# THE MATCH 2025

## Specialty Choice

Ophthalmology

### Military

#### Joint Service GME Selection Board (JSGMESB)

Applicants are encouraged to schedule a clerkship at the location they hope to do their residency

Each service has their own dates and deadlines for their applications

The board meets in late November to decide where applicants will go, with results released mid-December

Students who do not match will have time to enter the civilian match

Submit a separate rank order list through the NRMP

#### San Francisco Match (SFMATCH)

Applicant registration opens early July\*

The Centralized Application Service (CAS) opens to programs mid-September\*

The OSAC Registrar Unit uploads medical school transcript and the MSPE; the student uploads all other materials

Rank order list is due January\*

Results released Feb 4\*

Students who match in Ophthalmology may need preliminary or transitional year

Apply through ERAS to find a PGY1 position

Submit a separate rank order list through the NRMP

#### <u>Resources</u>

www.aamc.org/eras www.nrmp.org www.nrmp.org/soap sfmatch.org https://www.usuhs.edu/gme/ www.auanet.org https://help.liaisonedu.com/ResidencyCAS www.medicine.uiowa.edu/md/fourthyear Questions? Contact Annette Griffin annette-griffin@uiowa.edu/319-335-6823

#### Most Specialty Areas

Electronic Residency Application Service (ERAS)

MyERAS opens for students in early-June

ERAS for programs opens September 25 and they begin to download applications

#### The National Resident Matching Program (NRMP) opens September 15: this is a separate registration and fee

The Medical Student Performance Evaluation (MSPE) is released September 25

Interview offers may begin soon after September 25 and continue throughout the fall

Interviews may take place October through January (specialty dependent)

The NRMP Rank order list (ROL) certification deadline is March 5

Results are released the third Friday in March

For **Obstetrics and Gynecology**, students apply through

ResidencyCAS, but submit a rank order list through NRMP

For **Urology**, students apply to programs through ERAS, but submit a rank order list to the American Urological Association (AUA) match

ROLs are due in January\*

Results are released Feb 1\*

If a student is unmatched or partially unmatched (advanced but no PGY1/PGY1 but no advanced) they will participate in the Supplemental Offer and Acceptance Program (SOAP) during Match Week

SOAP allows unmatched students to apply to open positions through ERAS

\*consult listed websites for the most up-to-date information