

2014 Main Residency Match® Opened September 15th

US Seniors

The *Main Residency Match* opened on September 15th. For information about The Match, including policies, the Match Participation Agreement for Applicants and Participating Programs, deadlines, and FAQs, please visit www.nrmp.org.

New in 2014

The *NRMP* has launched a new and improved website where you will find a comprehensive overview of the *NRMP* and the *Main Residency Match* process, a home page that includes the latest *NRMP* news and upcoming deadlines, and Match resources such as the *Main Residency Match* timeline, tutorials, and information about the Supplemental Offer and Acceptance Program[®].

Main Match Smartphone App

The MATCH™ Program Rating and Interview Scheduling Manager, or PRISM™, is a free downloadable smartphone APP from the NRMP that allows Main Residency Match applicants to track and organize programs during the interview process and develop program ratings that can be used to generate a rank order list in the NRMP's R3 system. The APP is available now in the Apple Store. An Android version will be released later this year.

R3 System

The NRMP's web-based Registration, Ranking, and Results® (R3®) system allows participants to register for The Match, create rank order lists, obtain Match results, and review Match statistics using any computer with Internet access. All information is in real time.

To ensure the highest level of security and confidentiality, only registered users can access the R3 system, using a unique email, username, and password.

At the conclusion of the **Main Residency Match**, the **NRMP** offers a dynamic List of Unfilled Programs within the **R3** system. Eligible unmatched applicants are able to access the List, which is updated continuously by the directors of unfilled programs to reflect the number of remaining open positions.

R3 Access

To access the R3 system:

- Open a web browser and go to the R3 system.
- Log in to Option 2 by selecting "Register".
- Follow the on-screen instructions to create a username and password of your choice. The NRMP is unable to retrieve your unique login information, and you must reset your password if you forget it.
- Complete the registration process by entering your profile information and agreeing to the Match Participation
 Agreement. If you list a personal email account (e.g. Gmail) with the NRMP, be sure to remove all filters that may
 assign incoming NRMP email to a SPAM folder.

IMPORTANT: NRMP and ERAS® are separate organizations and you must register for each service.

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2014 Main Residency Match Schedule of Dates

September 15, 2013 Match Opens

November 30, 2013 Applicant Early Registration Deadline

Applicants may register for \$60 until 11:59 p.m. eastern time. Applicants who register after November 30 must pay an additional \$50 late fee until February 26, 2014, when

registration closes.

January 15, 2014 Ranking Opens

Applicants and program directors may start entering their rank order lists at 12:00 p.m. ET.

January 31, 2014 Quota Change Deadline

Program directors must finalize the number of positions to be offered in The Match or

withdraw their programs by 11:59 p.m. ET.

February 26, 2014 Rank Order List Deadline

Applicants and program directors must certify their rank order lists by 9:00 p.m. ET.

Withdrawal Deadline

Non-US Seniors who have accepted a position through another national matching plan or by

agreement outside the NRMP must withdraw before 9:00 p.m. ET.

March 17, 2014 SOAP begins at 12:00 p.m. ET.

March 20, 2014 SOAP concludes at 5:00 p.m. ET.

March 21, 2014 Match Day!

Match results for applicants are posted in the R3 system at 1:00 p.m. ET.

Match Participation Agreement

During registration, you will be asked to read and electronically sign the **NRMP**'s Match Participation Agreement, a legally binding contract that outlines the conditions for participation in an **NRMP** Match. The **NRMP** considers a match between an applicant and a program to be a binding commitment.

Match participants cannot complete the registration process without electronically signing the Match Agreement. You may review the <u>Match Participation Agreement</u> on our website.

Support and Resources

The **NRMP** website is the primary source of information about the **Main Residency Match** and all Fellowship Matches. Of particular interest are the <u>Frequently Asked Questions</u>. Also available are <u>Data and Reports</u>, the <u>Main Residency Match</u> timeline, and information about <u>SOAP</u>.

Contact Us

For personalized assistance, Help Desk specialists are available Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. eastern time, via email at support@nrmp.org, or by calling our toll-free number at 866-653-NRMP (6767).

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Note Registration fee update from \$50 to \$60 for early registration (registration prior to November 30); an additional \$50 fee for registrations after November 30.