

The Ohio State University and Nationwide Children's Hospital Internal Medicine and Pediatrics Residency Application Expectations 2020-2021

Program Name:

The Ohio State University Internal Medicine and Pediatrics Residency Training Program

Size of intern class: 10

Application Process: Applications are comprehensively reviewed before offering invitation to interview with focus on rotation performance, extracurricular activities including volunteerism, research, global health, education and leadership roles, personal statement, letters of recommendation, and awards/recognitions

Number and types of letters of recommendations: 3-4

Suggestions for letters include:

- Internal Medicine Department letter, clerkship director letter or equivalent and/or
- Pediatrics Department letter, clerkship director letter or equivalent
- Letters from two faculty, ideally those able to attest to your skills in pediatrics and/or internal medicine. We understand that many students have had their schedule disrupted due to the COVID pandemic. It is perfectly acceptable to have letters from non-internal medicine, pediatric or combined trained faculty who can attest to the qualities that make you an excellent residency candidate

Application review/invite timeline: Anticipate extending interview offers as early as one week after ERAS opening with tentative plans to interview 1-2 times weekly (generally on Mondays) Nov. through Jan.

Approach to Step 1: Step 1 is not used as a cut off or primary filter to determine candidates

Approach to Step 2: Step 2 should be taken prior to matriculation into residency

Post-Interview Communication Policy: We abide by the Alliance of Academic Internal Medicine (AAIM) post-interview communication policy for Internal Medicine recruitment. We value all applicants and by virtue of the invitation to interview consider interviewed applicants excellent residency candidates. As such we do not contact students after the interview day. Thank You letters from applicants are not necessary and do not factor into the selection process. Post-interview queries are welcomed and should be sent to our program coordinator, Delana Vanover (Delana.Vanover@nationwidechildrens.org) who will distribute questions to the appropriate parties (residents, program directorate etc).

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