants should provide the following information:

- 1. General information (the candidate must complete the application and provide supportive documentation as indicated).
 - a. Name, address, mobile phone, email, accredited nursing school for BSN (type of program RN to BSN completions etc.), anticipated date of Graduation
 - b. Submit completed application and documents to the Financial Aid Office at NCMC.
 - c. Draft a statement that you have not repeated any nursing courses (courses taken while in ADN program)
 - d. Unencumbered professional license if applicable
- 2. Academic Achievement
 - a. Cumulative G.P.A. 3.0*/4.0 (3.0 G.P.A. or greater required to retain scholarship).
 - b. Disclose current financial aid and/or other scholarships

3. Endorsements
 - a. From nursing faculty member
 - b. From an employer if applicable
4. Community Service
 - a. List of community or service organizations in the last two (2) years:
5. Essay
 - a. Please choose one of the following topic examples:
 - i. "If asked to lead a career session, what three (3) aspects of nursing would you highlight to promote nursing as a career?"-OR-
 - ii. "My most memorable client or experience: Describe a situation in which your nursing care made a difference." -OR-
 - iii. "The future of nursing in healthcare in the State of Michigan."
 - b. 500 words, double spaced, appropriately referenced
6. Are there any obstacles that may make it difficult to obtain your degree?

I certify that all the information above is true and give permission to North Central Michigan College to share information with the Borra Family Foundation if the Borra Nursing Pathway Scholarship is awarded.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

* Preferred Partner Schools: Grand Valley State University (Grand Rapids, MI), University of Michigan- Flint (Flint, MI), Lake Superior State University (Sault Ste. Marie, MI) and Chamberlain University, (Online Program; Downers Grove, IL).

Please submit application to the NCMC Financial Aid Office as soon as possible for summer course scholarship consideration! Application Deadline for fall course scholarship consideration is June 20th, 2017.