SCREENING APPLICANTS FOR MATCH VIOLATION HISTORY

Programs MUST verify that any applicant who may have previously applied through the NRMP has not been sanctioned for a Match violation PRIOR TO INTERVIEWING the applicant. This is not an issue for medical students who are obviously applying to the Match for the first time. It is an issue for applicants who have previously graduated from Medical School.

The policy is stated below and the sanctions are severe. The way you can check is to log in to the NRMP site. On the left nav you will see a button:

APPLICANT MATCH HISTORY

This brings up the policy below and a search button to find the applicant: Search Applicant

Enter the Last Name, First Name, or AAMC ID Number.

The Search will indicate if the individual has a violation:

- This Applicant was found to be in violation of the NRMP Match Participation Agreement. For further information, please call the NRMP at 202-828-0676.
- This Applicant was found to be in violation of the NRMP Match Participation Agreement. For further information, please use the Applicant Match History that is accessible from the left menu bar.

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Programs shall not discuss with an applicant or offer any potential position unless the program has first determined that the applicant is eligible for appointment. NRMP institutional officials and program directors shall determine the applicant's eligibility verifying the applicant's PGY-1, PG-2, or fellowship match status in the Applicant Match History. The Applicant Match History also will indicate whether an applicant has a waiver or violation history. Applicant information is reflected permanently in the Applicant Match History. Term limits of any sanction(s) are included to identify the length of time the sanction is in effect.

Note: The NRMP Match Participation Agreement prohibits a program from discussing or offering a position to an applicant who matched to a concurrent year position in another program. In addition, if an applicant requests a waiver of the match commitment and the NRMP denies the request, the applicant is expected to accept the matched position. If the NRMP denies an applicant's waiver request and the applicant does not accept the matched position, the applicant may be barred from accepting a position in another NRMP match-participating program if that program has a start within one year from the date of the NRMP's decision. The applicant also may be barred from accepting a position in any NRMP match-participating program for a period of one year if he/she is found to have violated the Match Participation Agreement. Any program that discusses or offers a position to that applicant to commence training during the one-year period will be in violation of the Match Participation Agreement.
Applicant

Name: XXXXXXX
School: XXXX University School of Medicine (   )

History of Matches

Main Residency Match 2008

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Waiver

No waiver found.

Violation

Statement: In the 2008 Main Residency Match, XXXXXXX, M.D. matched to the Psychiatry program at XXXXX University Medical Center. Dr. XXXXXXX did not honor his binding match commitment.

Sanction: The NRMP has barred Dr. XXXXXXX from accepting a position in an NRMP match-participating program until 3/13/2010, barred him from participation in future matches until 3/13/2010, and has identified him as a match violator in the NRMP's Registration, Ranking, and Results (R3) System until 3/13/2010.