



2023-24 Diversity in Medicine Scholarship Applicant Checklist

APPLICATION DEADLINE

ALL MATERIALS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY 11:59PM ON MONDAY, JUNE 12, 2023

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1. Must be a current medical student who is an alumna/us of an AMSNY post-baccalaureate program **OR** must be a current AMSNY post-baccalaureate student
2. Must be enrolled in a New York State medical school for the academic year 2023-24
3. Must be domiciled in New York State per the regulations applied to SUNY in-state tuition determinations (available at <https://www.suny.edu/smartrack/residency/>)

APPLICATION COMPONENTS

- Curriculum Vitae (CV)
- Essays (each 400 words or less)
 1. Describe your background and what led you to a career in medicine and the AMSNY post-bac program.
 2. Please discuss your commitment to pursue a career as a physician in an underserved area. Please include experiences which you have had or activities you have participated in that have prepared you or motivated you to work with underserved populations, including any future plans.
- Official transcript from the AMSNY post-baccalaureate program
- Official transcript from medical school (*rising first-year medical students will not have one*)
- Academic letter of recommendation
- Non-academic letter of recommendation

Recommendations should include a description of the recommender's relationship to the applicant and discuss the applicant's education/work achievements, communication skills, and the applicant's commitment and suitability to working with underserved communities.
- Financial status documentation, specifically Pell Grant and/or AAMC Fee Assistance**

**** NOTE: *Financial status is not an eligibility nor selection criteria for the scholarship. This information will not affect your scholarship application status.***

Given the serious nature of the service commitment, AMSNY recommends that applicants view the stories from those who have served in the National Health Service Corps (<https://nhsc.hrsa.gov/member-stories>).