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# *2024 ANNUAL REPORT*



# WHO WE ARE



## *History of the Foundation*

*The National Pharmaceutical Association Foundation (NPhAF) was founded in 2000 at the 53rd annual conference of the National Pharmaceutical Association held in Baltimore, Maryland.*

### **Mission**

*The Mission of the National Pharmaceutical Association Foundation is to support the activities of the National Pharmaceutical Association, including education programs, research projects, and innovative pharmacy practices. Furthermore, the National Pharmaceutical Association Foundation provides scholarships to minority and underserved students that are members of the Student National Pharmaceutical Association.*

### **Vision**

*The Vision of the National Pharmaceutical Association Foundation is to provide leadership to NPhA and its affiliated organizations, to create change, to advance the profession, and to seek funds aggressively in support of education opportunities, practice innovations, and research projects in disease states that disproportionately affect minority and disadvantaged patients.*

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## *Values of the Foundation*

### **1. Integrity**

*Model and support behaviors that promote ethics, public trust, and the image of the profession of pharmacy.*

### **2. Collaboration**

*Partner with other organizations and professions to provide quality healthcare to underserved populations.*

### **3. Innovation**

*Develop and utilize new technology to support growth strategies for the profession and practice of pharmacy.*

### **4. Leadership**

*Serve as role models for present and future generations of pharmacists.*

### **5. Financial Mastery**

*Develop financial strategies for growth to support the Foundation's mission and goals.*



## ***LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN***

*The National Pharmaceutical Association Foundation remains steadfast in executing its strategic plan while actively seeking support from both corporate and individual donors. Our partnership with NPhA continues to drive our mission of providing quality healthcare to underserved populations. In alignment with this mission, we are also committed to documenting and preserving the rich history of the Foundation.*

*As you review this annual report, you will see a clear reflection of our accomplishments and the unwavering dedication to our motto: "Building on Excellence." Our progress would not be possible without the generous contributions of our trustee members, legacy donors, corporate sponsors, endowed scholarship donors, and individual supporters. Your continued commitment has been instrumental in shaping our success over the years.*

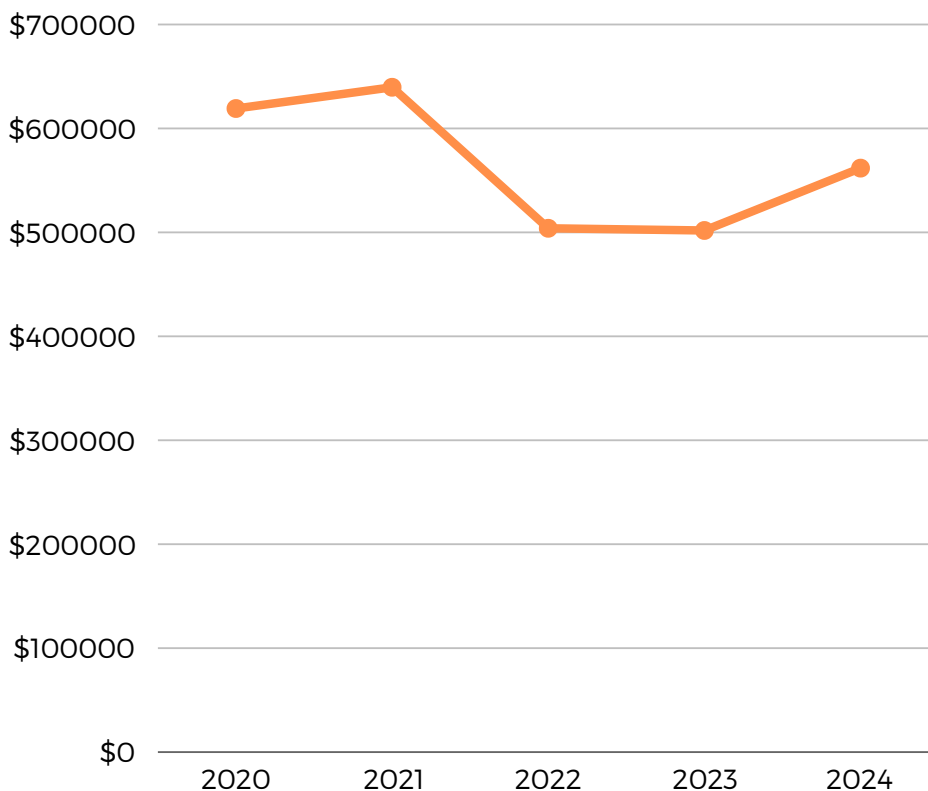
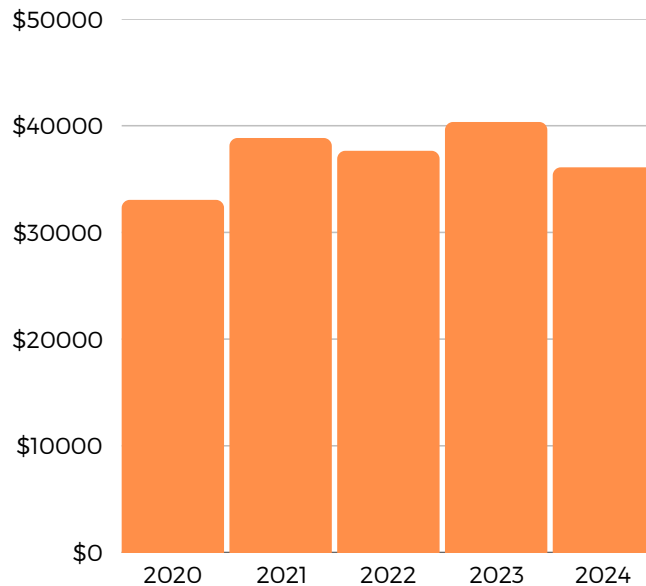
*As we enter 2025, we do so with renewed vision and determination. With your support and prayers, we are confident in achieving even greater milestones in the year ahead.*

*Respectfully,*

**Terrence Burroughs, MBA, CMTM, RPh, FNPhA**  
Chairman, Board of Trustees

## FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

The NPhA Foundation has averaged \$37,200 in awarded scholarships in the last 5 years, including awarding \$36,100 in in 2024. The monetary awards come from 23 endowed scholarships and book awards ranging from \$200-\$1000 dollars. The endowed scholarships are a mix of individual and corporate donors, with the Rite-Aid corporation (a Legacy donor) endowing the 1st ever foundation scholarship, and Ms. Dyisha Reliford endowing the most recent scholarship in 2024.



The NPhA Foundation Endowment currently stands at \$563,821 as of December 31st, 2024. This figure is post-scholarship awards. The endowment is managed by Truist Trust Services and has an allocation of 35% equities and 65% fixed-income instruments. This allocation is reviewed on a regular basis by the Board of Trustees.

# ***DONOR RECOGNITION***

*The Foundation currently has 26 endowed scholarships. Three new scholarships were endowed in 2024; the Dyisha Reliford Endowed Scholarship, the Dr. JoAnn Spearmon Endowed Scholarship, and the Adrian and Ptosha Washington Endowed Scholarship. From January 1, 2024, through December 1, 2024, many corporations and individuals contributed to the Foundation. Although all donors are thanked individually for their gifts, the Foundation's various recognition programs are designed to also acknowledge donor generosity at many levels.*

**Platinum Sponsor (>\$50,000)**

*Gilead Sciences*

**Friends of the Foundation (> \$15,000)**

*Rite Aid Corporation (Legacy Sponsor)*

## ***ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIPS***

- *Ms. Pat & Mr. Howard Achoe Endowed Scholarship (2020)*
- *Ms. Pat & Mr. Howard Achoe Travel Endowed Scholarship (2022)*
- *Cencora Impact Foundation Endowed Scholarship (2021)*
- *Jimmy & Patricia Barnes Endowed Scholarship (2013)*
- *Dr. Barry Bleidt Endowed Scholarship (2007)*
- *Wilbert Bluitt Endowed Scholarship (2009)*
- *Terrence & Terri Burroughs Endowed Scholarship (2007)*
- *Dr. Horace & Ethel Bynum Endowed Scholarship (2004)*
- *Leonard Lacy Edloe Endowed Scholarship Fund (2013)*
- *Dr. Cleon Fowler Endowed Scholarship (2008)*
- *Kimberly France Endowed Scholarship (2006)*
- *Ramona McCarthy-Hawkins Endowed Scholarship (2004)*
- *James Brickly Hills Endowed Scholarship (2006)*
- *Dr. Charisse Johnson Endowed Scholarship (2017)*
- *Dr. Rosalyn Cain King Endowed Scholarship (2014)*
- *The Kroger Company Endowed Scholarship (2007)*
- *Dr. J.W. and Irma Ligon Endowed Scholarship (2008)*
- *Dr. H.W. "Ted" Matthews Endowed Scholarship (2006)*
- *NPhA Endowed Scholarship (2006)*
- *Dyisha Reliford Endowed Scholarship (2024)*
- *Rite Aid Endowed Scholarship (2003)*
- *Dr. Craig & Sandra Ruffin Endowed Scholarship (2004)*
- *SNPhA Legacy Endowed Scholarship (2020)*
- *Dr. JoAnn Spearmon Endowed Scholarship (2024)*
- *Wal-Mart Health & Wellness Endowed Scholarship (2010)*
- *Adrian & Ptosha Washington Endowed Scholarship (2024)*

## 2024 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

### **Cencora Impact Foundation Endowed Scholarship**

Alexis Marie Ford, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences

### **Rite-Aid Endowed Scholarships**

1. Nkechi Utomi-Obichie, Temple University
2. Abigail Tarun, University of Buffalo
3. Rhea Misra, UC San Francisco
4. Carmelina Agha, University of Maryland
5. Jason Le, MUSC

### **Kroger Endowed Scholarships**

1. Ogechi Ngwakwe, University of Houston
2. Ruth Adeyemi, University of Florida
3. KeAnna Kimble, U of Louisiana Monroe
4. Chiamaka Okereafor-Obike, U of Maryland

### **Ms. Pat and Mr. Howard Achoe Endowed Scholarship**

Daisy Asabere, University of Cincinnati

### **Mr. Jimmy and Pat Barnes Endowed Scholarship**

NiQuava Pope, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill

### **Dr. Barry Bleidt Endowed Scholarship**

Connie Lau, University of Houston

### **Mr. Wilbert Bluit Endowed Scholarship**

Nadara Bacon, Philadelphia College of Pharmacy

### **Mr. & Mrs. Terrence and Terri Burroughs Endowed Scholarship**

Ashley Addison, UNC

### **Dr. Horace and Ethel Bynum Endowed Scholarship**

Kelly Bazel, University of Georgia

### **Dr. Leonard Edloe Endowed Scholarship**

Kourtney McQuerry, University of Michigan

### **Dr. Cleon Fowler Endowed Scholarship**

Aniya Diggs, Xavier University of Louisiana

### **Ms. Kimberly France Endowed Scholarship**

Melody Evans, Florida A&M University

### **Ms. Ramona McCarthy Hawkins Endowed Scholarship**

Lyann Trinh, The Ohio State University

### **Mr. James Brick Hills Endowed Scholarship**

Stephanie Ekufu, University of Iowa

### **Dr. Rosalyn Cain King Endowed Scholarship**

Ayona Shelton, Howard University

### **Dr. JW and Erma Ligon Endowed Scholarship**

Elijah Makis Carswell, Samford University

### **Dr. H.W. "Ted" Matthews Endowed Scholarship**

Tazche Turner, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill

### **Dr. Craig and Sandra Ruffin Endowed Scholarship**

Hillary Matthews, University of North Texas



## **2024 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS**

### **SNPhA Executive Leadership Endowed Scholarship**

1. Isaiah Brown, University of Mississippi
2. Chau "Cindy" Phan, Purdue University

### **Walmart Health and Wellness Endowed Scholarship**

1. Hannah Jenkins, University of Tennessee
2. Mark Anthony Olivas, University of Texas at El Paso

### **Dr. Adrian Washington Book Award**

- Kierra Rountree, High Point University

### **Dr. Phyllis Perkins Book Award**

- Jaida Fenn, Temple University

### **Dr. Robbie Christian Book Award**

- Jheanelle Atkinson, Virginia Commonwealth University
- Brianna Luna, Washington State University

### **Dr. Sharmaine Cubelo Book Award**

- Gia Tran, University of Houston

### **Dr. Yasmyn Knight Book Award**

- Christian Philips, University of Tennessee

### **Dr. Elysia Ross Book Award**

- Joshua Morehead, University of Louisiana-Monroe

## *Future Endeavors*

*The Foundation's fundraising goal for the next year is to solicit a minimum of \$75,000 in meeting support for the 2025 Annual Convention, \$30,000 in endowed scholarship funds, and \$5,000 in book scholarships. The Foundation has several avenues for giving which include:*

- ***Corporate contributions***
- ***Estate Planning***
- ***Scholarship Endowments***
- ***Book Awards***

## ***2024-2025 FOUNDATION OFFICERS AND TRUSTEES***

### ***Chairman***

Terrence V. Burroughs, MBA, CMTM,  
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### ***Trustee***

Leonard Edloe, Th.M.,  
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### ***Trustee***

Wallene Bullard-Battle,  
PharmD, BCPS, CHTS-CP

***FOUNDING MEMBERS OF THE NPHA  
FOUNDATION***

Dr. Barry Bleidt

Mr. Terrence Burroughs

Dr. Marcellus Grace

Mr. James Brickly Hills

Dr. Marisa Lewis

Dr. J.W. Ligon

Dr. H.W. "Ted" Matthews

Ms. Margaret Taylor

Dr. Lori Woodson

*Thank you for contributing to the  
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