



American Association of Healthcare
Administrative Management





- ❑ Who is AAHAM and what can they do for me as a college student?
- ❑ AAHAM is a Healthcare Revenue Cycle Professional group
- ❑ AAHAM has 32 local chapters across the country
- ❑ AAHAM has over 3,000 members that work in hospitals, clinics and various other healthcare financial and IT related organizations



- ❑ Why do I want to become involved with AAHAM while I'm a college student?
- ❑ AAHAM will help introduce you as a college student to a network of professionals that currently work in a hospital, clinic or healthcare business partner. Becoming involved now in AAHAM will create opportunities to learn about healthcare and healthcare related jobs that will be available to you upon graduation



Why would I want to work in healthcare finance after college?

Healthcare is one of the fastest growing job sectors in the workforce. There are hospitals and clinics located in almost every city and town across the country. Graduating college students wanting to work in healthcare can pick and choose what part of the country they want to work and live in while choosing a wide variety of career options



- ❑ Why types of jobs are there available to me?
 - ❑ College students graduating with a degree in business, marketing, finance, IT, accounting or healthcare administration can all find careers in the healthcare revenue cycle working for a hospital, clinic or a healthcare business partner. Jobs include such titles as Revenue Cycle Director, Patient Accounts Manager, Patient Access Manager, Compliance Director, Controller, Accounting, IT Analyst, Vice-President of Marketing/Sales



- How can I become involved in AAHAM at my local chapter level?
 - Your local AAHAM chapter has a number of opportunities that can help you begin to create your network and can help you get up to speed and remain current on the hospital revenue cycle.
 - Your local chapter contact are any member of the AAHAM Board of Directors see www.floridaaaham.com for a list of officers and committees.



Local AAHAM opportunities for students

WEBINARS

- Learn about current healthcare topics
- Study sessions for certification exams

IN PERSON EDUCATION

- Remain current on healthcare topics
- Meet a network of healthcare professionals

SOCIAL NETWORKING EVENTS

- Develop contacts that will assist with job opportunities



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- Why should I consider becoming certified in AAHAM before I graduate from college?
 - AAHAM offers the most recognized certifications in the healthcare industry for revenue cycle professionals. Sign up for the on-line exam at <http://www.aaham.org/certification>
 - AAHAM offers study guides and webinars to help prepare you for the exam.
 - Tests can be proctored locally and you will know if you passed immediately upon completion
 - Recent graduates attempting to gain employment in the healthcare industry will stand out with these initials behind their names.



Next steps?

If you aren't already a member, complete the FREE full time-student membership application

This application is online at:

<http://www.aaham.org/membership.aspx>

Your local chapter contact is Dwight Tillman

You can also contact the national AAHAM office at info@aaaham.org or at (703)-281-4043



What will make you stand out?

- Begin building your brand today!
- Students graduating from college that have been actively involved with AAHAM for networking, education and certification will stand out during the interview process
- Many Employers cover the cost of AAHAM certifications



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YOU**