



2027 Main Residency Match[®] Overview for Medical Schools

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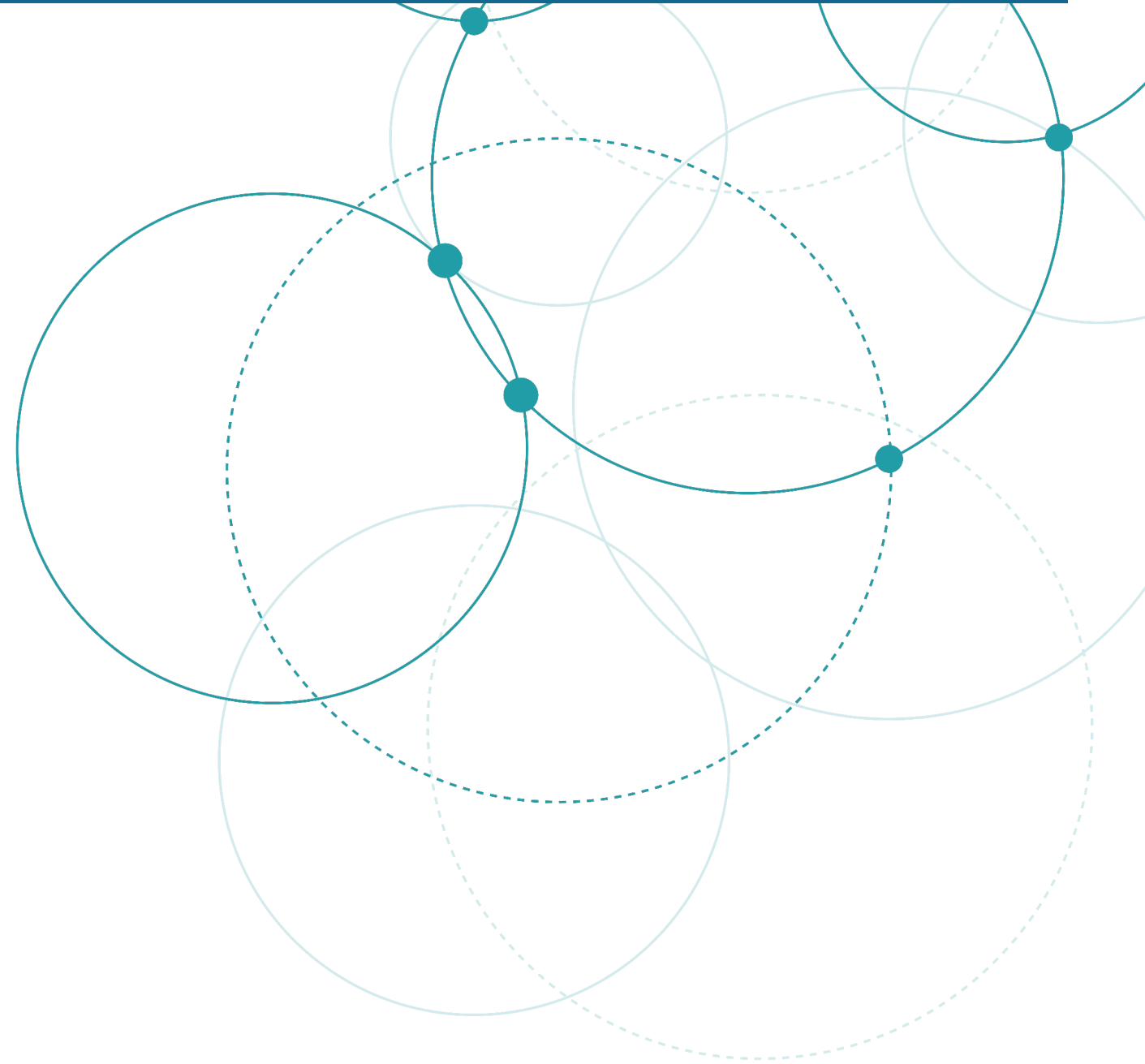
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Agenda

1. About the NRMP
2. New for the 2027 Main Residency Match
3. Match Calendar
4. R3[®] Registration
5. Match Policy
6. Managing Students & Graduates
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Who We Are

The National Resident Matching Program® (NRMP®), also known as The Match®

- First Match run in 1952, incorporated in 1953
- Utilizes a proprietary matching algorithm to pair the preferences of applicants with the preferences of training programs
- Establishes and enforces policies that, above all, secure the equity of the matching process, promotes fairness and transparency, and holds participants accountable for professional behavior.

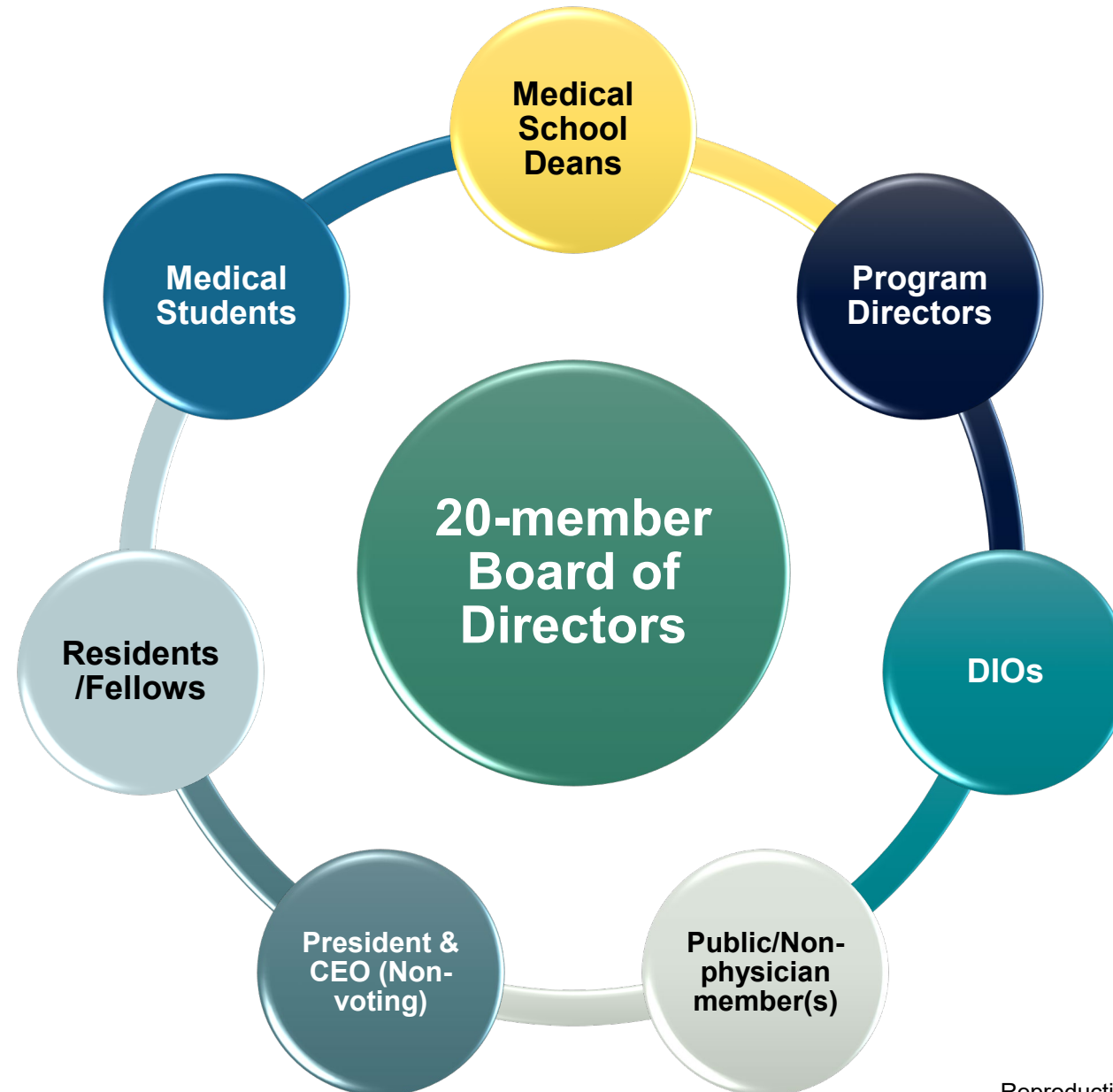


The Match was developed at the request of medical students to eliminate problems that plagued the residency recruitment process.

- Research on the NRMP algorithm was a basis for awarding the 2012 Nobel Prize in Economic Sciences

About the NRMP: Board of Directors

Physician-led
governance



At-large call for
nominations each
fall.

Check www.nrmp.org
for the upcoming
nominations cycle

NRMP Matching Programs

2026 Main Residency Match®

- 48,050 active applicants
- 6,809 program tracks
- 44,344 PGY-1 and PGY-2 positions
- 93.5% overall position fill rate
- 99.3% position fill rate including the Supplemental Offer & Acceptance Program® (SOAP®)

Programs must be ACGME-accredited
Includes all specialties except Ophthalmology & Urology

Specialties Matching Service® (SMS®)

23 Fellowship Matches for the 2026 appointment year

- 6,606 programs in 81 subspecialties
- 15,358 positions
- 12,963 positions (84.4%) were filled
- 15,846 applicants participated in at least one fellowship Match and 81.8% obtained a position



New & Updated for the 2027 Main Residency Match

Charting Outcomes™: Characteristics of Applicants Who Matched to Their Preferred Specialty

Charting Outcomes™: Medical School Report

Multi-factor Authentication in R3

Applicant Invitation to Register in the Registration, Ranking, & Results® (R3®) system.



2027 Main Residency Match Calendar

Tuesday, September 15 12:00 P.M. ET	Match Registration Opens for Applicants and Medical Schools in the NRMP's Registration, Ranking & Results® (R3®) system
Thursday, September 17	Application Deadline for ResidencyCAS – programs in Emergency Medicine & Obstetrics-Gynecology
Wednesday, September 23	Applications available to programs using either application service
Friday, January 29 11:59 P.M. ET	Standard Registration Deadline for Applicants
Monday, February 1 12:00 P.M. ET	Applicant Verification begins for Medical Schools Ranking Opens for applicants and programs
Wednesday, March 3 9:00 P.M. ET	Rank Order List (ROL) Certification Deadline for Applicants & Programs - Registration Deadline - Applicant late registration for the Match and SOAP and Match withdrawal deadline. Deadline to verify students and graduates as eligible for the Match

2027 Match Week & SOAP

Monday, March 15 10:00 A.M. ET	SOAP Begins Program and Applicant Match Status Released
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Tuesday, March 16	Programs can review SOAP applications in their preferred application service, interview, and begin creating preference lists in NRMP
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Thursday, March 18 9:00 A.M. – 9:00 P.M. ET	Four SOAP Offer Rounds
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Friday, March 19 12:00 P.M. ET	Match Day!
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≈ July 1	Training Begins
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R3[®] Registration

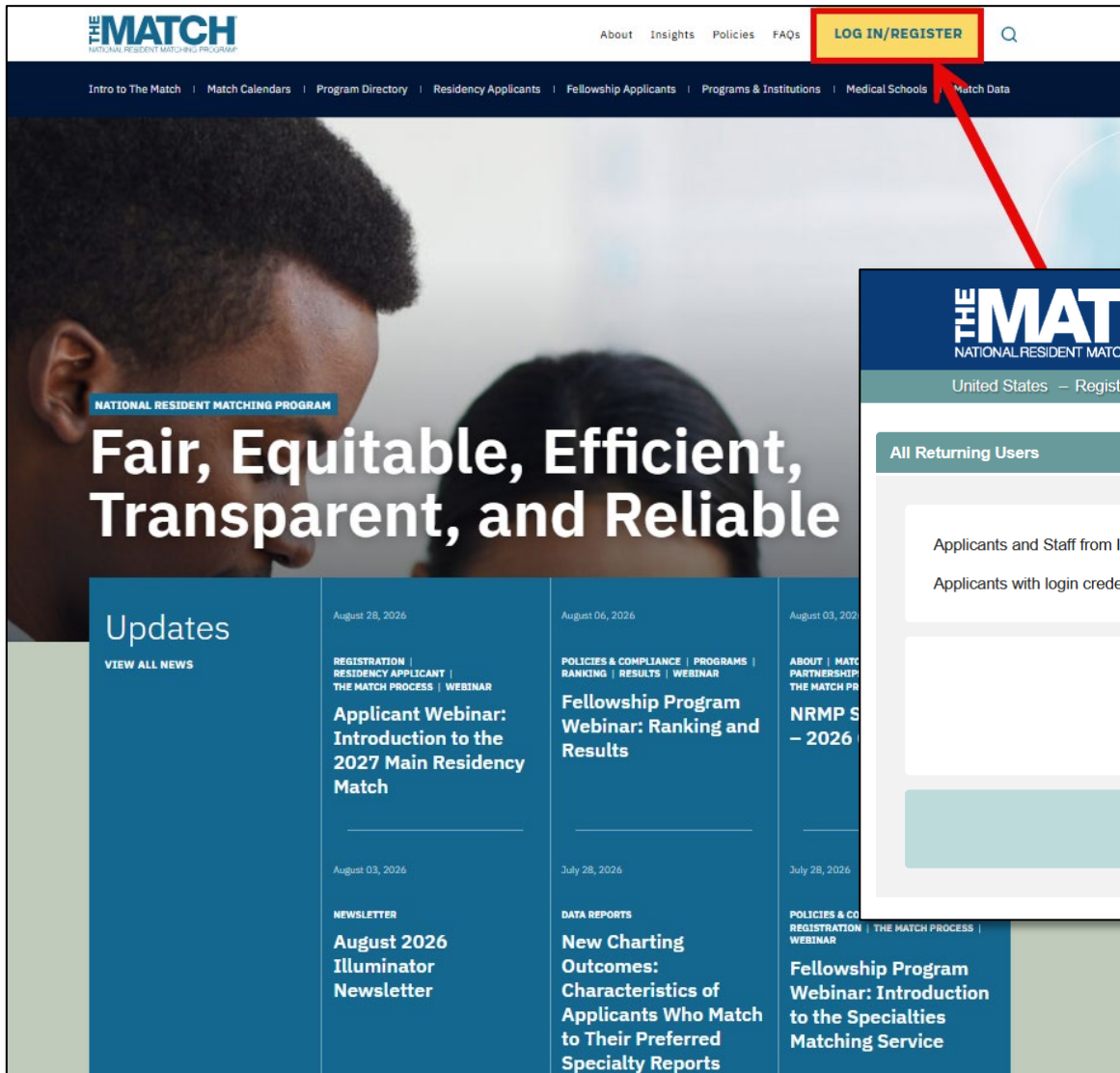


School Responsibilities

Each school or campus can have only two users in the R3 system: the School Official (SO) and the School Administrator (SA)

- Oversees the Match process and serves as the “official spokesperson” to the NRMP (SO)
- Ensures sponsored applicants complete the registration process and executes the Match Agreement (SO & SA)
 - Uploads in the R3 system a list of the school’s sponsored applicants
 - Manages student and graduate participation in the Match
 - Verifies eligibility of sponsored applicants to enter GME on July 1
 - Verifies graduation for prior graduates

R3 System



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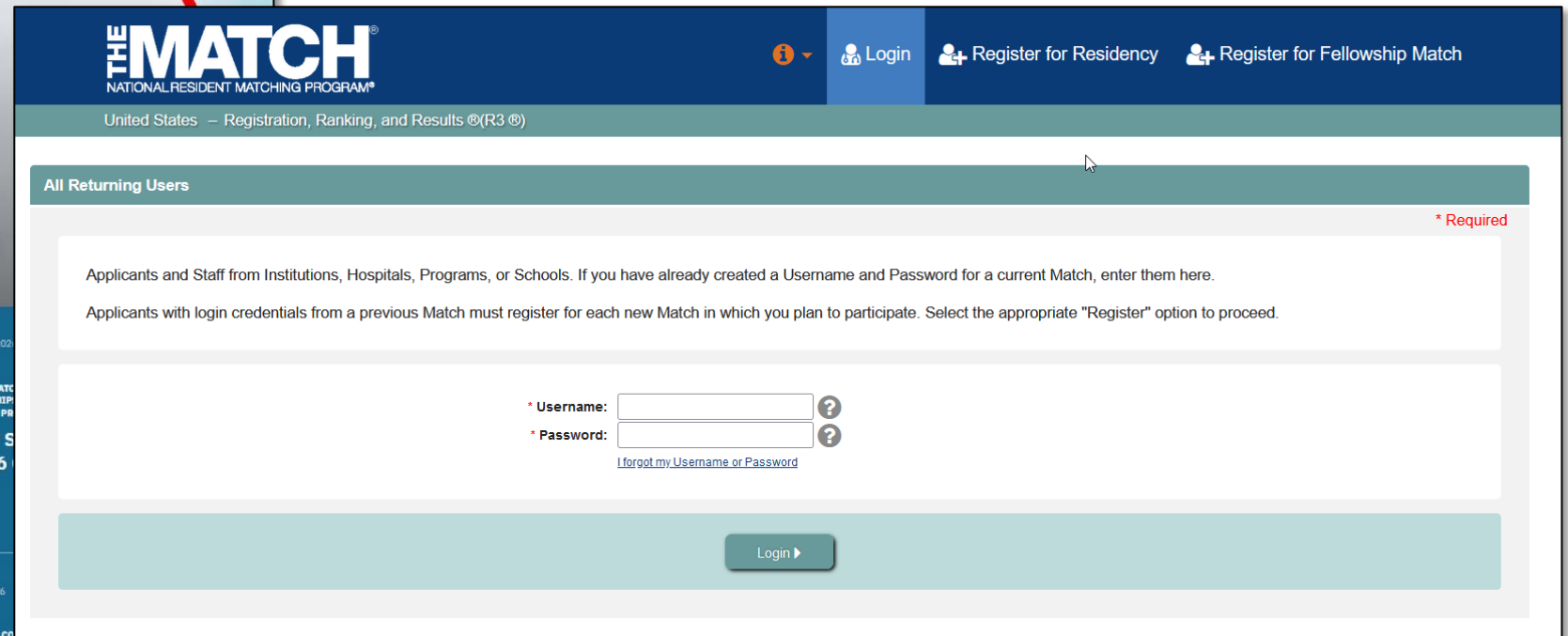
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Fair, Equitable, Efficient, Transparent, and Reliable

Updates
VIEW ALL NEWS

August 28, 2026 REGISTRATION RESIDENCY APPLICANT THE MATCH PROCESS WEBINAR Applicant Webinar: Introduction to the 2027 Main Residency Match	August 06, 2026 POLICIES & COMPLIANCE PROGRAMS RANKING RESULTS WEBINAR Fellowship Program Webinar: Ranking and Results	August 03, 2026 ABOUT MATCH PARTNERSHIP THE MATCH PROCESS NRMP S - 2026
August 03, 2026 NEWSLETTER August 2026 Illuminator Newsletter	July 28, 2026 DATA REPORTS New Charting Outcomes: Characteristics of Applicants Who Match to Their Preferred Specialty Reports	July 28, 2026 POLICIES & COMPLIANCE REGISTRATION THE MATCH PROCESS WEBINAR Fellowship Program Webinar: Introduction to the Specialties Matching Service



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United States — Registration, Ranking, and Results ®(R3 ®)

Info Login Register for Residency Register for Fellowship Match

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.

Applicants with login credentials from a previous Match must register for each new Match in which you plan to participate. Select the appropriate "Register" option to proceed.

* Username: ?

* Password: ?

[I forgot my Username or Password](#)

Login ▶

Token Link & Registration



Dear John Smith,

Welcome to the 2025 Main Residency Match. We are looking forward to another successful year! Below is information on how to register for the Match as well as links to Match resources and reports.

Registration

All Match participants use the NRMP Registration, Ranking, and Results® (R3®) system to register for the Match, submit rank order lists of preferred programs and trainees, and obtain Match results and statistics. School officials use the R3 system to verify credentials and monitor the Match participation of their students and graduates.

Click the token link below to create your individual user account in the R3 system. If you no longer are the school official or administrator, please contact the NRMP.

Your token link: <https://r3.nrmp.org/validateToken?tokenCode=FakeTokenValueForTesting&emailAddress=FakeEmail&tenantId=100>

Save your username and password in a safe place, not through the password save feature in your browser. Note that the use of the school official's username and password by the school administrator to access the R3 system is a breach of the Match Participation Agreement and could result in sanctions.

Match Calendar, Checklist, and Resources

Once you have created your account and registered for the Match, review the Match [calendar of events](#) and resources contained in the [Medical Schools](#) section of www.nrmp.org, including the [Medical School Checklist](#).

NRMP recently hosted an [Introduction to the 2026 Main Residency Match webinar](#). The webinar provides school officials and administrators an overview of the Match process, important policies, responsibilities, and resources available as you assist your applicants through the Match process.

Policy Updates

[Match Agreement Updates](#) are available on the NRMP website to learn about policy changes and clarifications for the 2026 Match cycle.

Medical School Reports

The NRMP provides several reports with valuable insights into your students' Match participation and previous year's outcomes to help in advising.

Now available is the new *Charting Outcomes™: Medical School Report* for the 2025 Main Residency Match®. This report is uniquely tailored to each Match-participating medical school and provides school-specific profiles of seniors' Match and SOAP outcomes, specialty preferences, demographic characteristics, and ranking preferences as well as benchmarks comparing each school's senior students' outcomes against national data.

Also available is your *Characteristics of Matched Seniors* report. This report now uses primary source USMLE and COMLEX-USA data and will be available for all schools in the R3 system.

Both reports can be viewed by logging in to the NRMP's [R3 system](#) (click "Reports" under "Options"). For additional data and insights into the Match, view the [Match Data](#) section of the NRMP

Token Link & Registration



Registration, Ranking, and Results ®(R3 ®)

 Login  Register for Residency  Register for Fellowship Match

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3

ID CONFIRMATION

USERNAME & PASSWORD

PROFILE UPDATE

✓ Your user account is ready to be created in the system. To finish your user account set-up, please complete these three steps.

Name: Patch Adams

Institution: National Medical Center-Test Institution, Washington, DC

Email Address: padams@mailinator.com

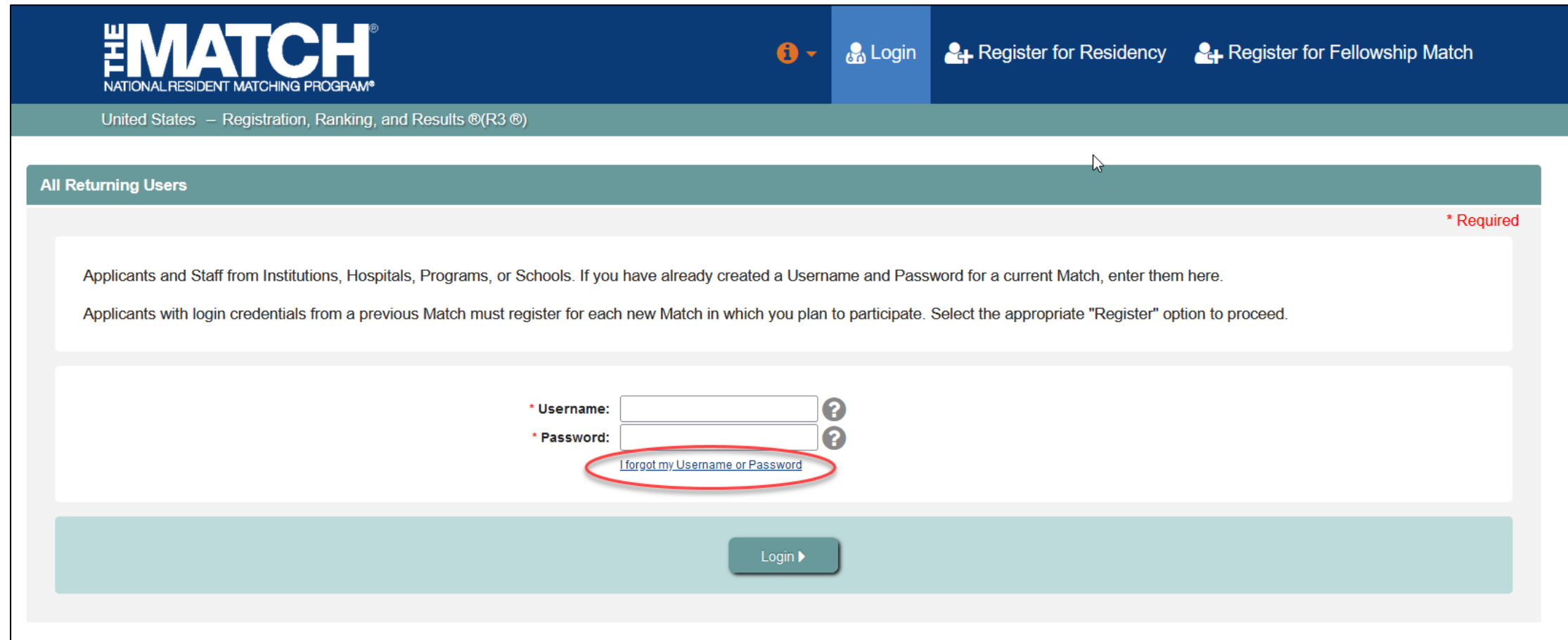
To continue, you must click the 'I Accept' button below.

By clicking 'I Accept', you testify that you are the person identified in the information displayed above on this web page and that you will use the system according to the Terms of Use. If you are not the person identified above, please stop here and contact the NRMP help desk at 202-400-2233, Toll Free at 1-866-653-NRMP (6767), or via email at support@nrmp.org.

Cancel

I Accept ▶

Token Link & Registration



The screenshot shows the login page for 'THE MATCH' (National Resident Matching Program). The header includes the logo and navigation links for 'Login', 'Register for Residency', and 'Register for Fellowship Match'. Below the header, a breadcrumb trail indicates the current location: 'United States - Registration, Ranking, and Results ®(R3 ®)'. The main section is titled 'All Returning Users' and contains instructions for returning applicants and staff. It features input fields for 'Username' and 'Password', both marked as required. A red circle highlights a link that says 'I forgot my Username or Password'. At the bottom of the form is a 'Login ►' button.

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Secure Your Account

For your security, you must set up multi-factor authentication to protect your account from unauthorized access.

Enter a U.S. mobile number to verify your account and click **Send Code** below to receive a 6-digit verification code.

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[Try Another Method](#)

☐ I consent to receive transactional security codes on my mobile device. These messages will be used solely to verify my identity and secure my account. Standard message and data rates may apply. For assistance, reply HELP to the number from which you receive the message, or contact us at support@nrmp.org. [View NRMP's Privacy Policy](#).

Cancel

Send Code ▶

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United States — Registration, Ranking, and Results @ (R3 @) — 2027 Main Residency Match

Match Participation Agreement

Match Participation Agreement for Medical Schools 2027 Main Residency Match® and Supplemental Offer and Acceptance Program® (SOAP®)

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1.0 INTRODUCTION TO THE MAIN RESIDENCY MATCH AND SOAP

The Main Residency Match ("the Match") is sponsored by the National Resident Matching Program® (NRMP®), an independent, non-profit organization founded in 1952 for the purpose of providing an orderly and fair mechanism for matching the training preferences of applicants to U.S. residency positions with the preferences of residency training program directors.

Match Policy for Medical Schools



Match Participation Agreement

- Provides the rules governing the matching process
- Different versions for different users
- Important Notices provide highlights of the Match Participation Agreement (MPA)
- All Match participants must electronically sign the MPA as part of the registration process



Completeness, Timeliness and Accuracy of Information

School Officials are responsible under the MPA (Section 5.2) for ensuring the accuracy of information exchanged between medical schools and programs.

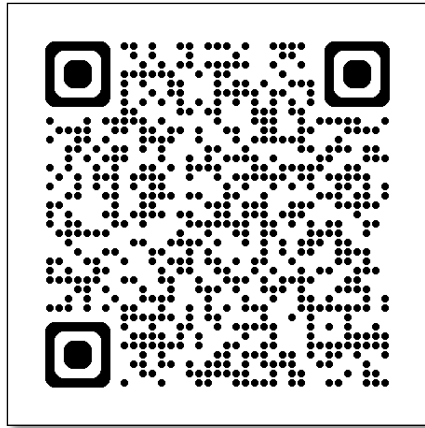
- **Communicate with clarity! At all times, medical school officials must be transparent with programs and convey all information related to an applicant's medical school experience.**
 - Be sure the Medical Student Performance Evaluation (MSPE) contains complete and accurate information about an applicant's journey, highlighting all academic and personal events that could bear on a program's consideration of the applicant's candidacy.
 - Create and upload an addendum to an MSPE if the school has confirmed knowledge the MSPE, as written, is no longer accurate.
 - Contact a program, even if after a student has matched, if there is something about the student's status (e.g., delayed graduation, transfer) that will impact the student entering the program.

Accurate information must be maintained and communicated, verbally and in writing, throughout the application, interview, ranking, matching, and onboarding processes!

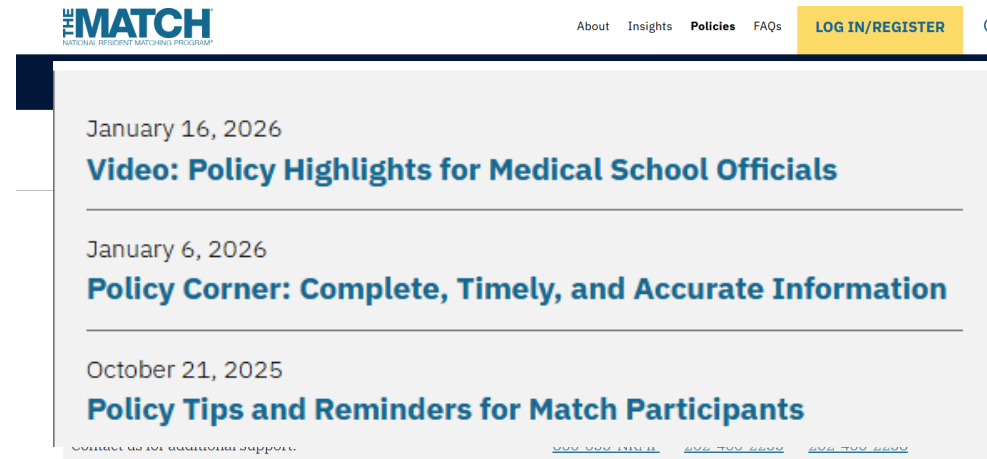
Policy Resources for Medical Schools



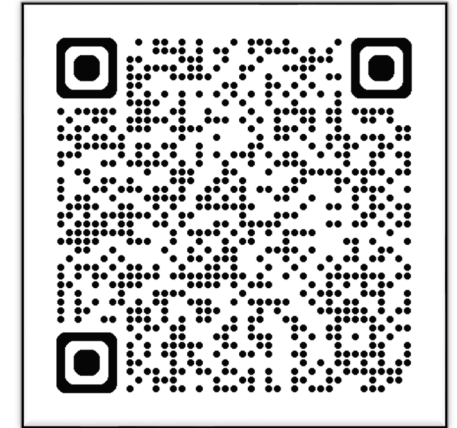
Match Code of Conduct for Medical Schools



Monthly “Policy Corner” Tips



Policy Tips/Reminders What Medical Schools Need to Know



FAQs



Email

policy@nrmp.org



Website

www.nrmp.org/policies

Managing Students and Graduates in the Match



R3 System

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[Home](#)[Options](#)[School](#)Marcus Thompson

Match Home Page

My School: [Southwest School of Medicine](#)

Role: School Official

Username: [mmthompson](#)

There are **106** Applicants from your school in this Match.

[Review Applicants](#)

Status	Seniors	Graduates	Total
INITIAL - Not yet completed Registration	7	0	7
ACTIVE - Complete Registration, no Rank Order List	95	4	99
RANKING - Rank Order List present, Not Certified	0	0	0
CERTIFIED - Ready for the Match	0	0	0
WITHDRAWN - Was withdrawn from the Match	0	0	0
Total Number of Applicants in School	102	4	106

You have not loaded a student list for use in Student Participation Status Verification. Click this button if you would like to do so now.

[Upload Student List](#)

Uploading & Tracking Students

Upload a student list containing names and IDs of sponsored applicants



R3 system compares registered applicants to the uploaded list and removes applicants as they register



Helps SOs and SAs identify seniors who have not yet registered for the Match

Upload a Student List

School Information

School: Southwest School of Medicine

Match Year:

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Example:

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		Mary	Cho-Sun	Kim	01/09/1993
	705432	Pradip		Patel	02/28/1991
2-392-929-5		Anna	Stewart	Fisher	12/02/1992

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Clear Applicant Data

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5	2-392-929-5		Amelia	Alain	Stewart	12/2/1999		
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8	4-852-632-1		William		Sanchez	7/16/1998		
9	9-774-335-6		Stephen		Hart	6/26/1998		
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11	3-654-993-1		Ellie		Comacho	8/2/1997		
12	3-111-444-7		Robert		Martelli	11/25/1998		
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Students imported who have not yet completed registration for Match or been marked as Not Participating.

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View and Edit List

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2-392-929-5		Stewart, Amelia		Set to Not Participating

Set to Not Participating

You have selected to move the following applicant to "Not Participating" status for this Match:

Name: Martelli, Robert

USMLE ID: 3-111-444-7

NBOME ID:

Please select the reason the applicant will not participate then click Submit.

Please Select

Please Select

Accepted Position Outside Any Match

Deceased

Deferred Residency

Delayed Graduation

Dismissed

Early Graduate

Early Match Position

Leave of Absence

Leaving Medicine

Military Match Position

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Managing Students & Graduates

For the Main Residency Match, SOs and SAs access the Students and Graduates page in the R3 system to:

- Monitor applicants (both seniors and graduates) who have registered for the Match
- Withdraw sponsored applicants (MD and DO seniors) who are ineligible to enter GME on July 1 in the year of the Match
- Edit and update applicant graduation dates

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Match Home Page

My School: [Southwest School of Medicine](#)

Role: School Official

Username: [mmthompson](#)

My School

Students and Graduates

View Participation Status

There are **106** Applicants from your school in this Match.

✓ Review Applicants

Status	Seniors	Graduates	Total
INITIAL - Not yet completed Registration	7	0	7
ACTIVE - Complete Registration, no Rank Order List	95	4	99
RANKING - Rank Order List present, Not Certified	0	0	0
CERTIFIED - Ready for the Match	0	0	0
WITHDRAWN - Was withdrawn from the Match	0	0	0
Total Number of Applicants in School	102	4	106

You have loaded a list of **12** students to track Participation Status, of which **11** have not yet registered or been marked as Not Participating. Click this button to review and update this data.

✓ Review Participation Status

Managing Students & Graduates

Students and Graduates

My School: [Southwest School of Medicine](#)

Role: School Official

Username: [mmthompson](#)

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- Once the Graduation verification period begins on 08-Oct-24 you will see additional options on the screen

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Managing Students & Graduates

Students and Graduates

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Role: School Official

Username: [mmthompson](#)

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- You can withdraw any US Senior.
- Alternatively you may reinstate any US Senior.
- If an applicant's User Type is in "Graduate" you may edit their graduation date.
- Once the Graduation verification is complete, you may withdraw or reinstate the applicant.

Withdraw

You have selected to withdraw the following applicant from this Match:

Name: Battich, Taylor

AAMC ID: 42659741

USMLE ID: 5-555-555-5

Reason for Withdrawal: Please Select

Your Password: Please Select

Accepted Position Outside Any Match

Deceased

Deferred Residency

Delayed Graduation

Dismissed

Early Graduate

Early Match Position

Leave of Absence

Leaving Medicine

Military Match Position

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- If an applicant's User Type is in the "Inactive" state, you may reactivate them.
- Once the Graduation verification is complete, you may withdraw the applicant.

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Name: Battich, Taylor

AAMC ID: 42659741

USMLE ID: 5-555-555-5

Reason for Withdrawal: Delayed Graduation

Your Password:

Cancel

Withdraw Applicant

Managing Students & Graduates

Students and Graduates

My School: Southwest School of Medicine

Role: School Official

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Managing Students & Graduates

Students and Graduates

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Edit Graduation Date

You have selected to edit the Graduation date for the following applicant:

Name: Bailey, Robert

Applicant Type: MD Senior

AAMC ID: 74995212

USMLE ID: 5-555-555-5

Please edit the date as needed then click <Update Grad Date>.

Graduation Date: May 2025

Cancel Update Grad Date

Applicant Eligibility and Verification



Applicant Eligibility

Verification Begins February 1, 2027



Applicants must be registered in the NRMP and verified by March 3rd to participate in the Match and SOAP.

There is no separate SOAP registration.

To participate in the Match and SOAP, applicants must **register with NRMP**, and be **verified** as eligible to enter GME on July 1, 2027

- How an applicant is verified depends on applicant type:
 - ✓ Medical Schools verify eligibility for US MD and DO Seniors and Graduates
 - ✓ The ECFMG[®] verifies credentials of International Medical Graduates (IMGs)
- Either the school or the NRMP withdraws applicants whose credentials are not verified by the Rank Order List (ROL) Certification Deadline of **March 3, 2027**
- Each sponsoring institution (e.g., a teaching hospital) may have additional eligibility requirements

Verifying Graduation Credentials

- Begins when ranking opens on February 1 at 12:00 p.m. ET
- Applicants must meet all requirements for entry into GME as required by ACGME®
- Schools may have additional graduation requirements; eligibility status must be based on school- specific criteria
- Ineligible sponsored applicants must be withdrawn
- Do not withdraw applicants unless it is known CONCLUSIVELY they will not graduate on time to enter training on July 1
- Verification must be complete by the ranking deadline on March 3 at 9:00 p.m. ET

More in the Verifying Graduation Credentials webinar scheduled for January 12, 2027 at 1:00 pm ET

Medical School Match Fees

Ensures continued, comprehensive support placing students into residency

- Based on the number of senior students from each school or campus who register to participate
- Tiered, flat fee
- Invoiced at the conclusion of the Match
- Enter or update a billing contact when you register for the Match

Seniors Registered in the 2027 Main Residency Match	Total Fee
1 – 50	\$1,750
51 – 75	\$2,000
76 – 100	\$2,250
➤ 100	\$2,500

Applicant Match Process Overview



Applying to Programs

NRMP and the different application services are separate organizations with separate systems.

- AAMC's Electronic Residency Application Service (ERAS®)
- ResidencyCAS (OB/Gyn and Emergency Medicine)

Applicants apply and programs review applications and supporting materials in the application system used by the program, NOT in NRMP.

- NRMP is the matching service where applicants will register, rank programs, and receive Match results
- NRMP manages SOAP. SOAP applications are provided through the different application services

Programs and applicants register for both the application and the Match separately

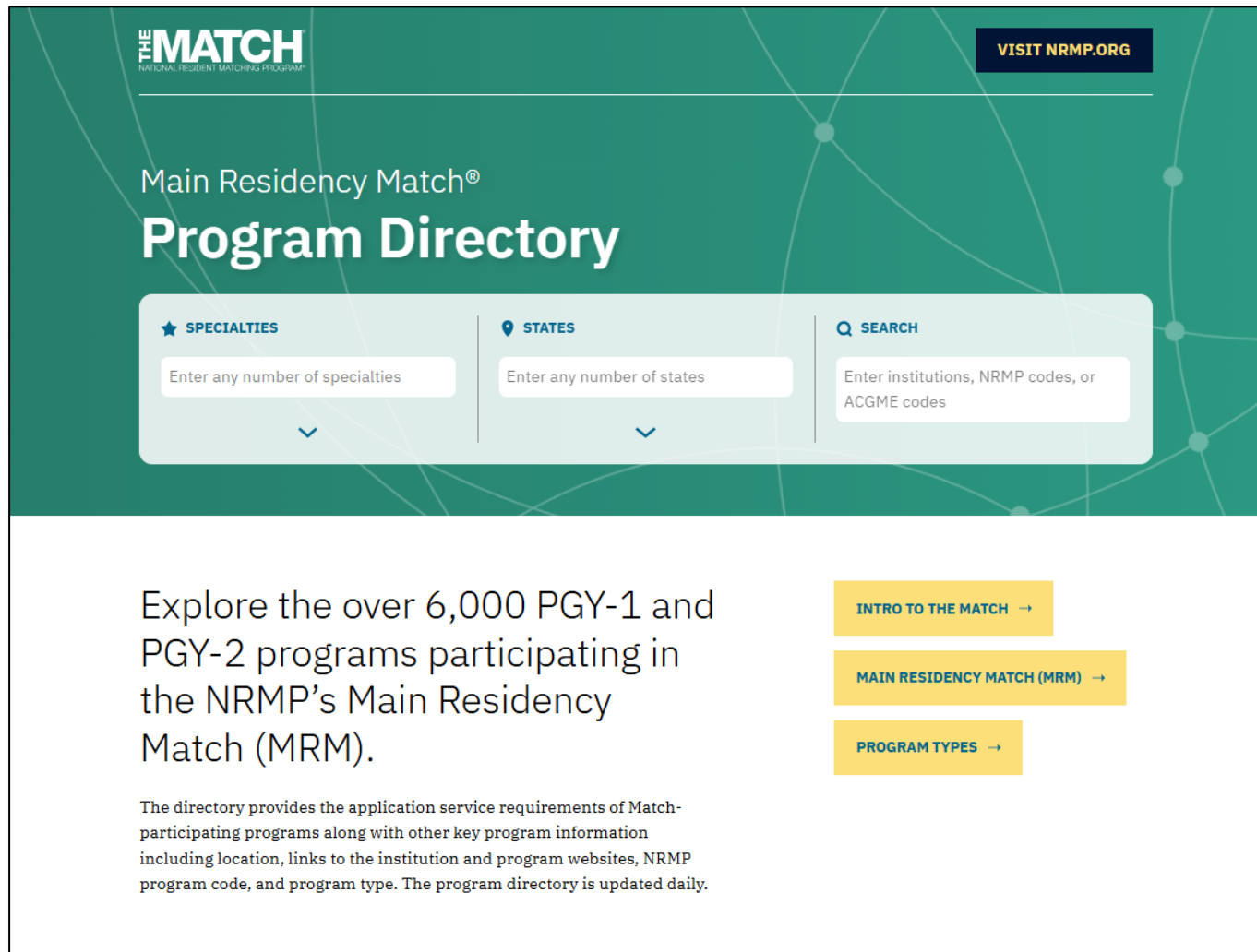


Types of Programs in the Match

Categorical	C	Training that is 3-7 years in length, begins in the PGY-1 year, and leads to specialty board certification.
Primary Care Categorical	M	Categorical programs in primary care offered by some <u>Internal Medicine</u> and <u>Pediatrics</u> programs.
Preliminary	P	Training that is one year in length in transitional, medicine, surgery, or other specialty programs and provides the prerequisite training for advanced programs.
Advanced	A	Training that is 3-4 years in length in specialty programs that begin after one or more years of preliminary training. Advanced positions in the 2027 Match are PGY-2 positions that begin in 2028.
Reserved-Physician	R	Training in specialty programs reserved for physicians with prior graduate medical education and who can enter advanced training in the year of the Match. Reserved-Physician positions in the 2027 Match are PGY-2 positions that begin in 2027.

NRMP Program Directory

programdirectory.nrmp.org



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Enter any number of specialties

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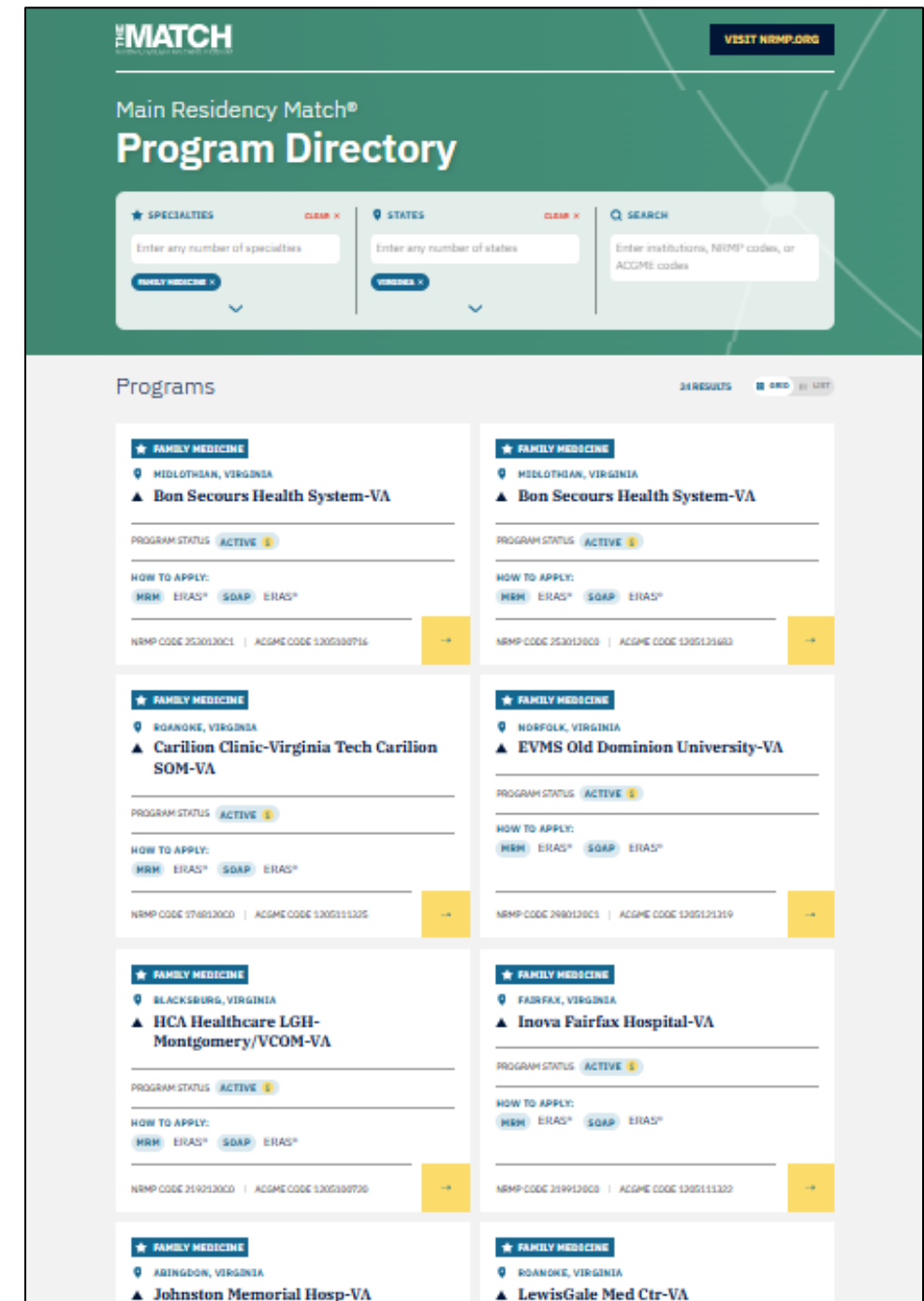
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[MAIN RESIDENCY MATCH \(MRM\) →](#)

[PROGRAM TYPES →](#)

Explore the over 6,000 PGY-1 and PGY-2 programs participating in the NRMP's Main Residency Match (MRM). The directory provides the application service requirements of Match-participating programs along with other key program information including location, links to the institution and program websites, NRMP program code, and program type. The program directory is updated daily.



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Programs

34 RESULTS

★ **FAMILY MEDICINE**
📍 MIDLOTHIAN, VIRGINIA
▲ **Bon Secours Health System-VA**

PROGRAM STATUS: **ACTIVE**

HOW TO APPLY: **MRM** ERAS[®] SOAP ERAS[®]

NRMP CODE 3530130C1 | ACGME CODE 1305130716

★ **FAMILY MEDICINE**
📍 MIDLOTHIAN, VIRGINIA
▲ **Bon Secours Health System-VA**

PROGRAM STATUS: **ACTIVE**

HOW TO APPLY: **MRM** ERAS[®] SOAP ERAS[®]

NRMP CODE 3530130C9 | ACGME CODE 1305131683

★ **FAMILY MEDICINE**
📍 ROANOKE, VIRGINIA
▲ **Carilion Clinic-Virginia Tech Carilion SOM-VA**

PROGRAM STATUS: **ACTIVE**

HOW TO APPLY: **MRM** ERAS[®] SOAP ERAS[®]

NRMP CODE 1748130C0 | ACGME CODE 1305131305

★ **FAMILY MEDICINE**
📍 NORFOLK, VIRGINIA
▲ **EVMS Old Dominion University-VA**

PROGRAM STATUS: **ACTIVE**

HOW TO APPLY: **MRM** ERAS[®] SOAP ERAS[®]

NRMP CODE 3480130C1 | ACGME CODE 1305131319

★ **FAMILY MEDICINE**
📍 BLACKSBURG, VIRGINIA
▲ **HCA Healthcare LGH-Montgomery/VCOM-VA**

PROGRAM STATUS: **ACTIVE**

HOW TO APPLY: **MRM** ERAS[®] SOAP ERAS[®]

NRMP CODE 2149130C0 | ACGME CODE 1305130736

★ **FAMILY MEDICINE**
📍 FAIRFAX, VIRGINIA
▲ **Inova Fairfax Hospital-VA**

PROGRAM STATUS: **ACTIVE**

HOW TO APPLY: **MRM** ERAS[®] SOAP ERAS[®]

NRMP CODE 2099130C0 | ACGME CODE 1305131320

★ **FAMILY MEDICINE**
📍 ABINGDON, VIRGINIA
▲ **Johnston Memorial Hosp-VA**

★ **FAMILY MEDICINE**
📍 ROANOKE, VIRGINIA
▲ **LewisGale Med Ctr-VA**

Voluntary Locking Functionality for Program Rank Order Lists (ROL)

Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, and Vascular Surgery are participating in the 2nd year of the pilot



Programs announce their intention to participate in the pilot



Lock could be implemented voluntarily by a program anytime after ranking opens and either before the first post-interview or by Feb.8

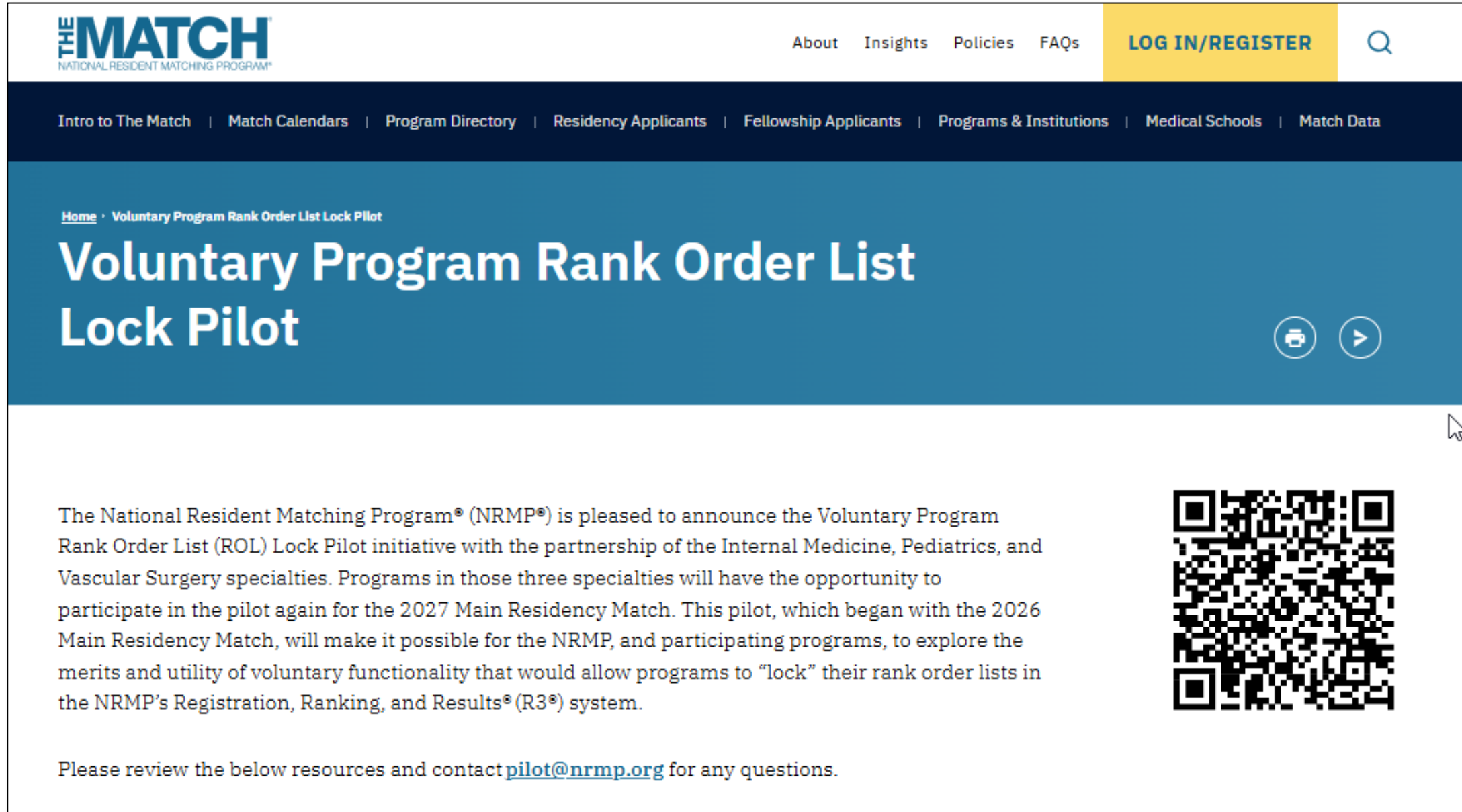


Program's participation and lock status will be indicated to applicants and medical schools in the NRMP's R3 system



ROL must be certified before being locked and once locked, the ROL cannot be changed. Locking is irreversible.

Please check out the website or contact pilot@nrmp.org with additional questions.



The screenshot shows the NRMP website. The top navigation bar includes the NRMP logo, links for About, Insights, Policies, and FAQs, a yellow 'LOG IN/REGISTER' button, and a search icon. Below this is a dark blue secondary navigation bar with links: Intro to The Match, Match Calendars, Program Directory, Residency Applicants, Fellowship Applicants, Programs & Institutions, Medical Schools, and Match Data. The main content area has a blue header with the breadcrumb 'Home > Voluntary Program Rank Order List Lock Pilot' and the title 'Voluntary Program Rank Order List Lock Pilot' in large white text. To the right of the title are icons for a printer and a right arrow. The body text explains the pilot initiative for Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, and Vascular Surgery specialties for the 2027 Main Residency Match. A QR code is positioned on the right side of the text. At the bottom, it asks users to review resources and contact pilot@nrmp.org for questions.

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Voluntary Program Rank Order List Lock Pilot

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The National Resident Matching Program® (NRMP®) is pleased to announce the Voluntary Program Rank Order List (ROL) Lock Pilot initiative with the partnership of the Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, and Vascular Surgery specialties. Programs in those three specialties will have the opportunity to participate in the pilot again for the 2027 Main Residency Match. This pilot, which began with the 2026 Main Residency Match, will make it possible for the NRMP, and participating programs, to explore the merits and utility of voluntary functionality that would allow programs to “lock” their rank order lists in the NRMP’s Registration, Ranking, and Results® (R3®) system.

Please review the below resources and contact pilot@nrmp.org for any questions.

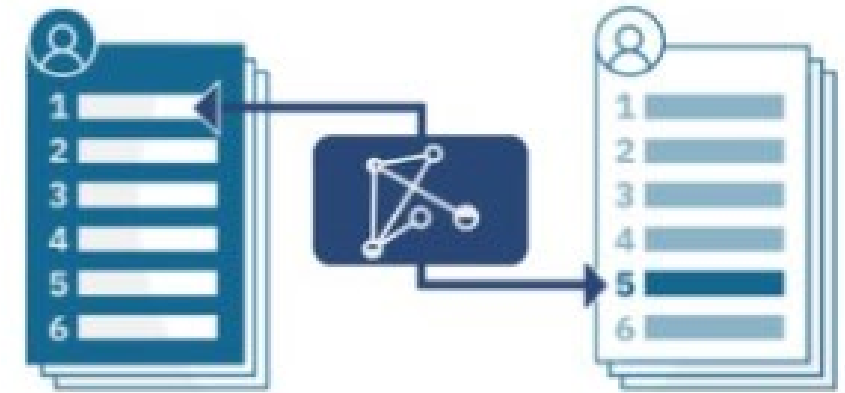
<https://www.nrmp.org/voluntary-program-rank-order-list-lock-pilot/>

Making the Match

The matching 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



Main Residency Match Week and SOAP

- Match Week is March 15 – 19, 2027
- Begins at 10:00 a.m. ET on Monday and ends at 12:00 p.m. ET on Friday when applicants and programs learn the results of the Match
- Positions unfilled after the matching algorithm has been processed are offered to eligible applicants through SOAP



What is SOAP?

SOAP is not another Match

Applicants apply to programs using ERAS, ResidencyCAS, or the application designated by the program



Programs review applications, contact applicants of interest, and express preferences with lists of applicants created in the R3 system



Unfilled positions are offered to eligible applicants on the program's preference list in a series of four rounds



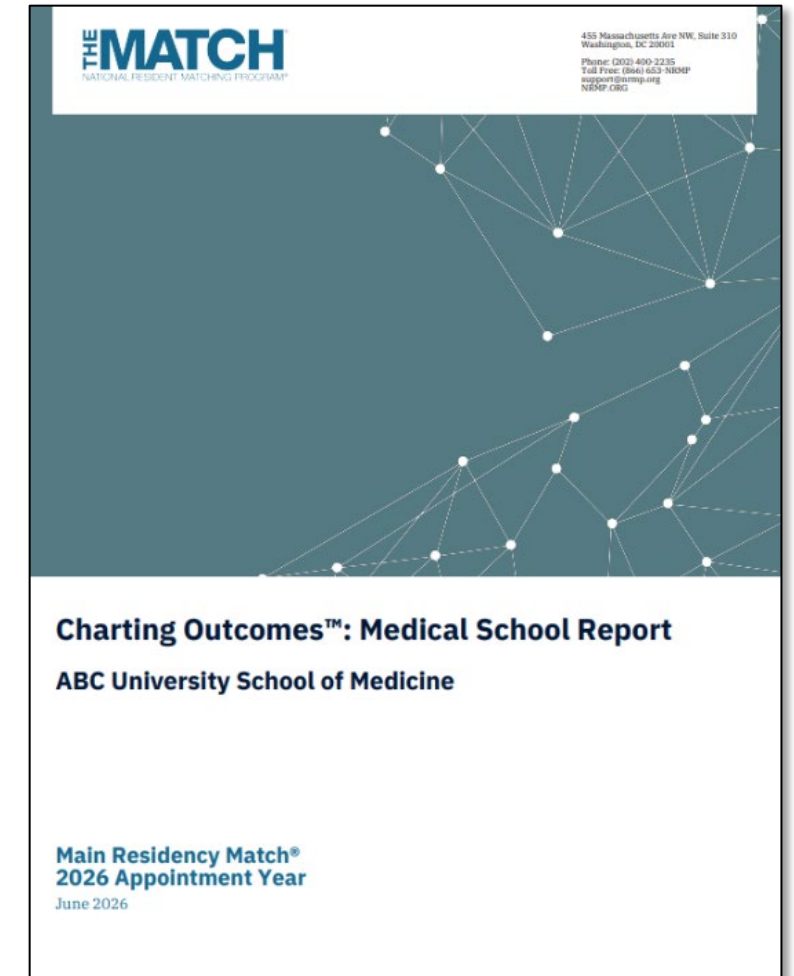
Positions offered and accepted constitute a binding commitment under the Match Participation Agreement

Resources and Support



R3 Reports

- **Updated!** Custom Report: *Charting Outcomes™: Medical School Report for the 2026 Main Residency Match®*
- *Characteristics of Matched Seniors*
- *Seniors/Graduates Registered in the Match*
- *Seniors with Certified Rank Order Lists/Seniors without Certified ROL*
- *Withdrawn Applicants/Withdrawn Seniors*



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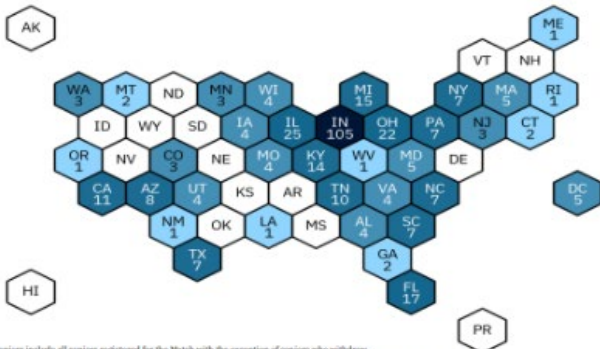
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2026 Main Residency Match: PGY-1 Match Summary for My School

Active Seniors	Seniors Matched	PGY-1 Match Rate
331	314	94.9%
‡ Registered Seniors	Seniors Placed †	PGY-1 Placement Rate †
335	325	97.0%
† Including SOAP		
Primary Care Placed IM, Peds, FM, IM/Peds	Top 5 Specialties Matched	Top 5 Institutions Placed
120	1. Internal Medicine 2. Pediatrics 3. Emergency Medicine 4. Psychiatry 5. Surgery-General	1. Indiana University SOM 2. Ascension St Vincent Hosp-IN 3. U Louisville SOM-KY 4. Parkview Health-IN 5. Vanderbilt Univ Med Ctr-TN
Seniors Matched In-State CALIFORNIA		
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Figure 1.1. Geographic distribution of my school seniors across the U.S. who were placed in a PGY-1 position in 2026 MRM.



Note:
 † Registered seniors include all seniors registered for the Match with the exception of seniors who withdrew.
 ‡ Placements (Placed) include seniors who matched and/or accepted a position in Supplemental Offer and Acceptance Program (SOAP).
 † Primary Care Placed represents school seniors who were placed in a categorical (C) or categorical primary care (M) position in one of the specialties: Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, Family Medicine, Medicine-Pediatrics.

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Table 1.1 presents five-year data of seniors who registered for the Match. Percent (%) column represents the percentage of seniors registered in the Match.

In 2026, your school had 338 seniors registered for the Match, with 331 active applicants (i.e. those who submitted a rank order list). This represents a 1.8% decrease in active applicants since 2025. Of the 331 active applicants, 94.9% matched to a PGY-1 position.

Table 1.1. Seniors registered in the Match, 2022 - 2026

Seniors	2022		2023		2024		2025		2026	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Active Seniors	322	98.5	341	98.3	330	97.9	337	98.5	331	97.9
Matched PGY-1	298	91.1	329	94.8	309	91.7	309	90.4	314	92.9
Unmatched PGY-1	24	7.3	12	3.5	21	6.2	28	8.2	17	5.0
Withdrew	3	0.9	4	1.2	4	1.2	3	0.9	3	0.9
No Rank List	2	0.6	2	0.6	3	0.9	2	0.6	4	1.2
Total	327	100.0	347	100.0	337	100.0	342	100.0	338	100.0

Note:
 † "Active Seniors" are seniors who submitted a rank order list.
 ‡ "Matched PGY-1" represents seniors who matched to a PGY-1 position.
 † "Unmatched PGY-1" represents seniors who did not match to a PGY-1 position. This includes seniors who have matched to an Advanced Only position.
 † "Withdrew" represents seniors who were withdrawn from the Match.
 † "No Rank List" represents seniors who registered for the Match but did not submit a certified rank order list.
 † Registered seniors include active, withdrawn and no rank list seniors.

Table 1.2 presents five-year data of Match outcomes by matched position type. Percent (%) column represents the percentage of total active seniors. In 2026, 91.5% of active seniors were fully matched.

Table 1.2. Senior Match outcomes by matched position type, 2022 - 2026

Match Outcome	2022		2023		2024		2025		2026	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Fully Matched	285	88.5	312	91.5	297	90.0	303	89.9	303	91.5
Categorical (C)	252	78.3	268	78.6	253	76.7	266	78.9	250	75.5
Primary (M)	1	0.3	1	0.3	3	0.9	1	0.3	2	0.6
Advanced and Preliminary (A+P)	32	9.9	43	12.6	41	12.4	36	10.7	51	15.4
Partially Matched	15	4.7	19	5.6	13	3.9	6	1.8	13	3.9
Preliminary Only (P)	13	4.0	17	5.0	12	3.6	6	1.8	11	3.3
Advanced Only (A)	2	0.6	2	0.6	1	0.3	0	0	2	0.6
Unmatched	22	6.8	10	2.9	20	6.1	28	8.3	15	4.5
Total	322	100.0	341	100.0	330	100.0	337	100.0	331	100.0

Note:
 † Data only represent positions secured through the NRMP's matching algorithm. Some partially matched and unmatched applicants may have secured training through SOAP (see Tables 1.4 and 1.5) or outside of the Main Residency Match.
 † Seniors who went unmatched or partially matched are eligible to participate in SOAP.

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Medical Licensure Exam Scores: USMLE®

This section summarizes United States Medical Licensing Examination® (USMLE) Step 2 Clinical Knowledge (CK) score trends of Match-registered school seniors who passed the Step 2 CK exam and consented to use their data for research and reporting purposes. All data is primary source through direct partnership with the USMLE program and its sponsor organizations. NRMP has been provided primary source USMLE data for Match registrants from 2022 onward.

Figure 3.1 presents five-year trends in USMLE Step 2 CK score of Match-registered school seniors.

Figure 3.1. USMLE Step 2 CK score trends, 2022 - 2026

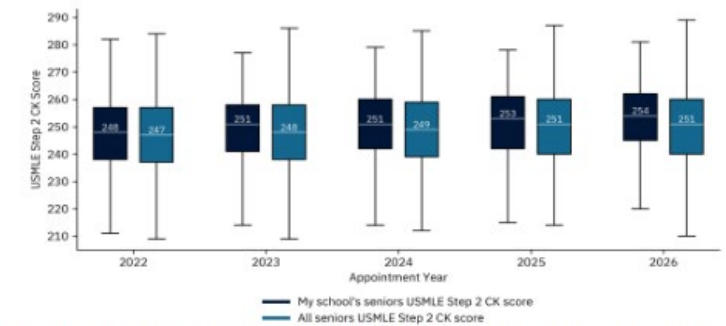


Table 3.1 presents key USMLE Step 2 CK score statistics for the school and all U.S. seniors who registered for the Match, passed the Step 2 CK exam, and consented to use of their data for research and reporting purposes. Appointment years that had fewer than five seniors are marked with an *.

Table 3.1. USMLE Step 2 CK score statistics, 2022 - 2026

Statistic	2022		2023		2024		2025		2026	
	My School's Seniors	All U.S. Seniors	My School's Seniors	All U.S. Seniors	My School's Seniors	All U.S. Seniors	My School's Seniors	All U.S. Seniors	My School's Seniors	All U.S. Seniors
N Value	266	20,135	294	19,920	286	19,847	286	20,913	267	20,564
Minimum	211	209	214	209	214	212	215	214	220	210
First Quartile (Q1)	238	237	241	238	242	239	242	240	245	240
Median (Q2)	248	247	251	248	251	249	253	251	254	251
Third Quartile (Q3)	257	257	258	258	260	259	261	260	262	260
Maximum	282	284	277	286	279	285	278	287	281	289
Mean	247	246	249	247	250	248	251	250	253	250
Standard Deviation	13	14	13	14	14	14	14	14	13	13

Note:
 † All numbers are rounded to the nearest whole number.

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Data Resources

- *Charting Outcomes™: Characteristics of Applicants Who Match to Their Preferred Specialty* (PDF and interactive versions)
- *Results and Data: 2026 Main Residency Match®*
- *Charting Outcomes™: Applicant Survey Results, 2026 Main Residency Match®*
- *Charting Outcomes™: Program Survey Results, 2026 Main Residency Match®*



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