2024 SOAP®: ERAS Schedule

AAMC | Electronic Residency Application Service

Monday

March 11

7:30 a.m. ET
Applicants: MyERAS® application closes
Programs: PDWS closes

11 a.m. ET
Applicants: MyERAS application opens for SOAP® (SOAP applicants have 45 applications starting now through Thursday 9 p.m. ET)
Schools: DWS opens

Tuesday

March 12

8 a.m. ET
Programs: PDWS opens (Except ACGME residency programs that filled in the Main Match® or elected to not participate in SOAP)

11:30 a.m. ET
Programs: Can begin creating preference list in NRMP® R3 system

Wednesday

March 13

All Day
Applicants continue to apply to programs.

Programs continue to review applications in the PDWS and update preference lists in the NRMP® R3® system.

Thursday

March 14

9-11 a.m. ET
NRMP SOAP Round 1

12-2 p.m. ET
NRMP SOAP Round 2

3-5 p.m. ET
NRMP SOAP Round 3

6-8 p.m. ET
NRMP SOAP Round 4

9 p.m. ET
SOAP Ends; ERAS® system resumes normal operations
Programs: PDWS is opened for all programs

NRMP Releases unfilled program list to applicants

NRMP releases Confidential Roster of Matched Applicants to Programs

Friday

Match Day—March 15

12 p.m. ET
School ceremonies begin

12 p.m. ET
Applicants: Find out where they matched through the NRMP R3 system and email

Note: Fully matched programs participating in the Main Residency Match® will not have access to the PDWS until after SOAP (Thursday, March 14, 9 pm ET).