

## 2026 Employer of the Year NYCM Insurance

NYCM is a great company to work for and they take very good care of their employees. We could go on and on sharing all the things that NYCM does for their employees by making our work environment comfortable, promoting a culture that puts employees first, and providing good benefits. Besides providing health insurance, they also provide ways to keep ourselves healthy by providing healthy food at our Café and providing a beautiful gym with workout equipment as well as a full-time fitness coach. In the past four years the company has totally renovated the inside of the building and it now has new cubicles with desks that raise for standing, wireless keyboards and efficient set up. The décor also incorporates bright colors on the walls with positive word clouds that highlights our culture throughout the building. There are so many niceties that were incorporated in the renovations to make it such a beautiful environment for employees to work. This is just a broad overview of how supportive NYCM is to their employees, so when we tell you how supportive they are to their employees in relation to the FNYIP, that support is just a fraction of what they do for us daily.

Four years ago, Dan Robinson retired as our President & CEO, and his daughter, Cheryl Robinson, became our President & CEO. I'm proud that a company that has been in existence for 126 years, managed by the Robinson family during that time, that we now have our first female President. Cheryl is a smart and hardworking woman and doing a great job overseeing our company. With some carriers leaving NYS due to unprofitable results, I'm happy to report that NYCM Insurance under Cheryl Robinson's leadership is steady and strong. NYCM Insurance has once again won the J.D. Power Award for customer satisfaction among auto insurers in New York in the J.D. Power 2025 U.S. Auto Insurance Study.

NYCM's management has always encouraged participation and makes it easy for us to make the most out of our membership to the Federation through the Insurance Professionals of Central New York. We meet once a month and for the most part our meetings are held at NYCM. NYCM pays our dues in full for each employee as well as pays for our dinners when the meetings are held after work hours.

NYCM has an Education Center for employees, and it's because NYCM believes in the importance of education, they have been the sponsors of the Education Scholarships given at the Annual Convention. NYCM has also supported the FNYIP Annual Convention by being a Sponsor for many years, as well as paying the entire expense of attending the Convention for all the NYCM attendees. The time away from work for the Convention is considered paid business time and therefore allows us to not have to use our vacation time.

We are proud to nominate NYCM Insurance as the Employer of the Year as we believe their actions, commitment, and support of the FNYIP is one of deserved recognition.