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## **Central Penn RIMS Chapter Awards \$3,300 to Kids' Chance of Pennsylvania**

The Central Pennsylvania Chapter of the Risk & Insurance Management Society Helps Kids' Chance of Pennsylvania to Provide Scholarships to Children of Pennsylvania Workers Who Have Been Killed or Seriously Injured in a Work-Related Accident.

Harrisburg, PA, January 3, 2008 -- Kids' Chance of Pennsylvania, Inc. has received a \$3,300 award from the Central Penn RIMS Chapter. Kids' Chance of Pennsylvania, a non-profit, volunteer-driven organization, grants post-secondary scholarships to children of Pennsylvania workers who have been killed or seriously injured in a work related accident, and where that accident has resulted in financial hardship. The Risk and Insurance Management Society, Inc. (RIMS) is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to advancing the practice of risk management, a professional discipline that protects physical, financial and human resources.

The award was presented to Kids' Chance Board members, Jeff Gelburd of Murray Risk Management and Insurance and Bart Shaffer of Weis Markets by Central Penn RIMS Chapter President Bill Young of D&E Communications, Inc. Also present were RIMS Treasurer Ryan McGuinness of Rite Aid (left), RIMS Board member Wayne Naylor, RIMS Secretary Libby Christman of Ahold USA, Inc., and RIMS Vice President Megan Marshall of The Hershey Company. Since 1997, Kids' Chance of Pennsylvania has awarded \$439,750 in scholarships to 298 eligible applicants from every corner of Pennsylvania. Individual scholarship grants are based upon demonstrated financial need and merit of applicants, as well as available funds raised annually. Applications and eligibility requirements are available on line at [www.kidschanceofpa.org](http://www.kidschanceofpa.org).

Kids' Chance of PA is one of 28 similar, yet independent, non-profit organizations nationwide and draws its support from individuals, foundations, businesses and organizations with an interest in workers' compensation-related issues and/or providing higher education opportunities to young Pennsylvanians. The Kids' Chance Corporate and Community Partner Program, which offers special acknowledgment to committed partners, supports the ongoing operations and initiatives of Kids' Chance of PA. Those interested in learning more about Kids' Chance of PA or who would like to make a tax-deductible gift, please contact 484-945-2104, send an e-mail to [info@kidschanceofpa.org](mailto:info@kidschanceofpa.org), or visit the website at [www.kidschanceofpa.org](http://www.kidschanceofpa.org).