



## Financial Aid Policy

The Association for Healthcare Risk Management of New York, Inc. (AHRMNY) is the New York Chapter of the American Society for Healthcare Risk Management (ASHRM). Founded in 1982, AHRMNY is a non-profit, 501(c)(3) organization and has been the leading educational organization committed to healthcare risk management and patient safety in New York. Our members include risk managers, patient safety officers, administrators, healthcare/medical malpractice defense attorneys, insurance professionals, quality assurance professionals, patient experience professionals, long term care administrators, physicians and nurses.

AHRMNY's purpose is to enhance the quality of the delivery of health services and the professional practice of health care and health care related risk management through our educational programs. Our educational programs promote professional development, provide a medium for interchange of ideas among members and colleagues, and assist in the development of professional relationships among other healthcare, risk management and legal professionals in order to facilitate free exchange of information and solution of mutual problems.

AHRMNY holds 3-5 educational programs each year and offers a limited number of scholarships that are available to risk management/patient safety students, law students, and recent graduates not yet employed or current attorneys and risk management/patient safety professionals that might be experiencing financial hardship.

Income guidelines for scholarships are as follows:

Unemployed	Full scholarship
Income up to \$35,000	75% discount
Income \$35,000-\$50,000	50% discount
Income above \$50,000	No discount

All requests must be made in writing to the Education Committee at [ahrmny@gmail.com](mailto:ahrmny@gmail.com) and should describe the applicant's interest in the topic and justification for a waiver or reduction of fees. If approved, the scholarship will be applied to the specific educational program requested.