**\*\*\* Important Announcement \*\*\***

**Maryland Chapter of AAHAM**

**Monthly Meetings**

Dear Maryland AAHAM Members,

As I’m sure most of you are aware after several decades the Maryland Chapter of AAHAM has moved our monthly meetings form the recently-closed *Snyder’s Willow Grove* to *The Hotel at Arundel Preserve* in Hanover, Md. The Maryland Chapter continues to work hard in providing our membership with top-of-the-line educational speakers and payers in the most pleasant and geographically-suitable environment and we believe we have found a great, long-term location at *The Hotel*.

However this conversion brings additional changes we are forced to make. One of them is providing an accurate attendee count to *The Hotel* prior to each meeting. In the past *Snyder’s* was willing to accommodate last minute walk-in’s as all food & beverages were provided directly from the on-site kitchen. Unfortunately *The Hotel* cannot offer us this luxury. All food & beverages provided by *The Hotel* are prepared off-site and delivered the day of each meeting. Therefore we are forced to provide *The Hotel* with an accurate registration count no later than three (3) business days prior to each meeting. Needless to say this creates a problem for our past “Walk-In” policy and requires us to make a change.

Effective immediately the Maryland Chapter of AAHAM fee’s for monthly meetings will be as follows for the remainder of 2014:

 **Member Non-Member**

Registered on-line by deadline: $40 $60

Registered after deadline including Walk-In’s: $60 $80

Effective January 2015 the Maryland Chapter of AAHAM fee’s for monthly meetings will be as follows:

**Member Non-Member**

Registered on-line by deadline: $45 $70

Registered after deadline including Walk-In’s: $65 $90

Our hope is that each of you takes advantage of the discounted pre-registration costs so that we may provide *The Hotel* with an accurate attendee and allow everyone in attendance to enjoy the full amenities *The Hotel* has to offer.

We appreciate your understanding. Thank you.

Maryland Chapter of AAHAM