

2026 Urology Secondary Match: Tuesday, Jan. 27 – Monday, Feb. 2, 2026

ERAS® Guide and Checklist for the Secondary Urology Match and Rolling Offer Process:

Overview of the Secondary Urology Match Process

The Society of Academic Urologists (SAU), the Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) (Electronic Residency Application Service® (ERAS®), and the American Urological Association (AUA) are working together to streamline the Urology recruitment and match process. The Secondary Urology Match is an additional opportunity after the AUA match algorithm is rendered for unfilled programs to offer positions to unmatched applicants. The process begins after the AUA match algorithm is rendered and unfilled programs and unmatched applicants are notified. Interviews are extended during the first part of the process, and the Secondary Urology Match ends when all unfilled programs have finalized offers in a rolling offer process on **Monday, Feb. 9, 9 a.m. ET**.

Pre-Tasks and Preparation

SAU and AUA eligibility criteria for Secondary Urology Match participation:

- Registered for the American Urology Association and submitted a rank order list by December 29, 2025.
- Eligible to enter Graduate Medical Education (GME) on July 1, 2026, as verified by medical school or Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates (ECFMG).
- Applied to at least one Urology program via the MyERAS portal.
- Unmatched on **Wednesday, Jan. 28**.

Preparation and optional tasks:

- Update your Personal Information in the MyERAS application as needed and add your AUA ID if you have not already done so.
- Update or add a new personal statement(s) or letters of recommendation (LoRs).

Tuesday, Jan. 27

9 a.m. ET — Urology programs learn from the AUA (by email) whether they are filled or have unfilled positions available. Programs are unable to access the ERAS PDWS System. Programs with filled positions are set to **No Longer Accepting** applications in the ERAS system.

Newly accredited programs and programs with newly approved positions reach out to the SAU and AUA (by email) to participate in the Secondary Urology Match.

9 a.m. ET — Secondary Urology Match begins. Applicants learn from the AUA (by email) whether they are fully matched, or unmatched.

Applicant Tips:

- You may reapply to programs you applied to during the 2026 ERAS® season, as well as apply to new programs. Please note, the program must be participating in the Secondary Urology Match and have unfilled positions that you are eligible for.

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- Select the track name **Rolling Offer** for each of the programs you are applying to, including those you are applying to for the first time, and those you are re-applying to for the Secondary Urology Match.
- Only unfilled Urology programs participating in the Secondary Urology Match will display in the MyERAS portal as accepting applications. Use the search filter option for **Accepting Applications**.
- Remember to assign documents to programs you are applying to for the first time and resend your USMLE and/or COMLEX-USA board transcripts to programs you are re-applying to if there are new scores for their consideration.

ERAS Application Cap and Fees During Secondary Urology Match:

- Application fees are waived during the Secondary Urology Match up until **Monday, Feb. 2 at 9 a.m. ET**.
- There is no cap on the number of applications during the Secondary Urology Match.

Wednesday, Jan. 28

9 a.m. ET — Unfilled Urology programs gain access to the Program Directors WorkStation (PDWS) and may begin to review eligible applicants.

All Day — Unmatched applicants may continue to apply to unfilled Urology programs and receive interviews.

Program Tips:

- Applicants may reapply to programs to be re-considered during the Secondary Urology Match. Make sure to review their documents in consideration of potentially new content.
- Please use the PDWS filter criteria for the **Rolling Offer** track to identify eligible applicants. You may refer to the [PDWS Rolling Track Filter job aid](#).
- Programs utilizing Thalamus Cortex for their review may refer to the PDWS system for eligible applicants in the Secondary Urology Match.
- Once you have finalized your interview offers, you may update your program status in the Program Management tab to **No Longer Accepting** applications.
- Per the SAU Match regulations, you may not offer positions and may not notify the candidates until **after 9 a.m. ET, Monday, Feb. 2**, at which point the rolling offer process begins.

Thursday, Jan. 29 – Sunday, Feb. 1

All Day — Unfilled Urology programs may continue to review applications, select candidates for interview, and conduct interviews.

All Day — Unmatched applicants may continue to apply to unfilled Urology programs and receive interviews.

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Monday, February 2

9 a.m. ET — AUA match results are shared with filled programs (by email). Remaining unfilled Urology programs are set to “No Longer Accepting Applications” by the ERAS system.

The Secondary Urology Match process begins for unfilled programs. Programs may complete their interviews, offer positions, and notify the SAU of who they matched.

9 a.m. ET — The MyERAS system resumes normal operations for applicants and the regular ERAS fee structure is reinstated. AUA match results are shared with matched applicants (by email).

The Secondary Urology Match process begins for unmatched applicants. Applicants may continue to attend interviews as needed and may now accept offers from programs.

Program Tips:

- Programs may continue to conduct interviews during the Secondary Urology Match process **after 9 a.m. ET, Monday, Feb. 2.**
- The Secondary Urology Match ends **Monday, Feb. 9, 9 a.m. ET.**

Frequently Asked Questions

Do applicants have to apply in the MyERAS portal to Urology programs prior to the Secondary Urology Match process?

- Yes, applicants will need to have applied to at least one Urology program in the MyERAS portal to participate in the AUA Match and will also need to have submitted a rank order list by December 29, 2025 to participate in the Secondary Urology Match.

What will happen if all Urology programs are filled prior to the Secondary Urology Match?

- Applicants and programs will receive final AUA Match results by email on **Monday, Feb. 2.**

Contact Support

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AAMC ERAS Program:

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- Social Media: @ERASinfo

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