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

Summary Results of ORMatch for Positions Beginning in 2024

APPLICANTS

Participation		
Applicants Registered for ORMatch	522	
Applicants Submitting Applications	505	
Applicants Who Withdrew or Did Not Submit Ranks	48	
Applicants Participating in the Match	474	
Match Results		
Applicants Matched	367	(77%)
Participating Applicants Not Matched	107	(23%)
Applications		
Applications Submitted	2479	
Average Number of Applications Submitted Per Applicant		
Matched Applicants	5.0	
Unmatched Applicants (including withdrawn and no ranks submitted)	4.7	
Overall	4.9	
Rankings		
Average Number of Rankings Submitted Per Applicant		
Matched Applicants	3.5	
Unmatched Applicants	2.9	
Overall	3.3	

PROGRAMS

Participation

285
295
294
522

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	367	(70%)
Positions Remaining Unfilled	155	(30%)
Programs Filled in the Match	194	(66%)
Programs Remaining Unfilled	101	(34%)

Notes: No ranks were submitted for 23 positions in 19 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	6.9
Programs with Unfilled Positions	2.9
Average for All Programs	5.5
Rankings	
Number of Applicants Ranked Per Position Offered	
Programs Filling All Positions	4.3
Programs with Unfilled Positions	1.8
Average for All Programs	3.5