NURSE CANDIDATE PROGRAM (NCP)  
NURSE CORPS

The Nurse Candidate Program (NCP) is a financial assistance program for students enrolled in a baccalaureate nursing program. Upon completion of degree requirements, the student must accept commissioned as a Nurse Corps (NC) officer.

Benefits:
- $34,000 total incentive while attending school.
- $10,000 signing bonus
- $1,000 a month (maximum 24 months)

Eligibility Requirements:
Citizenship: Must be a U.S. Citizen.

Age: Complete your degree by age 42.

Education: Must be enrolled in, or accepted for transfer into a nursing school accredited by either the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) or the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN). Must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above to apply. Must complete studies/training as full time students attending all normal school sessions (2 semesters or 3 quarters), and must maintain a GPA of above 3.0 after selection.

**Degree requirements must be fulfilled within 24 months.**

Service Obligation:
- Candidates who enter the program during their 4th year of their nursing program will serve on active duty as a Nurse Corps officer for (4) years.
- Candidates who enter the program during their 3rd year of their nursing program will serve on active duty as a Nurse Corps officer for (5) years.

**Graduation date must fall in-between 1 October 2020 – 30 September 2022 to qualify:**

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