



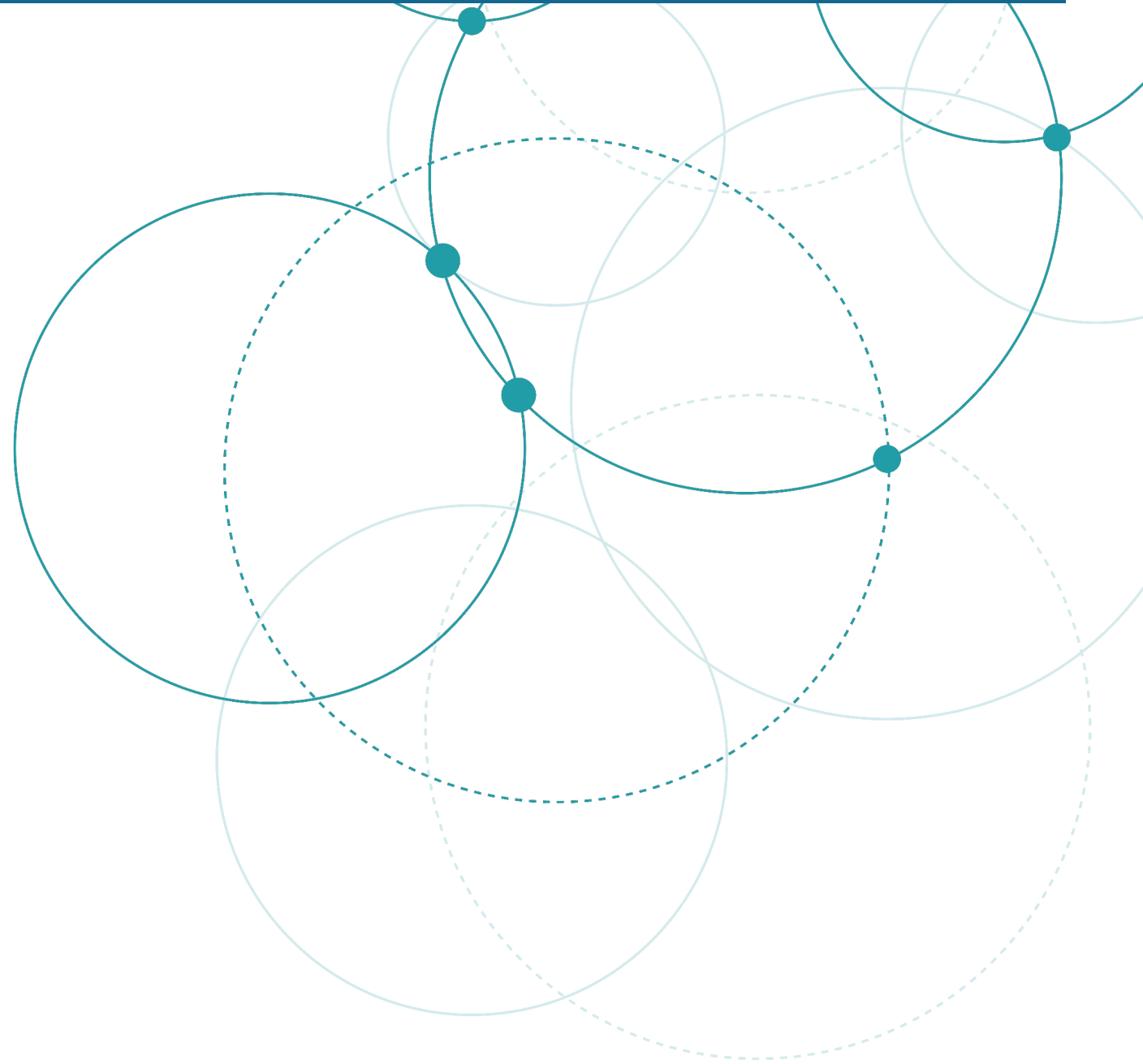
# Ranking Applicants in the 2022 Main Residency Match®

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# Agenda

1. Match Calendar
2. Quota Changes and Withdrawals
3. Setting SOAP Participation
4. Creating and Certifying a Rank Order List
5. The Matching Algorithm
6. Match Policies
7. Q & A

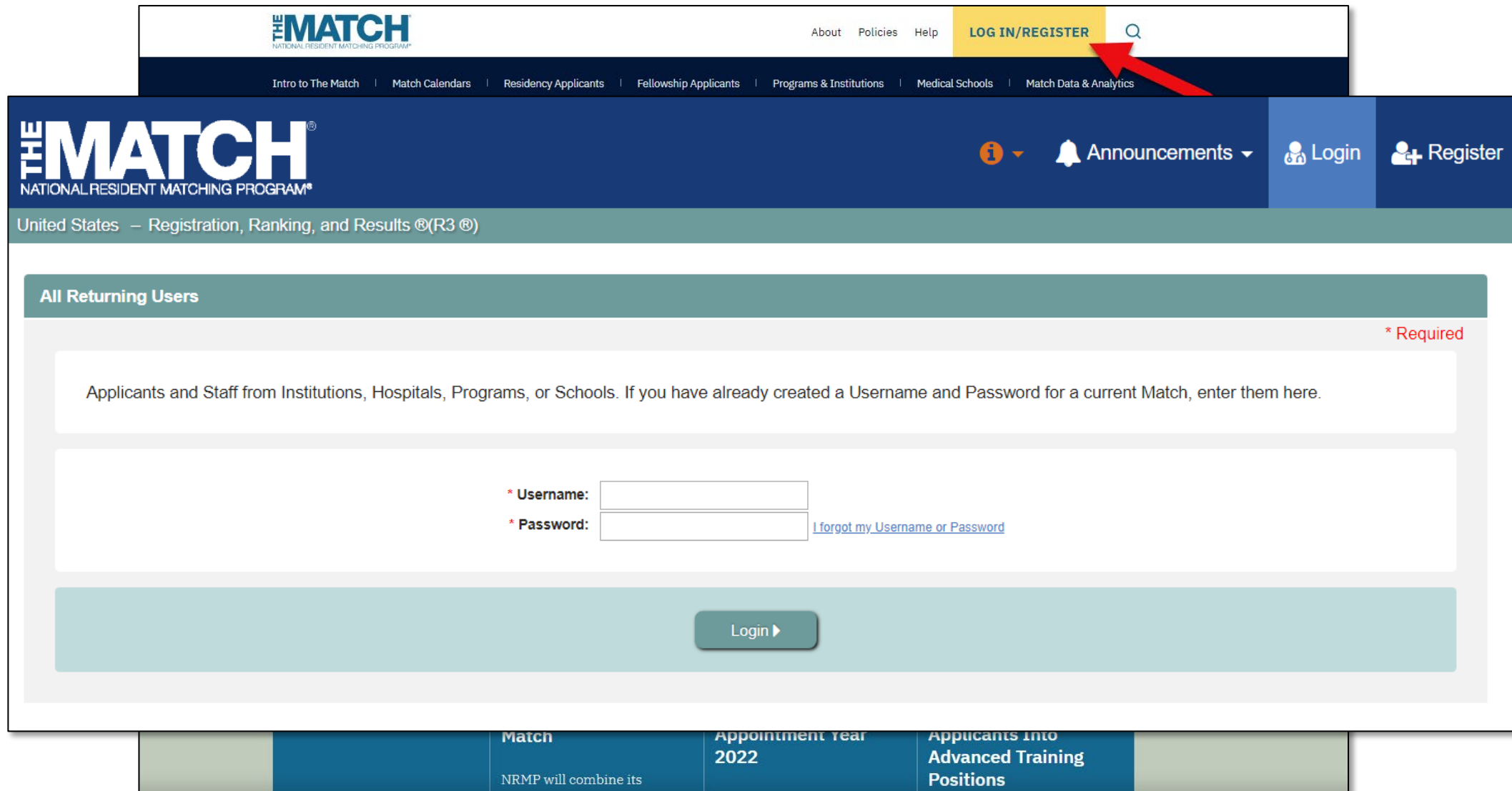


# Match Calendar

<b>Monday, January 31</b> 11:59 P.M. ET	Quota Change, Withdrawal, & SOAP® Participation Status Deadline
<b>Tuesday, February 1</b> 12:00 P.M. ET	Ranking Opens
<b>Wednesday, March 2</b> 9:00 P.M. ET	Rank Order List (ROL) Certification Deadline
<b>Monday, March 14</b> 9:00 A.M. ET	Match Week Begins Program and Applicant Match Status
<b>Thursday, March 17</b> 9:00 A.M. – 9:00 P.M. ET	Four SOAP Rounds
<b>Friday, March 18</b> 12:00 P.M. ET	Match Day!
<b>≈ Friday, July 1</b>	Training Begins



# R3® System



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**All Returning Users**

\* Required

Applicants and Staff from Institutions, Hospitals, Programs, or Schools. If you have already created a Username and Password for a current Match, enter them here.


\* Username:

\* Password:  [I forgot my Username or Password](#)



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Match	Appointment Year	Applicants Into
NRMP will combine its	2022	Advanced Training Positions

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### View Program Details

<b>Institution:</b> <a href="#">National Medical Center-Test Institution - Washington, DC</a>	<b>Match Year:</b> 2022
<b>Role:</b> Program Director	<b>NRMP Institution Code:</b> 1000
<b>Username:</b> <a href="#">gomez_addams</a>	<b>ACGME Inst Code:</b>
<b>Institution Status:</b> ACTIVE	<b>NRMP Program Code:</b> <a href="#">1000440C0</a>
<b>Program Name:</b> General Surgery	<b>ACGME Program Code:</b> 4401223047
<b>Program Type:</b> Categorical	<b>SOAP Participation:</b> Pending
<b>Program Status:</b> ACTIVE	

Status

Quota

SOAP Participation

Change Requests & Approvals


Program Director/Coord







Public Contact

Reversions

# Quota Changes & Withdrawals

- Quota is the number of positions to be filled in the Match.
- Quota information rolls over from the previous Match for each program.
- The Program Director (PD) is responsible for confirming the program's quota, making any changes, or withdrawing the program.
- The PD must be registered before the Quota Change Deadline to review or change the quota.
- The Institutional Official (IO) is responsible for approving all quota changes and withdrawals.



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SOAP Participation: Pending

Status

Current Program Status

ACTIVE

Withdraw ▶

Quota

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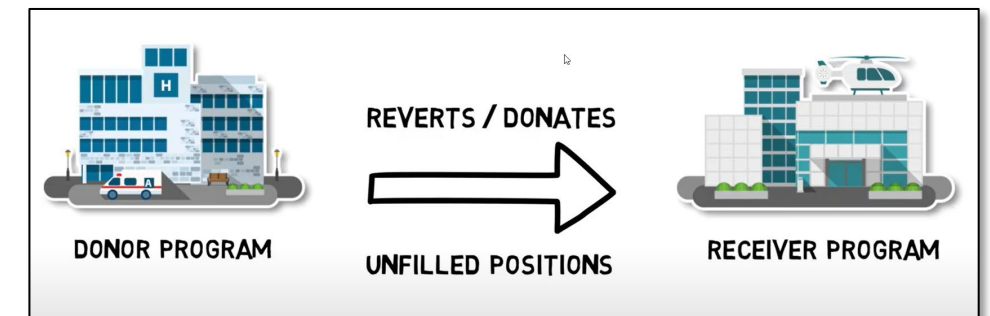
# Joint A-P and Reversions

## Joint Advanced-Preliminary

- Link an advanced (A) program with a preliminary (P) program to create a full course of training for applicants.
- Only applicants ranking the A program on their primary ROL can rank the joined P program on the attached supplemental ROL.
- Must be entered and approved by January 31st, before ranking opens.

## Reversions

- Donate unfilled positions in one program or track to another during the matching process.
- Reversions do not roll over. Must be created and approved by the ROL Certification Deadline.





# Setting SOAP Participation

- SOAP Participation status should be set in the R3 system by the January 31 Quota Change Deadline.
- Programs electing to participate in SOAP agree to accept applications ONLY through ERAS and offer positions ONLY through SOAP.
- Programs electing not to participate in SOAP are prohibited from extending offers until after SOAP concludes on Thursday of Match Week.





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## Pending Program Change Requests

Change Requested By:	Change Type	Old Value	New Value	Change Request Date	Change Decision
Gomez Addams - TEST	Quota Change	1	3	25 Jan 2022 04:48:07	PENDING

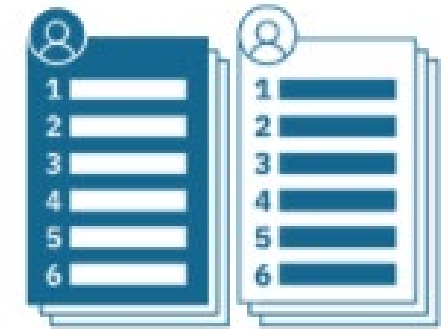
Program Director/Coord ▾

Public Contact ▾

Reversions ▾

# Creating a Rank Order List (ROL)

- Ranking function opens in the NRMP R3 system at 12:00 p.m. ET on Tuesday, February 1.
- ROLs can be entered by either the PD or PC.
- PD is responsible for certifying the list.
- Applicants are ranked in order of preference, with the most preferred applicant ranked first.
- Multiple methods are available in the R3 system to enter and edit a ROL.



# Add by AAMC ID or NRMP ID

View Program Details

Program Name: General Surgery

Program Name: General Surgery

Program Type: Categorical

Program Status: **RANKING**

ACGME Program Code: 1440123456

ACGME Program Code: 1440123456

SOAP Participation: Yes

Program Rank Order List

Rank Order List

Status

Quota

SOAP Participation

Change Requirements

Program Director

Public Contact

Reversions

You may add Applicants to the list by entering their NRMP ID or AAMC ID below, searching for them on the "Find & Add Applicants" tab, or entering multiple IDs in the "Import Applicant List" tab.

Click, drag and drop the icons in the "Drag & Drop" column to move an Applicant's rank.

Select the red X on any Applicant record below to delete them from the list.

Find & Add Applicant

Certify List

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
Cancel Changes

Save

Search my List

Print

Delete All

Drag & Drop	Rank	Applicant Name	Medical School	Status ?	NRMP ID	AAMC ID	Remove
	<input type="text" value="1"/>	<a href="#">Potter, Harry</a>	Indiana University School of Medicine	ACTIVE	N0585174	53214795	<b>X</b>

Cancel Changes

Save

Search my List

Print

Delete All


Add Applicant & Save

# Find & Add Applicants

Program Status: **RANKING**





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• Click, drag and drop the icons in the "Drag & Drop" column to move an Applicant's rank.  
• Select the red X on any Applicant record below to delete them from the list.

 You have unsaved changes! Click "Save" to maintain the current rank order.

**Find & Add Applicant** **Certify List** **Import**

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**Cancel Changes** **Save** **Search my List** **Print** **Delete All**

**Add Applicant & Save**

# Importing Applicants









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[Find & Add Applicant](#) [Certify List](#) [Import](#)

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	<input type="text" value="4"/>	<a href="#">Jones, Aaron David</a>	Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine	ACTIVE	N0604732	25874136	

[Cancel Changes](#) [Save](#) [Search my List](#) [Print](#) [Delete All](#)

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# Other Features

Program Rank Order List

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Add Applicant & Save

# Certifying the ROL

Program Rank Order List

Username: [gomez\\_addams](#)

Institution Name: [National Medical Center-Test Institution - Washington, DC](#)

Institution Status: ACTIVE

Program Name: General Surgery

Program Type: Categorical

Program Status: **CERTIFIED**

Match Year: 2022

NRMP Institution Code: 1000

ACGME Inst Code:

NRMP Program Code: [1000440C0](#)

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Program Rank Order List

Print List

Edit List

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# The Matching Algorithm

The algorithm is applicant proposing - the process begins with an attempt to match an applicant to the program ranked #1 by that applicant.

A tentative Match occurs if the program also ranked the applicant:

- and the program has unfilled positions OR
- the program is filled but the applicant is ranked higher than another applicant already matched tentatively to the program.



# How the Algorithm Works



# The Matching Algorithm (cont.)

## There is **NO** match if:

- the applicant did not rank the program, OR
- the program did not rank the applicant, OR
- the program and applicant ranked each other but the program filled with other applicants more preferred by the program.

## Matches are **FINAL** when:

- the algorithm completes its cycle through all applicant rank order lists and tentative matches are confirmed.

## Couples match when:

- the algorithm is able to place **BOTH** partners in their highest ranked pair of programs on the primary list.



# Reversions?

- Donate unfilled positions in one program or track to another during the matching process.
- The donor program reverts a specific number of its positions to a receiver program.
- The rank order list of the recipient program is used to fill the donated positions.
- Positions revert to the receiver program **only** if they do not fill from the donor program's ROL.

# Ranking Wisdom

Provide applicants your NRMP Program Code(s).

Rank applicants in the order of your true preference.

Rank only applicants who meet institution and program appointment requirements.

Placing an applicant on your ROL creates a binding commitment if a match occurs.

The program director is responsible for certifying the ROL or editing a certified ROL.

NRMP will not enter or modify rank order lists.



# Match Policy

## All In Policy

- Any program registering for the Main Residency Match must register and attempt to fill all positions through the Match or another national matching plan.
- Does not include PGY-2 or higher positions in specialties accredited to begin only at the PGY-1 level.
- Off-cycle training must begin before February 1.

## Restrictions on Persuasion

- Programs cannot request applicants to reveal ranking preferences or the names, specialties, geographic locations, or other identifying information about programs to which they have or may apply.
- Be sure all institution staff who participate in interviews, decision-making, or who can speak for the program are aware of policies.

# Video Resources & Support Guides

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2. MERCY

JOSEPH  
1. CITY

LATINA  
1. MERCY  
2. CITY  
3. GENERAL

DARRINUS  
1. CITY  
2. MERCY  
3. GENERAL

MERCY (2 POSITIONS)  
1. DARRINUS  
2. JOSEPH

GENERAL (2 POSITIONS)  
1. DARRINUS  
2. ARTHUR  
3. JOSEPH  
4. LATINA

4:51

1. Charles  
2. Baker  
3. Able  
(2 positions)

1. Charles  
2. Baker  
3. Able  
(1 position)

1. Baker  
2. Able  
(1 position)

Using Applicant Match History

Using the Program Directory

Verify Email Address

Withdrawing & Reinstating a Program

Jan 26	Rank order list entry begins at 12:00 p.m. ET.
Mar 02	Rank Order List Deadline and deadline to withdraw from the Main Residency Match! Rank order lists must be certified no later than 9:00 p.m. ET.
Mar 18	Match Day! Match results released in R3® system at 12:00 noon ET.

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## Entering and Certifying a Program Rank Order List

Main Residency Match and Specialties Matching Service

**Users:**

- Institutional Officials (IOs)
- Institutional Administrators (IAs)
- Program Directors (PDs)
- Program Coordinators (PCs)

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# Questions?





# Thank you and Good Luck in the Match!

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