

# PLASTIC SURGERY

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Which clerkships are required for students to match into this specialty?

Plastic Surgery

At what point in the interview season should a student consider applying to more residency programs in your specialty?

Should apply widely early

At what point should a student consider applying to a backup specialty?

We recommend all students consider a backup and should discuss with members of the department if considering foregoing a backup

Recognizing that it can vary from year to year, when is the typical interview season for this specialty nationally?

Very important to get to know members of the Plastic Surgery department, reach out early

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	Extremely important	Very important	Moderately important	Slightly important	Not at all important
Achieving "Honors" in this specialty's clerkship rotation	*				
Completing a preceptorship in this specialty					*
Completing an active internship and electives in this specialty	*				
Completing an away rotation in this specialty	*				
Completing a research project in this specialty	*				
Completing a research project in any specialty			*		
Having a published abstract or poster presentation	*				
Having at least one published paper in a peer reviewed journal	*				
Having a Step 1 USMLE score above 230	*				
Having a Step 2 USMLE score before ERAS submission					*
1 letter of recommendation from a physician in this specialty	*				
3 letters of recommendation from physicians in this specialty	*				
1 letter of recommendation from a research mentor				*	
1 letter of recommendation from a department chair in this specialty	*				
Participation in community services				*	
Service in a leadership role			*		