

Program Name: University of Illinois College of Medicine - Chicago

Size of intern class: 4

Application Process: All application submissions to our program must be via ERAS. We select all incoming interns via the Match. If you have not received an invitation to interview by late November and have a strong interest in our program, you may reach out to us at that point to request that we reconsider your application.

Number and types of letters of recommendations: We request you submit 3-4 letters of recommendation, at least 2 of which should ideally detail your clinical skills. We do not require department letters. We do understand that not all letters of recommendation will be available once ERAS opens, but we do desire to have at least 1 letter (ideally a clinical letter) be available at the time of our application review.

Application review/invite timeline: We will begin reviewing applications within a week of ERAS opening to programs with a tentative plan to start sending interview invitations by early-to-mid November. We send invitations in batches to ensure interview availability for interested applicants. Interviews will take place starting mid-to-late November through early-to-mid January. Our specific interview dates have not been selected.

Approach to Step 1: We accept both COMLEX and USMLE scores. We do not have a specific Step 1 score cut-off, but we prioritize applicants who pass Step 1 on their initial attempt.

Approach to Step 2: We accept both COMLEX and USMLE scores. We do not have a specific Step 2 CK score cut-off, but we prioritize applicants who pass Step 2 CK on their initial attempt.

Post-Interview Communication Policy: Unless we have a specific question or request regarding your application, we do not initiate, expect, and in general we discourage post-interview communication.

Contact Information: Best program contact is Chanel Brown, our program coordinator, cbrown@uic.edu.