



The Inland Empire Chapter of AAHAM is pleased to once again offer scholarship opportunities for our National Members.

**YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE AT AAHAM's 6th ANNUAL
LEGISLATIVE DAY
April 21-22, 2010 in Washington DC!**

One (1) National Member will be awarded \$1,000 in expenses to attend 2010 AAHAM Legislative Day.

Please send scholarship applications for the 2010 Legislative Day to Chapter Vice President, Colleen Wentz. Applications must be received by March 1, 2010.

Please visit www.AAHAM.org for schedule of events and detailed information

Inland Empire AAHAM Scholarship Application

Name: _____

AAHAM Membership #: _____ Number of years AAHAM member: _____

Number of IE AAHAM conferences attended in last 2 years: _____

Number of Legislative Day's attended: _____

Company/Facility: _____

Title: _____

Work Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Day Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

Fax Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Do you have your employer's authorization to attend this event? _____

Selection will be based on the following criteria:

National AAHAM Member: Must be a national member in good standing
Conferences attended: Must demonstrate active participation in the IE Chapter
ANI's attended: Preference will be given to first time attendee
Leg Day attended: Should demonstrate enthusiasm for "making a difference"

Scholarship winners will be advised approximately 45 days prior to the event. Participants are required to make all travel arrangements and reservations on their own. Each winner will receive an expense form to be completed and turned in with receipts following the event(s). The chapter secretary will disperse funds (up to the scholarship amount) to the winner(s) immediately following approval of the expense form by the chapter President. Individual receipts can be submitted at the time of purchase if paid prior to the event.

The *expense* form should be mailed or delivered to:

Bonnie Berg, CPAM
Director of Patient Financial Services
Kennewick General Hospital
PO Box 6128
Kennewick, WA 99336

The *scholarship application* should be mailed or delivered to:

Colleen Wentz, CPAT
Admitting and Pre-Billing Supervisor
Yakima Valley Memorial Hospital
2811 Tieton Drive
Yakima, WA 98902

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