

SOAP Prep Session

UW SCHOOL OF MEDICINE CAREER ADVISING, FAMILY MEDICINE, INTERNAL MEDICINE,
SURGERY, & STUDENT AFFAIRS

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Agenda

- Welcome
- SOAP Support Team
- SOAP & Match Week Schedule
- Application Logistics
- Advice from Specialty and Career Advisors
- Student Q&A

Welcome



SOAP Support Team

- Dr. Maya Sardesai, Assistant Dean for Student Development
- Specialty Career Advisors
- Career Advisors (Sarah Thomson, Tonja Brown, & Linh Ngo)
- General Student Affairs (Sarah Wood, Nick Cheung, & Rachel Palfini)
- Counseling Services (Cliff Kelly & Nathalie Hovatta)
- College Mentors
- Regional Deans

You are not alone in this process



We are here to support you

SOAP & Match Week Schedule

- SOAP runs from Monday, March 14-Thursday, March 17. Match Day is Friday, March 18.
- All unmatched students are excused from clerkship responsibilities for the week to participate in SOAP.
 - Student Affairs will communicate with the clerkship director and administrator (who will then inform the site).
 - It is the prerogative of the clerkship director to determine if and when students will make up the missed clinical duties.
- Advisors will be available to support students throughout the week during business hours.
- Emails will be sent at regularly scheduled intervals throughout the week to walk you through the process.

SOAP & Match Week Schedule

Monday

6am PT: Applicants notified of their match status; list of unfilled programs is available in NRMP R3 system

6:45am PT: Conference call for unmatched applicants & advisors

7am PT: ERAS opens to applicants – no communication with programs is allowed

All Day: Consult with advisors; connect with mentors and counselors; conduct mock interviews

- Students are excused from clerkship responsibilities to check their match status.
- Match statuses will be available in the NRMP R3 system and via email.
 - *Congratulations! You have matched!*
 - *Congratulations! You have matched to a one year position.*
 - *Congratulations! You have matched to an advanced position but not a first year position.*
 - *We are sorry, you did not match to any position.*
- UWSOM hosts a conference call for unmatched applicants and advisors at 6:45am PT – all unmatched applicants should join this call
- ERAS opens at 7am PT, however unmatched applicants should wait to apply until later in the day and after they have consulted with specialty & career advisors

SOAP & Match Week Schedule

Tuesday	Wednesday
5am PT: Applications released to program	Interviews continue
Interviews begin and continue through the day No one may contact a program on your behalf until the program contacts you	

- Applications are released to programs very early on Tuesday.
- Applicants should be prepared to interview via phone call or Zoom at any time on Tuesday and Wednesday.
- No one may contact the program on your behalf until the program initiates contact with you.
- No offers or commitments can be extended during this time.

SOAP & Match Week Schedule

Thursday
6-8am PT: Offer round #1
9-11am PT: Offer round #2
12-2pm PT: Offer round #3
3-5pm PT: Offer round #4
6pm PT: SOAP ends; list of unfilled programs available

- Applicants do not submit rank lists during SOAP.
- Offers are extended via the NRMP R3 system. You will receive a notification once all offers have been extended.
- Applicants may receive more than one offer.
- You have until the end of the round to make a decision to accept the offer. All offers expire at the end of the round – they do not carry over into the next offer round.
- Once an offer is accepted, it is contractually binding.

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6am PT: Applicants notified of their match status; list of unfilled programs is available in NRMP R3 system	5am PT: Applications released to program	Interviews continue	6-8am PT: Offer round #1	9am PT: match results released online & at school ceremonies
6:45am PT: Conference call for unmatched applicants & advisors	Interviews begin and continue through the day		9-11am PT: Offer round #2	
7am PT: ERAS opens to applicants – no communication with programs is allowed	No one may contact a program on your behalf until the program contacts you		12-2pm PT: Offer round #3	
All Day: Consult with advisors; connect with mentors and counselors; conduct mock interviews			3-5pm PT: Offer round #4	
			6pm PT: SOAP ends; list of unfilled programs available	

Application Logistics

- Applicants can apply to up to 45 programs during SOAP.
- If you applied to a program during the regular season and they have an opening in SOAP, you can reapply during SOAP.
- If you applied via ERAS earlier this year, there is no fee to apply to programs during SOAP.
- You can view the list of unfilled programs that you are eligible for in the NRMP R3 system under the “SOAP” tab.
 - Only unmatched applicants will be able to view this list.
 - You will see only those programs that you are eligible for (e.g. categorical, or prelim or advanced only)

Unfilled Programs

Specialty	Unfilled Programs	Unfilled Positions
Anesthesiology - A	8	18
Anesthesiology - C	10	53
Anesthesiology - R	5	6
Child Neurology - A	2	2
Child Neurology - C	0	0
Child Neurology - R	9	9
Dermatology - A	3	4
Family Medicine - C	67	141
Internal Medicine - C	35	128
Internal Medicine - P	28	67

Specialty	Unfilled Programs	Unfilled Positions
Pathology-Anatomic and Clinical - C	31	54
Pediatrics - C	12	44
Pediatrics - M	1	1
Pediatrics - P	4	5
Pediatrics/Anesthesiology - C	1	1
Pediatrics/Emergency Medicine - C	1	1
Pediatrics/Medical Genetics - C	1	1
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation - C	1	1
Plastic Surgery (Integrated) - C	2	2
Psychiatry - C	2	3

Unfilled Programs

California	Program Code	ACGME Code	Currently Unfilled
UC San Diego Med Ctr-CA Emergency Med/Military Leslie Oyama	1049110C1	1100521080	1
Michigan	Program Code	ACGME Code	Currently Unfilled
Garden City Hospital-MI Emergency Medicine Hao Nguyen	2106110C0	1102500211	0

Details to Pay Attention To When Reviewing Programs

Oregon Health & Science Univ
Med-Prelim/Neurology
Edward Kim

UC San Diego Med Ctr-CA
Emergency Med/Military
Leslie Oyama

LSUHSC-Shreveport-LA
Family Med/N Caddo
Luke Baudoin

Medical College of Georgia
Int Med/Research Clinician
Alyce Oliver

Additional Resources

- NRMP > Residency Applicants > SOAP (<https://www.nrmp.org/residency-applicants/soap/>)
- SOM Career Advisors
 - [Scheduling link for Career Advising](#)
 - Email: medadv@uw.edu
- [Specialty Career Advisors](#)

You have a large support team here at
UWSOM

We are here for you!