Meet our HBCU Student Ambassadors!

Power to Decide is proud to announce our 2023 HBCU Student Ambassadors for our new initiative to empower young adults through student-led peer education and support at Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs). This initiative also aims to advance a culture of reproductive well-being, an innovative framework centered on the belief that every person should have equitable access to the information, services, systems and support they need to have control over their bodies, and to make their own decisions related to sexuality and reproduction throughout their lives.

Representing
Fayetteville State University:

Andre Poyser &
Kaila Coleman

Andre Poyser is a sophomore and a Pre-Health Biology major at Fayetteville State University. He was born in Trelawny, Jamaica, and lived there until the age of 14. He moved to Fayetteville, North Carolina in 2016 and has been living here ever since. Andre is passionate about healthcare, medicine, and healthy living. His interest in medicine began in 2016 when he had the opportunity to attend a career day presentation by a medical doctor. Since then, Andre has worked tirelessly to learn and further his knowledge about the medical sciences. Andre is very involved in his campus community and is a proud member of The Bronco Wellness Ambassadors. Upon graduating, Andre plans on furthering his education in medicine by enrolling in PA school. He also dreams of reinvesting in the current healthcare system in his hometown in Jamaica. When he is not busy learning more about medicine, Andre enjoys traveling, listening to music, and working out.

Kaila Coleman is a freshman majoring in Healthcare Administration. At Fayetteville State University, North Carolina’s second oldest institution. Her hometown is Indianapolis, Indiana. Kaila is the Secretary of the Bronco Wellness Ambassadors at Fayetteville State University. Kaila plans to work in hospital administration after graduation to represent African American women in the business side of healthcare, which is underrepresented. She also wants to start a counseling center for African American families that focuses on breaking generational curses and creating healthy bonds between parents and their children. She wants to do this for her mother because it has always been a dream of hers. “The success of every woman should be an inspiration to another. We should raise each other up. Make sure you’re courageous, be strong, be extremely kind, and above all, be humble.” – Serena Williams

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