

# Policy Tips/Reminders What Medical Schools Need to Know

## RECRUITMENT/REGISTRATION

### Read the Match Participation Agreement

- Understand the "Dos and Dont's"
- Visit the Policies page on NRMP WWW for resources

# Provide Complete, Timely, and Accurate Information

- Ensure student transcripts, MSPEs, and credentials are current and include complete disclosure
  - Academic: Student fails required coursework, doesn't meet graduation requirements
  - Professionalism: Student subject to school disciplinary actions, academic probation
  - Legal: Student has been charged, arrested, or is facing ongoing legal issues
- Communicate any/all changes to applicant eligibility through the application portal, NRMP, and/or matched programs at any point during the application, interview, ranking, matching, or onboarding process



Disclosing change in student status is NOT a FERPA Violation

- Disclosure is required under Match Participation Agreement obligations
- Schools are not asked to share reasons for change in student eligibility, only that change has occurred

Upload senior students in R3 system and verify applicant eligibility for Match participation

# **RANKING**

## Support the Matching Process

- Three-year medical education programs cannot
  - Promise or guarantee residency positions outside of the Match
  - Indicate or imply a training position is guaranteed before Match results are released
  - Prevent students from exploring, applying to, interviewing with, or rankings programs of their choice

## Know your applicants' rights

- Programs must provide at least 48 hours for applicant to accept an interview invitation
- Ranking information is confidential applicants are not obligated to share it with anyone
- Programs cannot ask applicants about their interview or ranking preferences



### **RESULTS/ONBOARDING**

### Ensure your students honor the binding commitment

- •Matched applicants must train in the matched program absent a waiver from NRMP
- •Schools cannot assist matched applicants in finding concurrent-year positions

QUESTIONS? Contact NRMP policy by telephone at 202-400-2235 or by email at <a href="mailto:policy@nrmp.org">policy@nrmp.org</a>. Or visit <a href="mailto:nrmp.org/policies/">nrmp.org/policies/</a>

