



JOSEPH L. EHRLICH, ESQ.

Hearing Officer

Joe Ehrlich has been committed to the practice of law for twenty-eight years and has had a long and distinguished legal career. Prior to becoming a full-time mediator and arbitrator with NAM, Mr. Ehrlich was a well-known and recognized plaintiff’s attorney who handled hundreds of cases, including construction, negligence, personal injury, premises liability, labor law, auto, and product liability matters from inception through trial. His many years in practice earned him a reputation of being fair, level-headed, and able to value a case accurately. As such, he is held in high regard by the defense bar. As a highly respected lawyer with exceptional people and negotiation skills, both defense and plaintiff lawyers voted him as one of the Top 10 Mediators in New York State in the 2015 New York Law Journal Reader Rankings Survey for the fifth straight year in a row. Mr. Ehrlich was also named one of the Top 3 Arbitrators in the State in the 2013 and 2014 surveys.

Mr. Ehrlich is a seasoned trial professional who has tried cases in all of the counties and venues in the metropolitan area including: New York, Kings, Queens, Bronx, Nassau, Suffolk, Westchester, Orange, Sullivan and Rockland Counties. During his years of legal practice, Mr. Ehrlich has successfully tried and settled hundreds of cases.

As a full-time Mediator with NAM, his integrity and legal acumen have earned him the respect and confidence of both the plaintiff and defense bars, as his case referrals are sourced equally from both sides, as well as directly from insurance carrier representatives. Mr. Ehrlich’s years of practice have given him a deep understanding of the case evaluation nuances specific to many different types of cases and injuries. He is a longtime supporter of alternative dispute resolution and his expertise in complex negotiations makes him an exceptionally well rounded and effective mediator and arbitrator with NAM.

Mr. Ehrlich hears cases throughout New York State and also serves on NAM’s National Roster of Hearing Officers. He is often selected to serve as a mediator and/or arbitrator on cases throughout the country.

He is an avid golfer and actively supports numerous charities.

New York Law Journal Reader Rankings **Top Ten Best Individual Mediator Joseph Ehrlich, NAM 2015**

New York Law Journal Reader Rankings **Top 10 Best Individual Mediators Joseph Ehrlich, NAM 2014**

New York Law Journal Reader Rankings **Top 3 Best Individual Arbitrator Joseph Ehrlich, NAM 2014**

New York Law Journal Reader Rankings **Top Ten Best Individual Mediator Joseph Ehrlich, NAM 2013**

New York Law Journal Reader Rankings **Top Three Best Individual Arbitrator Joseph Ehrlich, NAM 2013**

New York Law Journal Reader Rankings **Top Ten Best Individual Mediator Joseph Ehrlich (NAM) 2012**

New York Law Journal Reader Rankings **Top Ten Best Individual Mediator Joseph Ehrlich (NAM) 2011**

SPECIALTIES

- Attorney Malpractice
- Business
- Commercial
- Corporate
- Construction
- Insurance
- Labor Law
- Legal Ethics
- Negligence
- Personal Injury
- Premises Liability
- Professional Liabilities
- Torts and Product Liability

PROFESSION

- Attorney

EXPERIENCE

- Has experience in Negligence, Personal Injury, Construction and Insurance

ADR EXPERIENCE

- Has experience in Negligence, Personal Injury, Construction and Insurance

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES

- Admitted to the New York State Bar

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- New York State Trial Lawyers Association
- New York State Bar Association
- New York County Lawyers Association

EDUCATION

- State University at Buffalo, (J.D. 1983)
- State University at Buffalo, (B.A. 1980)

HONORS and AWARDS

- New York Law Journal Reader Rankings Survey 2015, Top Ten - Best Individual Mediator Category
- New York Law Journal Reader Rankings Survey 2014, Top Ten - Best Individual Arbitrator Category
- New York Law Journal Reader Rankings Survey 2014, Top Ten - Best Individual Mediator Category
- New York Law Journal Reader Rankings Survey 2013, Top Ten - Best Individual Arbitrator Category
- New York Law Journal Reader Rankings Survey 2013, Top Ten - Best Individual Mediator Category
- New York Law Journal Reader Rankings Survey 2012, Top Ten - Best Individual Mediator Category
- New York Law Journal Reader Rankings Survey 2011, Top Ten - Best Individual Mediator Category

CITIZENSHIP

- USA

LANGUAGES

- English