Association of Schools and Colleges of Optometry
OPTOMETRY RESIDENCY MATCH (ORMatch)

Summary Results of ORMatch for Positions Beginning in 2023

APPLICANTS

Participation

Applicants Registered for ORMatch	467
Applicants Submitting Applications	449
Applicants Who Withdrew or Did Not Submit Ranks	58
Applicants Participating in the Match	409

Match Results

Applicants Matched	321	(78%)
Participating Applicants Not Matched	88	(22%)

Applications

Applications Submitted	2095
Average Number of Applications Submitted Per Applicant	
Matched Applicants	4.9
Unmatched Applicants (including withdrawn and no ranks submitted)	4.1
Overall	4.7

Rankings

Average Number of Rankings Submitted Per Applicant	
Matched Applicants	3.4
Unmatched Applicants	2.5
Overall	3.2

PROGRAMS

Participation

Residency Sites Participating in ORMatch	286
Programs Participating in ORMatch	298
Programs Receiving Applications	290
Positions Offered in the Match	526

Note: A residency site can offer more than one "program" in the Match. Each "program" is identified in the Match by a unique 5-digit code number. Programs that have no applicants to rank but intend to offer positions in the Post-Match Process are included in the number of participating programs.

Match Results

Positions Filled in the Match	321	(61%)
Positions Remaining Unfilled	205	(39%)
Programs Filled in the Match	159	(53%)
Programs Remaining Unfilled	139	(47%)

Notes: No ranks were submitted for 38 positions in 32 programs. These positions and programs remained unfilled and are included in the counts above.

Applications

Number of Applications Received Per Position	
Programs Filling All Positions	6.3
Programs with Unfilled Positions	2.5
Average for All Programs	4.5

Rankings

Number of Applicants Ranked Per Position Offered	
Programs Filling All Positions	4.1
Programs with Unfilled Positions	1.7
Average for All Programs	3.0