



2017

**AAHAM
Certified Revenue
Cycle Executive**



**Information
& Applications**

For over forty years, AAHAM's elite certification examinations have set the standard of excellence in patient financial services and the revenue cycle. AAHAM certifications are an investment in your personal growth and your professional future.

The Executive Revenue Cycle Certification demonstrates a high level of achievement and distinguishes you as a leader and role model in the revenue cycle industry. The certification validates your proficiency and commitment to your profession and can play an integral role in your career strategy. In many instances certification may help you secure the promotion or the job you desire.

AAHAM certification gives you a powerful competitive advantage with current and prospective employers:

- Improve your earning potential
- Gain recognition and access to the positions and promotions you seek and deserve
- Build a network of peers in the influential group that shares your certification designation
- Continue to expand your skills and expertise through your commitment to continuing education

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Executive Certification Audience

This exam is intended for all executive/ senior leaders in the revenue cycle industry, to help equip them for strategic management of the business. This certification possesses the highest level of difficulty combining content knowledge of the business with critical thinking and communication skills.

In the healthcare revenue cycle industry, the Executive Revenue Cycle Certification is comparable to earning a CPA or passing the bar exam. Both designate mastery of the art of revenue cycle management, the CRCE-I for those who work in an institutional (hospital, health system) setting, and the CRCE-P for those in a professional (clinic, physician) setting.

About the AAHAM CRCE Exams

Exam Overview

The Executive Certification is a comprehensive online, proctored, eight hour exam covering focused revenue cycle subject matter that includes patient access, billing, credit/collections and revenue cycle management. The exam is comprised of multiple-choice, true/false, fill in the blank, short answer, essay and quantitative questions. AAHAM offers two types of Executive certification; one focused on the revenue cycle within an institutional (hospital, health system) setting and the other focused on the revenue cycle in a professional (physician, clinic) setting.

Eligibility

CRCE-I/CRCE-P exams are available to National AAHAM members, in good standing. The applicant must have a minimum of four years of experience in a healthcare related field. A two year associate degree or a degree from an accredited university or college can be substituted for two years of experience. When using an educational waiver for experience, a transcript copy must accompany the application.

CRCE-I/CRCE-P Sections

Sections included in the AAHAM CRCE exams include:

CRCE-I Sections

1. Patient Access
2. Billing
3. Credit/Collections
4. Revenue Cycle Management

CRCE-P Sections

1. Front Desk
2. Billing
3. Credit/Collections
4. Revenue Cycle Management

Exam Format

The exam is comprised of four sections that contain multiple-choice, true/false, fill in the blank, short answer, essay and quantitative questions. Examinees must initially sit for all four sections of the exam. Each section is graded separately, and each of the four sections must be passed with a score of 70% or greater in order to earn the certification designation. If one or two sections are failed, a retake of those sections is permitted. If three or more sections are failed, a retake of the entire exam is required.

“The University of Pennsylvania Health System (UPHS) began a voluntary CRCE-I/CRCE-P certification program to support staff level persons working as part of the revenue cycle. UPHS pays for any candidate to take the test up to three times. The program is very popular with staff, which recognizes the investment that UPHS is making in their personal development. The Patient Accounting Department now offers a reward for passing the exam, paid out annually each year on the individual’s certification anniversary for as long as they maintain their certification.”

*- Thomas McCormick, CRCE-I,
UPHS*

“AAHAM certification has been the basic requirement in identifying future leaders in my organization. Getting a executive certification from AAHAM, clearly indicates the competence an individual possesses and tells me that thy would definitely help in leading a team to increase the cash flow. If someone can pass the specialist certification exam, it shows me that the person can resolve claims independently.”

*- Maya Mohan CRCE-I,
 Director, Healthcare Services
 (Ajuba Solutions India Private
 Limited, India)*

Dual Certification

Individuals who currently hold the CRCE-I or CRCE-P certification designation may take a three section exam to obtain dual Certification. All sections of the dual CRCE-I/CRCE-P exam must be successfully passed (70% correct) to earn a dual certification. If two of the three sections are successfully passed, the remaining section can be retaken. If less than two sections are passed, the entire exam must be retaken.

Exam Retakes

Exams for failed sections must be retaken within eighteen months of the initial exam date.

Exam Refunds and Postponements

CRCE-I/CRCE-P application fees are non-refundable and are non-transferable. A one-time postponement is allowed if extenuating circumstances prevent an individual from sitting for a scheduled exam. To request a postponement, the examinee must provide written notice to the AAHAM National Office by the specified postponement deadline, which is included with the exam confirmation. Postponements are only allowed once and can only be transferred to the next exam cycle.

Grading

Written notification of test results will be forwarded to examinees no later than 90 days from the date the exam was taken. The time required is a result of the rigorous and thorough hands-on grading process.

Re-Certification

To retain the CRCE-I and/or CRCE-P certification designation, an individual must be an AAHAM member in good standing by January 31 of each year. Candidates must earn forty hours of continuing education units (CEUs) within the two calendar years following certification. Twenty of the CEUs must be obtained from attendance at AAHAM related educational programs. If membership and CEUs are not maintained, the certification designation will be revoked and can no longer be used.

Exam Frequency

The exams are held three times a year; March, July and November.

Preparing for the Exams

AAHAM certification examinations require comprehensive working knowledge of patient account management, financial operations, information systems, governmental regulations and policies that govern revenue cycle procedures. However, hands-on experience is not sufficient; candidates will need to enhance and refresh their knowledge through independent and group study programs. Participation in coaching sessions sponsored by your local chapter or the national organization are highly recommended (see www.aaham.org or contact your affiliated chapter).

A downloadable CRCE-I/CRCE-P study outline is included in the AAHAM CRCE exam fee. The study outline can also be purchased separately.

AAHAM offers a CRCE-I/CRCE-P Exam Study Manual for purchase. The manual is written by AAHAM specifically for AAHAM exams, designed to assist you in studying for CRCE certification. The manual contains a wealth of helpful information for those studying for the exams. The manual's chapters correspond to each section of the exams, with material targeted and geared toward exam questions. It features knowledge checks (practice questions) along the way to help you gauge your progress.

There are also training webinars available on CD that cover each section of the exam. AAHAM offers an online practice exam to help you identify the sections you are strong and/or weak in and to help you focus studying efforts. All of these study tools are available for purchase at www.aaham.org.

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“Due to its recognition throughout our industry, AAHAM certification is the first giant career step upwards in healthcare.”

- Bernard W. Lane, Jr. CRCE-I
Yale New Haven Services

2017 AAHAM Certification Calendar

December 15, 2016

Registration deadline for
March 2017 Exam Period

March 13-24, 2017

Certification exam period

April 17, 2017

Registration deadline for
July 2017 Exam Period

July 10-21, 2017

Certification exam period

August 15, 2017

Registration deadline for
November 2017 Exam Period

November 6-17, 2017

Certification exam period

December 15, 2017

Registration deadline for
March 2018 Exam Period

Frequently Asked Questions (CRCE-I/CRCE-P)

Q: What are the benefits of obtaining Executive level AAHAM certification?

A: Executive certification demonstrates a high level of achievement and positions you as a leader and role model in the revenue cycle industry. Certification demonstrates your proficiency and commitment to your profession and your career. Certification can play an integral role in your career strategy and in many instances certification can help you secure the promotion or the job you desire.

Q: What is the Revenue Cycle Executive certification?

A: The Executive Certification is a comprehensive online proctored eight hour exam covering focused revenue cycle subject matter that includes patient access, billing, credit/collections and revenue cycle management. The exam is comprised of multiple-choice, true/false, fill in the blank, short answer, essay and quantitative questions. AAHAM offers two types of Professional certification; one focused on the revenue cycle within an institutional (hospital, health system) setting and the other focused on the revenue cycle in a professional (physician, clinic) setting. In the revenue cycle industry, it is comparable to earning a CPA or passing the bar exam.

Q: Who is eligible?

A: CRCE-I/CRCE-P exams are available to National AAHAM members, in good standing. Candidates must have a minimum of either four years of healthcare experience or two years of healthcare experience and a two-year college or university associate's degree.

Q: What is the difference between the CRCE-I and the CRCE-P?

A: The CRCE-I is designed for those who work on the hospital/health system side of the revenue cycle while the CRCE-P is for those who work on the physician or clinic side of the revenue cycle.

Q: What does the exam cover and how much time do I have to take the exam?

A: Each examination is four sections. The CRCE-I

sections include Patient Access, Billing, Credit & Collections, and Revenue Cycle Management. The CRCE-P sections are Front Desk, Billing, Credit & Collections, and Revenue Cycle Management. An examinee is given eight hours to complete a full exam, six hours to complete a dual exam, four hours for two section retakes, and two hours for one section retake.

Q: When is the exam offered?

A: The exam is offered three times a year typically between the 2nd and 4th weeks of March, July and November (exact dates, times and locations will be determined and communicated to you by your local chapter).

Q: How much does it cost?

A: The cost of taking a full exam is \$299. Section re-takes cost \$50 each. The dual certification exam is \$239 and is available to current CPCE-Is or CRCE-Ps.

Q: What study materials are available?

A: AAHAM includes a CRCE-I/CRCE-P Study Outline in your exam fee. AAHAM also offers a CRCE-I/CRCE-P Exam Study Manual for purchase. The manual is written by AAHAM specifically for AAHAM exams, designed to assist you in studying for AAHAM CRCE certification. The manual has a wealth of helpful information for those studying for the exams. The manual's chapters correspond to each section of the exams, with material targeted and geared toward exam questions. It features knowledge checks (practice questions) along the way to help you gauge your progress.

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Q: How do I determine which chapter I am a part of?

A: You can download the Chapter Certification Chair directory from our website. Your local chapter would be the one in your state or in closest geographical area.

Q: Is there an application deadline?

A: All applications must be received by the AAHAM National Office by December 15, 2016 for the March 2017 examination, April 17, 2017 for the July 2017 examination, August 15, 2017 for the November 2017 examination.

Q: Once I have sent my application to the National Office, how will I be notified of when and where to take my test?

A: You will be notified by your Chapter Certification Chairperson of the date, time and place you will be sitting for your exam. You will also receive an emailed exam confirmation approximately two weeks after the application deadline.

Q: By what method do you take the exam?

A: The examination is proctored and given online. It is an eight hour exam two hours per section. There are breaks between sections.

Q: What if I don't pass all of the sections?

A: You will need to pass a minimum of two of the four exam sections in order to have the opportunity to retake the missed sections. If you do not pass at least two sections you will have to retake the entire exam. Retakes on the final section(s) must be taken and passed within 18 months of your original test date. Otherwise, you will have to retake the entire exam.

Q: Can I cancel my test date?

A: Exam application fees are non-refundable. However, you can request a one time postponement to the next exam period. Notification must be received by the National AAHAM office (in writing via fax or email). The postponement deadline date will be specified in your exam confirmation. Please fax your requests to Matthew Hundley at 703-359-7562 or email to matthew@aaaham.org. Please specify the reason for cancellation or postponement.

Q: When will examinees be notified if they have passed the exam?

A: Written notification of test results will be forwarded to examinees no later than 90 days from the date the exam was taken. Certificates and lapel pins will be mailed to Chapter Presidents for presentation to passing examinees.

Q: Once you are certified, what is the process for re-certification?

A: Re-certification begins the calendar year following the year the examination is passed. To retain certification, the member must adhere to the following requirements:

- 1: Must be a member in good standing by January 31st of each calendar year. (Dues paid and recorded by the National Office.)
- 2: Must have attained and forwarded forty hours of continuing education units (CEUs) to the National Office by the end of a designated two-year period. Twenty of these units must be from attendance at AAHAM related educational programs. Dual certified examinees must adhere to these same requirements. If terminated, members will be required to retake the entire examination to become re-certified.

Q: Is there a Dual Professional Certification exam available?

A: Yes. In order to take this exam you must currently be a CRCE-I or a CRCE-P. You cannot take both exams at the same time. Sections for the CRCE-I Dual examination are: Patient Access, Billing and Revenue Cycle Management. Sections for the CRCE-P Dual Examination are: Front Desk, Billing and Revenue Cycle Management. You must pass at least two of the three sections on exam day; otherwise a complete retake of the Dual exam is necessary. You must then pass the final section within 18 months of your original test date. Otherwise you will have to retake the entire dual exam.

AAHAM CRCE Exam Application Form

Date: _____ Name: _____
Print name as it should appear on certificate. (First, MI, Last)

Employer's Name: _____
Please be sure to include your company/hospital name.

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Business Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Email: _____
**Email is required to process application.*

National Member ID: _____

Local Chapter Name: _____

Chapter Certification Chair: _____

Would you like your facility to be notified if you are awarded a certification? Yes No

Name & Title: _____

Business Phone: _____

Address: _____

Please list your last three employers:

1. Your Current Title: _____

Business Dates of Employment: _____

Address: _____

2. Your Title: _____

Business Dates of Employment: _____

Address: _____

3. Your Title: _____

Business Dates of Employment: _____

Address: _____

The CRCE-I and CRCE-P exams are only available to AAHAM members in good standing. Dual certification exam is only available to current CRCE-I's or CRCE-Ps.

Select exam:

- CRCE-I (Hospital, Health System)
- CRCE-I Dual Certification (Hospital, Health System) (for current CRCE-P Certified Examinee)
- CRCE-P (Clinic, Physician)
- CRCE-P Dual Certification (Clinic, Physician) (for current CRCE-I Certified Examinee)

Preferred exam date: March July
 November

Are you currently a CRCE-I or CRCE-P? No Yes

If yes, Certificate Number: _____

If this is a retake, when did you originally sit for the exam? _____

Please note: If it has been more than 18 months since you originally sat for the CRCE-I/CRCE-P exam, you must retake the entire exam.

If this is a retake, which section(s) are you taking?

Section: 1 2 3 4

If you are applying for Dual Certification, when did you originally become a CRCE-I or CRCE-P?

Month: _____ Year: _____

Education Credits Being Claimed (if any) Year(s) _____

(A candidate claiming credit for education must attach a certified statement of graduation from a college or university, or a transcript of credits if not graduated.)

SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION:

Mail application with check or money order to:

AAHAM National Office
 11240 Waples Mill Road, Suite 200
 Fairfax, VA 22030

Fax: 703.359.7562

FEES: \$299.00 for the full exam
 \$50.00 for each section retake
 \$239.00 for the dual certification exam

Make checks payable to: AAHAM - Tax ID#23-1899873

Payment by Visa, MasterCard or AMEX is accepted online at: www.aaham.org

For Credit Card Payment: AMEX VISA MASTERCARD

Account Number: _____ CVV2*: _____

Name: as it appears on card _____

Signature: _____ Ex. Date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Application fees are non-transferable and non-refundable.

DEADLINE: Your application must be received by the AAHAM National Office by:

December 15, 2016 for March 2017 Exam
April 17, 2017 for July 2017 Exam
August 15, 2017 for November 2017 Exam

You will receive a confirmation email from the AAHAM National Office indicating your application's acceptance. You will be contacted by your Chapter Certification Chair regarding the time date and location of your exam.

QUESTIONS? Call the National Office at 703.281.4043, ext. 215

Please keep a copy of this application for your records.

I hereby declare that the statements contained in this application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant

* The CVV2 Number ("Card Verification Value") on your credit card or debit card is a 3 digit number on VISA®, MasterCard® and Discover® branded credit and debit cards. On your American Express® branded credit or debit card it is a 4 digit numeric code.

Executive Certification Webinar Series

Available Now As Downloadable MP4's

AAHAM and top CRCE-Is & CRCE-Pos present a four part Webinar Study program for the AAHAM Professional Exams:

Access • Billing • Credit & Collections • Accounts Receivable Management
The entire 4 part recorded MP4 series costs \$350.00.
Individual parts can be purchased separately for \$125.00 each.

- Yes, I want all 4!
 4 Part Series as MP4: \$350.00 Member rate
 4 Part Series as MP4: \$450.00 Non- member rate
- No, I only want the following sections:
 \$125 per section as MP4 - Member rate
 \$225 per section as MP4 - Non-member rate
 Individual Sections:
 Please check which section(s) you want:
 Part 1 Access
 Part 2 Billing
 Part 3 Credit & Collections
 Part 4 Accounts Receivable Management
 Enclosed is my check. Please make payable to AAHAM

Please charge my credit card: AMEX MasterCard VISA

Card Number: _____ CVV2*: _____

Name on Card: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Signature: _____

SHIPPING INFORMATION

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

Email, fax or mail this registration form along with your payment to:

AAHAM CRCE-I/CRCE-P Study Sessions, 11240 Waples Mill Road Suite 200, Fairfax VA 22030
 Fax: 703/359-7562 Email: Moayad@aaham.org Questions? Please call 703.281.4043 x 202

AAHAM CRCE-I/CRCE-P Study Manual

CRCE-I/CRCE-P certification demonstrates that you have mastered the common body of knowledge for your profession. The exams are every bit as challenging for revenue cycle professionals as the CPA and Bar exams are for their respective fields and sitting for these exams require commitment and dedication. The CRCE-I/CRCE-P Exam Study Manual will help assist you in preparing for the CRCE-I/CRCE-P exams. This is written by AAHAM, for AAHAM's own certification programs. This manual is the gateway to studying for and passing the executive exams. It includes chapter

review questions and study tips.

Log on to www.aaham.org for more information and to order you Exam Study Manual Today!

- Member Price \$279 Non-Member Price \$399
 Coaching Kit \$249 member \$349 non-member
 Enclosed is my check. Please make payable to AAHAM.
 Please charge my credit card: AMEX MasterCard VISA

Card Number: _____ CVV2*: _____

Name on Card: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Signature: _____

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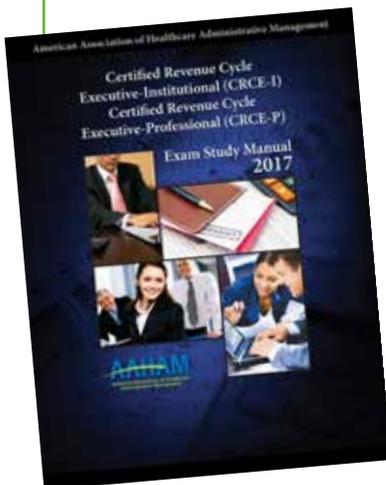
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Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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2017 National Membership Application

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 Fairfax, VA 22030
 Fax: 703.359.7562
 Email: info@aaham.org

Name _____ Title _____

Employer Name _____ Email Address _____

Address Work _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Country _____

Phone _____ Cell _____ Fax _____ Local Chapter _____

Address Home _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Country _____

Membership Categories and Rates

* Local chapter dues may vary

NATIONAL MEMBERSHIP - The fee to become a National AAHAM member is \$199. If you join between July 1st and August 31st, the dues are \$155 for the rest of the current year. If you join between September 1st and December 31st, the fee is \$240 for the rest of the current year and all of the following year.

FULL TIME STUDENT MEMBERSHIP - Students taking at least 12 credit hours per semester can join for free. You must submit proof of your full time status with this application. Student members receive the benefits of membership with the exception of voting, eligibility for professional or executive levels of certification, and cannot be a proxy for a chapter president at any national board meetings.

PART TIME STUDENT MEMBERSHIP - The part time student membership fee is \$50. If you join between July 1st and August 31st, the dues are \$35 for the rest of the calendar year. If you join between, September 1st and December 31st, dues are \$65 for the rest of the current year and all of the following year. **To qualify for the part time student membership you must currently be taking between 6-11 credit hours per semester and submit proof with this application.** Student members receive all the benefits of membership with the exception of voting, eligibility for executive and professional certification, and cannot be a proxy for a chapter president at any national board meetings.

Retired Membership - The fee for retired members is \$50. To qualify for retired membership, an individual must be a National AAHAM member who has retired from healthcare. Retired members receive all benefits of membership with the exception of voting. To see if you qualify as a retired member, please contact that National Office.

If you are applying as a **Full Time Student Member**, please use the Full Time Student Membership Application. You may also join online at www.aaham.org/membership.aspx

Do something today that your future self will thank you for.

Join the thousands of other revenue cycle professionals that utilize the AAHAM network of peers to get answers to their questions and to strengthen their careers.

#AAHAMAlwaysInvestinYourself
 #AAHAMRaiseTheLevel

Please allow two weeks for processing after your application is received at the national office. Dues are not tax deductible as a charitable contribution, but may be as a business expense. Approximately 4% of your annual dues are used for lobbying activities and are non-deductible.

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How did you hear about AAHAM?

Colleague Publication Website LinkedIn

If referred by AAHAM member, please give their name: _____

Payment Method:

Check/Money Order (Make Payable to AAHAM)

Amex Visa MasterCard

Card Number: _____

Exp: _____ CVV2 Code: _____

Name as it appears on card: _____

Signature: _____

Billing Address for Credi Card: _____

Payment Total

National Dues: _____

Local Dues: _____

Total Enclosed: _____



Local Chapters

AAHAM has over 30 chapters throughout the US and India. Local chapters offer you more opportunities for education and networking. Local chapters offer you more opportunities for education and networking, and offer both in person and webinar educational opportunities. In addition, local chapters offer a great opportunity to obtain an industry leading healthcare certification which provides exceptional value to students when seeking employment in the healthcare field. Please see the listing of local chapters below to help you decide which chapter you should belong to along with your national membership.

Name of Chapter	Geographic Location	Chapter Dues
Nebraska Aksarben #01	Nebraska	\$0.00
Florida Sunshine #03	Florida	\$40.00
Carolina #04	North & South Carolina	\$30.00
Washington Evergreen #05	Washington State, West of the Mountains	\$30.00
Minnesota Gopher #06	Minnesota	\$40.00
Iowa Hawkeye #07	Iowa	\$0.00
Missouri Hawthorn #08	Missouri	\$45.00
Illinois #09	Illinois	\$30.00
Washington Inland Empire #10	Washington State, East of the Mountains	\$25.00
Pennsylvania Keystone #11	Central Pennsylvania	\$25.00
Maryland #13	Maryland	\$25.00
Utah Mountain West #14	Utah	\$30.00
New Jersey #16	New Jersey	\$40.00
Ohio Western Reserve #18	Ohio	\$0.00
Northeast PA #19	North East Pennsylvania	\$30.00
Colorado Rocky Mountain #21	Colorado	\$20.00
Maine Pine Tree #22	Maine	\$25.00
North/South Dakota Rushmore #23	North & South Dakota	\$0.00
Western Region #26	Arizona and California	\$0.00
Virginia #27	Virginia	\$30.00
Philadelphia #29	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	\$35.00
New York Mid-York #31	New York	\$30.00
Georgia #33	Georgia	\$30.00
Connecticut #34	Connecticut	\$35.00
Pennsylvania Three Rivers #37	Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	\$50.00
Texas Bluebonnet #40	Texas	\$50.00
Indiana #42	Indiana	\$25.00
Wisconsin #44	Wisconsin	\$25.00
Chennai #49	Chennai, India	\$0.00
Tennessee Music City #53	Tennessee	\$35.00
Vermont & New Hampshire	Vermont & New Hampshire	\$25.00
Twin States #56		
Massachusetts #57	Massachusetts	\$80.00

Please Check the Appropriate Codes in Each Category Below

Years in Healthcare:

0-5 6-10 11-20 21-25 25+

Certification:

CHAM (NAHAM) CHFP (HFMA)
 FHFMA (HFMA) CHCS (ACA)
 Other (please list)

Employer Type:

Billing
 Collection Agency
 Consulting
 Law Firm
 Outsourcing
 Provider
 Software/IT
 Vendor/Corporate Partner
 Other (please list)

Position:

CFO
 Consultant
 Director
 Executive Director
 Vice President
 Manager
 Patient Access Representative
 Partner, Principal, Owner
 PFS Representative
 Supervisor/Coordinator
 Other (please list)

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Fairfax, VA 22030
Fax: 703.359.7562
Email: info@aaham.org

Name _____ Title _____

University Name _____ Email Address _____

Current Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Country _____

Phone (Cell) _____ Major _____ Anticipated Graduation Date _____ Hours Taken This Semester _____

Permanent Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Country _____

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Acceptable forms of proof of student status are:

- Current class schedule
- A signed statement for student faculty on college letterhead stating you are enrolled as a full time student. Please make sure to include email/phone number of professor signing the statement.

Local Chapter Membership:

AAHAM has over 30 local chapters throughout the US and India. Local chapters offer you more opportunities for education and networking, and offer both in person and webinar educational opportunities. In addition, local chapters offer a great opportunity to obtain an industry leading healthcare certification which provides exceptional value to students when seeking employment in the healthcare field.

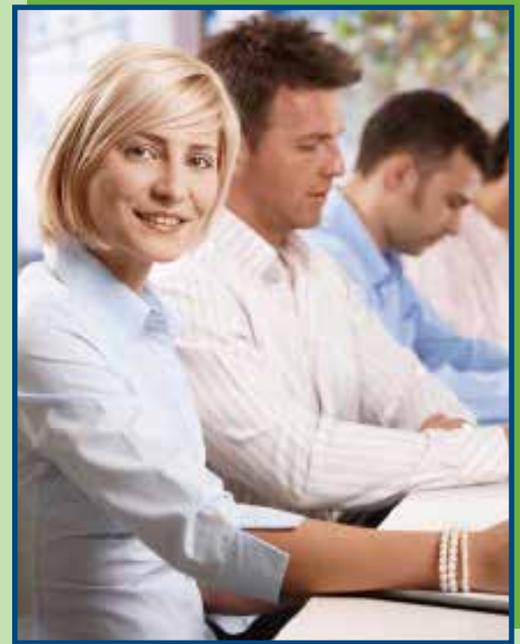
Upon receiving your full time student membership application, your local chapter will contact you to notify you of how to become involved in your local professional chapter.

Please allow two weeks for processing after your application is received at the national office. Dues are not tax deductible as a charitable contribution, but may be as a business expense. Approximately 4% of your annual dues are used for lobbying activities and are non-deductible.

Please note: AAHAM's membership year is from January to December, it is not anniversary based. Membership is on an individual basis and is non-transferable.

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