General Residency Application Time Line and Checklist

April (Junior Year) – March (Senior Year)

Suggested Timeline *(check with your dean's office for specific recommendations)*	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR
☐ Review specialty and residency materials	▬	▬	▬									
☐ Finalize senior electives	▬	▬										
☐ Arrange MSPE interview (depending on your school's schedule)	▬	▬	▬	▬	▬	▬						
☐ Write to residencies for program information, requirements and deadlines.	▬	▬	▬	▬	▬	▬						
☐ Request application materials from programs not participating in ERAS	▬	▬	▬	▬	▬							
☐ Contact your designated dean's office for key ERAS and NRMP timelines.	▬	▬	▬	▬								
☐ Contact your designated dean's office to receive your ERAS token and applicant instructions		▬	▬									
☐ Register with MyERAS (MyERAS opens July 1 for all applicants				▬	▬							
☐ Prepare Common Application Form using the *My Application* feature of MyERAS				▬	▬	▬						
☐ Request and assign USMLE transcripts and Letters of Recommendation (LOR) and Personal Statement(s) using *My Documents* feature of MyERAS.				▬	▬	▬						
☐ Register with NRMP (opens August 15)				▬	▬	▬	▬	▬				
☐ Request dean's MSPE/letter, transcript, letters of references are sent to programs not participating in ERAS					▬	▬	▬					
☐ November 1 – Uniform release date for dean's letter/MSPE								X				
☐ September 1 – Residency applicants my begin applying to programs						▬	▬	▬				
☐ Schedule program interview					▬	▬	▬	▬	▬			
☐ Interview at programs						▬	▬	▬	▬	▬		
☐ Follow-up correspondence						▬	▬	▬	▬	▬		
☐ Go to www.NRMP.org to enter your Rank Order List – deadline for submission.										▬	▬	
☐ **MATCH DAY** (mid-March) for Main Match. Dates vary for fellowship matches.												X