

GENERAL RESIDENCY APPLICATION ADVISING CALENDAR

Oct 28, 2025	PoM 3: Introduction to Residency Applications; CV Writing; Mission& Brand
Nov 4, 2025	Workshop Series: Taking a Gap Year – Considerations and Planning (O)
Dec to Mar 24-25	<p>Advanced Clinical Phase Scheduling</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scheduling Workshops (see below) • OSA Scheduling Office Hours (December/January) • Specialty Specific Advising with Faculty/Peers at Junior-Senior Day (PoM3) • Scheduling completed in phases via series of MedScope Surveys <p>12/9 Workshop Series: Advanced Clinical Phase Scheduling (R)</p> <p>12/9 Workshop Series: Step 2 Registration and Timing (R)</p> <p>12/9 Workshop Series: Extramural Rotations (O)</p> <p>1/23 Workshop Series: Unique/International Rotations (O)</p> <p>2/3 PoM3: Overview of Specialty Advising, The Residency, The MSPE</p> <p>2/3 PoM3: Specialty Advising; Junior-Senior Day</p> <p>Asynchronous Workshop Series: Personal Statement Writing (O/Recording)</p>
Apr/May 2026	<p>OSA Advising: Specialty Specific Workshops</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialty-specific meetings to review general application strategies, competitiveness of specialty, and unique application aspects for your specialty
May/Jun/Jul 2025	<p>OSA Advising: 1:1 Advising Sessions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Schedule meetings with your OSA Advisor • Refine specialty choice, discuss Advanced Clinical Phase Schedule and review graduation requirements, review components of the residency application, discuss/review the MSPE, discuss application specifics including number of and which programs to apply to as well as contingency planning <p>5/20 Workshop Series: The Preliminary and Transitional Year Application</p> <p>7/20, 8/17 Workshop Series: Personal Statement Writing/Small Groups (O)</p> <p>6/2 Workshop Series: The Residency Application (O)</p> <p>ERAS Opens (Beginning of June)</p> <p>Deadline to take Step 2 – August 1, 2026</p>
Aug/Sep 2025	Interview Preparedness (O) and Mock Interview Program
Sep 2025	<p>Applicants can apply to programs through ERAS* (first Wed at 9 am EST)</p> <p>Programs can review applications (including the MSPE)* (fourth Wed at 9 AM EST)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Programs will see ALL applications at one time; while there is no specific benefit to applying/certifying your application early, we recommend certifying at least 48 hours before the deadline
Jan 2026	<p>Workshop Series: Post-Interview Advising: Etiquette, Rank Lists, and More (O)</p> <p>Register for NRMP/Main Match</p> <p>OSA Advising: Schedule a meeting with your OSA advisor to review the ROL</p>
Feb 2026	<p>Submit the Rank Order List (ROL) to NRMP ^</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students may begin submitting ROL (Usually Early Feb) • Deadline to submit the ROL (Usually End of Feb/Early Mar) <p>Complete OSA Advising Survey</p>
Mar 2026	4/8 Workshop Series: Match Week (R)
Mar 20, 2026	MATCH DAY!!!

R = Required; O = Optional ERAS/NRMP Dates for the upcoming cycle are pending/tentative

*ERAS <https://students-residents.aamc.org/applying-residencies-eras/applying-residencies-eras-system>

^NRMP <https://www.nrmp.org/>

Note: Workshop Series Dates/Times/Links/PPTs/Recordings can be found in the [RAM](#)