

Match Day 2026 - By the Numbers

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Simone Jacob (center) celebrated with loved ones after opening her Match letter. Jacob, from California, will be heading home to train at Kaiser Permanente Oakland.

Match Day is the culmination of four (or more!) years of hard work. Here are the statistics from Match Day 2026 at Tulane University School of Medicine.

189 4th-year medical students matched to programs in 33 states.

Top States:

Louisiana: 26
California: 24
New York: 20
Illinois: 17
Texas: 14
Florida: 13
Maryland/D.C.: 12
Pennsylvania: 6
Massachusetts & Arizona: 5

Staying in Louisiana

Tulane: 14
LSU: 7
Ochsner: 4
East Jefferson General Hospital: 1

Students matched to 20 different specialities this year.

Most Popular Specialties:

Internal Medicine: 33
Pediatrics: 20
Psychiatry: 15
Family Medicine: 15
Emergency Medicine: 14
General Surgery: 13
Ob-Gyn: 12
Anesthesiology: 9
Neurology: 7
Orthopaedics: 7

Congratulations to the Class of 2026. Roll Wave!