

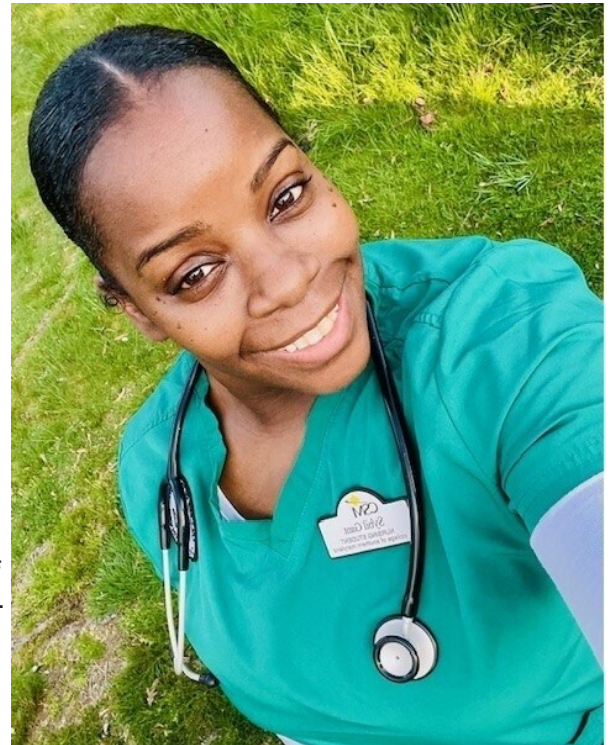
# SOUTHERN MARYLAND WOMEN'S LEAGUE SCHOLARSHIP

• Thank You •

Dear Southern Maryland Women's League,

Thank you so much for awarding me with the Southern Maryland Women's League Scholarship! I am incredibly grateful to receive your support in accomplishing my educational goals! Being awarded with this scholarship allows me the opportunity to focus more on my education and not so much on how I am going to pay for it. It will also ensure that I am better able to provide for myself and my family. You all have lifted a weight off my shoulders, and the peace that you have given me is priceless!

A little about me, I was born and raised in Charles County. I have received both an associate degree and a bachelor's degree from Columbia Southern University, however, have recently been driven to pursue my passion in nursing here at CSM. I am a single mother of two amazing daughters, Jaymee (12) and Jurnee (9). Outside of school, they are both competitive cheerleaders with Southern Maryland Youth Organization (SMYO), so when I am not being a traveling cheer mom, I enjoy hiking, visiting amusement parks and museums, and learning new things, especially fun facts. There is nothing, however, that I enjoy doing more than spending time with my daughters, and with the help of your scholarship, I will be able to do more of that!



I am a returning student to CSM and chose to return because of my previous experiences here. The professors were all passionate about what they were teaching, which in turn made wanting to go to class to learn easy and fun for me! I also believe that CSM has one of the best nursing programs in the region. This fall, I will be entering my 3rd semester of the nursing program, and I intend on graduating with an associate degree in nursing in May of 2025. If all goes as planned, I will be able to take the NCLEX exam and test to become a registered nurse shortly after. I also plan to pursue a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing, beginning the courses once I graduate this program. I believe that this is an important goal for me to accomplish because many organizations are requiring that nurses obtain a bachelor's degree to continue practicing nursing. I am super excited to become a registered nurse and give back to my community!

I cannot express my thanks and gratitude to you all enough! I truly appreciate you all awarding me with your \$1,000 Southern Maryland Women's League Scholarship! It has truly made a difference for me! Thank you!

Sincerely,  
Sybil Gant



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Hello,

My name is Tamia Taylor and I wanted to thank you for the Southern Maryland Women's League Scholarship. Without it, I would not be able to afford the rest of my last semester in the ADN program.

Overall, my experience at CSM is great and I am excited to become an RN this December, and you are part of the reason that I am able to finish out strong. So once again, thank you for donating to the Southern Maryland Women's League Scholarship. You have helped me get one step closer to my future success.

Best regards,  
Tamia Taylor



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Dear Southern Maryland Women's League,

Thank you so much for awarding me a very generous scholarship.

I am very grateful to receive your support and help with paying for my classes. This money helps to pay for a brighter future for me and my family. Your generosity is taking a lot of the financial hardship off me and my husband.

I am a wife to a U.S. Navy Veteran and a stay-at-home parent to my two daughters. We moved to Maryland from Arizona a little over five years ago and are focusing on our futures. My husband is the bread winner in the family while I focus on getting my nursing career. Before coming to CSM, I had gone to a vocational school for my medical assisting certification and found that I needed to continue my education to provide better for family.

I chose CSM because the campus is close to where I live and at the time I enrolled, the nursing courses were in Leonardtown. Now that the nursing courses are in Hughesville, more time for traveling and gas has been needed. I chose Nursing as my major because of my almost fifteen years background in the medical field. I believe that nurses should have a great bedside manner and advocate for their patients as much as they can. I feel these characteristics are a huge part of who I am and how I practice medicine. This is my second semester in the nursing program and have obtained all my prerequisites. Once I have achieved my nursing license, I plan to work in either Labor and Delivery or Oncology and then further my education by obtaining my bachelor's degree.



Thank you again for this very generous scholarship. This helps my family and myself tremendously.

Sincerely,  
Kristin Westrum



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Dear Southern Maryland Women's League Donors,

I am deeply honored to be selected for the Southern Maryland Women's League Scholarship. Thank you for choosing me as the recipient for this fall semester. Your support means a great deal to me, and I am excited to graduate from the CSM Nursing program this fall.

Having lived and worked in Calvert County, Maryland, for many years, I have greatly valued the opportunity to pursue my education at a community college within my own community. This convenience has allowed me to balance raising a family, working, and pursuing my nursing degree. In my spare time, I enjoy hiking, attending local events, and spending quality time with my family and friends.

Nursing is my chosen path, and I am particularly drawn to Psychiatric Nursing. This specialty aligns perfectly with my passion for both psychology and nursing. After earning my Associate's degree from CSM, I plan to continue my education at Frostburg State University to obtain my Bachelor's degree.

Your scholarship will significantly impact my ability to concentrate on my studies, participate in clinical rotations, and engage in additional educational opportunities throughout the coming semesters. I am sincerely grateful for your support and the difference it will make in my educational journey.

Thank you once again for this generous award.

Sincerely,  
Rebecca Pompa



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• Thank You •

I am very grateful to the College of Southern Maryland Scholarship Committee for its generous gift of \$1,000.00 through the Southern Women's League Scholarship. I am so pleased that you have chosen to assist me in my efforts in my academic studies and my future beyond school.

When I came to this country, I had my dreams and goals. Frankly, I never thought I would be actually studying to become a nurse in the United States one day! As far as my other activities go, raising my daughter pretty much takes up the rest of my time. I am the head of the household so caring for my daughter, going to school and working at a part time job fill up my week.

CSM was the perfect choice for me to study for my nursing certificate since I am a single mother with a job in the area. CSM is a good school for learning and most convenient for me in terms of my responsibilities as a parent. One of the things I love about CSM is that it truly does feel more like a family to me than just a teaching institution. I feel that everyone at CSM is fighting for me to succeed.

Once again, thank you so much for your faith in me.

sincerely,  
Nenghui Eddy



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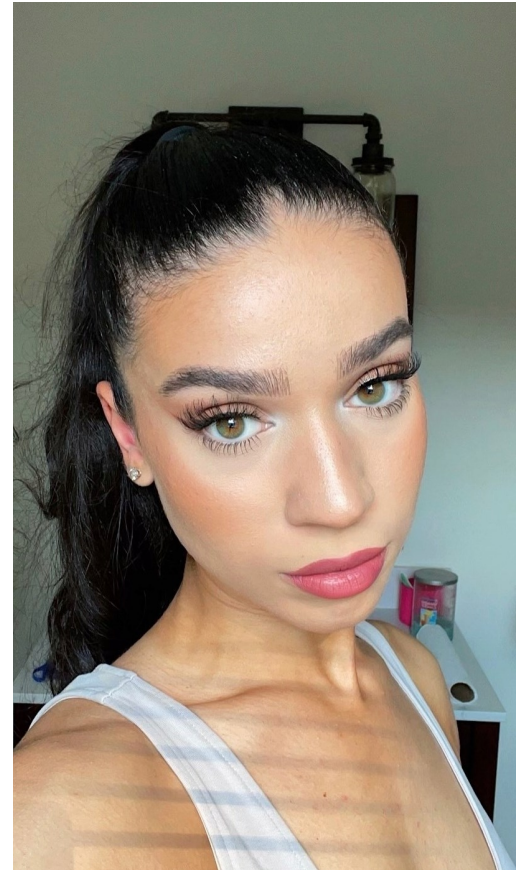
Dear Southern Maryland Women's League,

I want to thank all whose donations allowed me to receive the Southern Maryland Women's League Scholarship. I am extremely grateful for the support that your organization has given me.

This scholarship will provide me with financial support during difficult times. Now, I can afford the essentials to support myself and my studies. I will continue to strive to do my best during my time here at CSM.

Thank you,

Sydney Warlin-Taylor



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