

Black History Month 2021

Dr. Rebecca Lee Crumpler battled profound prejudice against her race and gender to become the first Black female doctor in the United States. After earning her medical degree in 1864, Dr. Crumpler was drawn to Richmond, Va., where she cared for freed slaves after the Civil War.

NTEU honors the brave trailblazers of yesterday and the healthcare professionals making a difference today.



New England Female Medical College in 1860

