VISITING STUDENTS

Requests for elective time at the University of Nebraska Medical Center College of Medicine/Nebraska Medicine from students attending U.S. medical schools or osteopathic schools are done through VSAS (Visiting Student Application Service). There is a maximum of 1 (one) rotation per applicant. Please limit requests to no more than 3 (three) options for review. If those options are denied you may then submit more options (3) for consideration.

Do not contact any faculty or clinical department prior to your acceptance for a rotation. Doing so is considered a professionalism breach and may disqualify you from doing rotations at UNMC. Applications will be reviewed by merit beginning April 1, 2019 with decisions BEGINNING May 1, 2019. Beginning with the 2019-2020 catalog, UNMC offers rotations each month of the academic year July - June.

Applicants will be expected to adhere to the date schedule as prescribe by UNMC and be able to attend all 4 weeks of any given rotation. UNMC will not enter into affiliation agreements with D.O. institutions. Please check with your institution to see if this is required BEFORE submitting applications.

Only complete applications will be reviewed for consideration. An opportunity to correct an application may be offered. A complete application consists of the following:

- Currently in the 4th/Final year of M.D. /D.O program
- Verification page on VSAS completed by the Home School
- Student is in Good Standing (listed on Verification page)
- Current OSHA training (listed on Verification page)
- Current BLS (listed on Verification page)
- Medical Liability in the amounts of $3M Aggregate and $1M Per Instance (listed on Verification page)
- Completion of the following Core Clerkships before the start of any requested elective (listed on Verification page)
  - Family Medicine
  - Internal Medicine
  - Obstetrics and Gynecology
  - Pediatrics
  - Psychiatry
  - Surgery
- Current HIPAA training (listed on Verification page)
- Passed USMLE Step 1 (listed on Verification page)
- Immunizations uploaded
- State and Federal Background check uploaded
- CV uploaded
- Photograph uploaded
- Transcript uploaded
- Any additional documentation required by any given department as listed below:

The University of Nebraska Medical Center additional documentation required for VSAS applications: (See VSAS for any updates to this list)

UNMC requires a background check uploaded for each applicant.

The following departments require additional documents:

- Anesthesiology: Step 1 score or COMLEX
- Course 799 requires a preference sheet DO NOT CONTACT DEPT OR FACULTY (see course description for details)
- Obstetrics and Gynecology: Step 1 score
- Ophthalmology: Brief statement about why UNMC
- Orthopaedic Surgery: Step 1 score
- Path. & Microbiology: Step 2 score (if available)
- Otolaryngology: Step 1 score
- Surgery: Step 1 score
- Radiation Therapy: List of previous electives taken in this area
- Step 2 score (if available)

Elective rotations are four weeks in length.

We do not offer any two week elective experiences.

The student must be at the senior/final level of medical school at the time of the proposed elective.

Visiting students are not accepted into third year junior clerkships.

The University of Nebraska College of Medicine does not accept application for electives from students attending foreign medical schools and non-LCME accredited M.D. institutions or non-COCA accredited D.O institutions.

To attend a non-credit experience, please contact the International Health and Medical Education offices at 402-559-6414 or international@unmc.edu or visit their website at http://www.unmc.edu/ihme/index.html.