

# PSYCHIATRY (Northeastern Wisconsin)

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**Which clerkships are required for students to match into this specialty?**

Psychiatry (core) with ideally one elective rotation in psychiatry

**At what point in the interview season should a student consider applying to more residency programs in your specialty?**

If limited invitations by December, would recommend reaching out to programs that you've already applied to indicate interest, rather than applying to additional programs.

**At what point should a student consider applying to a back-up specialty?**

If limited invitations by December, may consider a back-up specialty.

**Recognizing that it can vary from year to year, when is the typical interview season for this specialty nationally?**

October – January

**Do you have any additional recommendations for students who are committed to matching in this specialty?**

Strong letters of recommendation from faculty who worked with you closely: clinically, research, ongoing projects. Participation in mental health-related programs/projects/community service.

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	Extremely important	Very important	Moderately important	Slightly important	Not at all important
Achieving "Honors" in this specialty's clerkship rotation		*			
Completing a preceptorship in this specialty			*		
Completing an active internship and electives in this specialty			*		
Completing an away rotation in this specialty					*
Completing a research project in this specialty			*		
Completing a research project in any specialty				*	
Having a published abstract or poster presentation					*
Having at least one published paper in a peer reviewed journal					*
Having a Step 1 USMLE score above 230				*	
Having a Step 2 USMLE score before ERAS submission				*	
1 letter of recommendation from a physician in this specialty	*				
3 letters of recommendation from physicians in this specialty			*		
1 letter of recommendation from a research mentor				*	
1 letter of recommendation from a department chair in this specialty					*
Participation in community services		*			
Service in a leadership role		*			