

PUSH EARLY PUSH LATE (PEPL) AND  
THE 3<sup>RD</sup> YEAR SCHEDULING LOTTERY

Huntsville Campus

# Objectives

- ▶ By the end of this, you will...
  - ▶ Understand requirements for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Year
  - ▶ Know important dates related to PEPL and the 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Lottery
  - ▶ See how the 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Lottery Works
  - ▶ Be able to enter your choices
    - ▶ PEPL
    - ▶ 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Electives

# What are the 3<sup>rd</sup> year clinical requirements?

- ▶ Core Clerkships (44 wks)
  - ▶ Family Medicine (4 wks)
  - ▶ Internal Medicine (8 wks)
  - ▶ Neurology (4 wks)
  - ▶ Obstetrics-Gynecology (8 wks)
  - ▶ Pediatrics (8 wks)
  - ▶ Psychiatry (4 wks)
  - ▶ Surgery (8 wks)
- ▶ Scholarly Activity (8 wks)
- ▶ 4<sup>th</sup> year Ambulatory AI (4 wks)—taken on the Huntsville Campus

<http://www.uab.edu/medicine/home/medical-education/undergraduate-medical-education/curriculum>

# Clerkship Blocks and your schedule<sup>1</sup>

Block 6 a/b	Block 1 a/b	Block 2a/b	Block 3 a/b	Block 4 a/b	Block 5 a/b	Block 6a/b
Scholarly <sup>2</sup>	Neuro/Psych	Internal Med	OBGYN	Fam Med/Rural <sup>3</sup>	Peds	Surgery
Surgery	OBGYN	Internal Med	Fam Med/Rural	Neuro/Psych	Peds	Scholarly <sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Each numbered Block is a total of 8 wks (a = 4 wks and b = 4 wks)

<sup>2</sup> If you prescheduled Scholarly Activity, the lottery will respect its placement

<sup>3</sup> If you are an RMP student, the Family Medicine clerkship and the Rural AI will have been prescheduled.

# Lottery Priorities

- ▶ Ensures that each student has a complete schedule
- ▶ Ensures that each clerkship has even enrollment for each block
- ▶ Ensures that the maximum number of student requests are honored
  - ▶ Select 2 courses you wish to have in Blocks (6, 1, or 2)
  - ▶ Select 2 courses you wish to have in Blocks (4, 5, or 6)

# Push Early Push Late (PEPL)

- ▶ Visit: <http://www.uab.edu/medicine/lottery>
- ▶ Login in with your Blazer ID



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## Scheduling Interface

### Login

Blazer ID

Password

Login

[Visiting Students Click Here](#)

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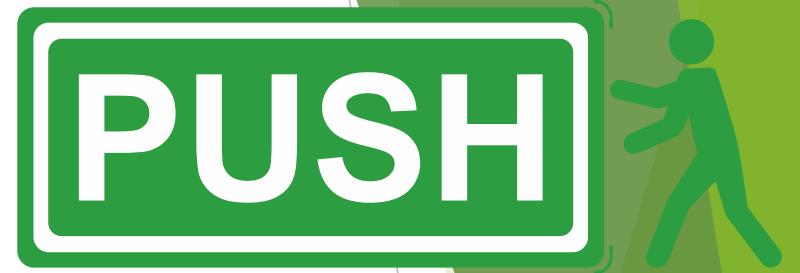
- ▶ Choose “Clerkships”



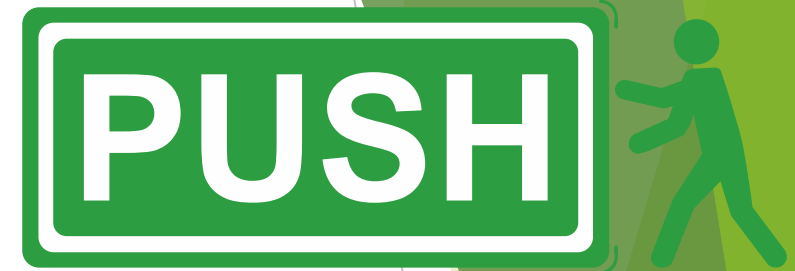
## Scheduling Lottery

Choose an Open Lottery from the List Below

Lottery Type	Lottery Open Date	Lottery Close Date
Clerkships	11/30/2015 8:00 AM	01/05/2016 5:00 PM
Third Year Elective	11/30/2015 8:00 AM	01/05/2016 5:00 PM



# Push Early Push Late (PEPL)



- ▶ Use the “Pick” buttons to select your first and second priority for the lottery to push “early” into your schedule (Block 6, 1, 2)
- ▶ Use the “Pick” buttons to select your first and second priority for the lottery to push “late” into our schedule (Block 4, 5, 6)

## Scheduling Lottery Picks

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### Scheduling Requirements for Clerkships

Use the “Pick” buttons below to select your first and second priority for the lottery to push “early” into your schedule. (Block 6, 1, 2)

Use the “Pick” buttons below to select your first and second priority for the lottery to push “late” into your schedule. (Block 4, 5, 6)

### Clerkships

Clerkship	Early 1	Early 2	Late 1	Late 2
Family Medicine	Pick	Pick	Pick	Pick
Internal Medicine	Pick	Pick	Pick	Pick
Neurology	Pick	Pick	Pick	Pick
Obstetrics/Gynecology	Pick	Pick	Pick	Pick
Pediatrics	Pick	Pick	Pick	Pick
Psychiatry	Pick	Pick	Pick	Pick
Rural Medicine AI	Pick	Pick	Pick	Pick
Scholarly Activity	Pick	Pick	Pick	Pick
Surgery	Pick	Pick	Pick	Pick

### Your Lottery Picks

Rank	Time	Clerkship
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# 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Elective

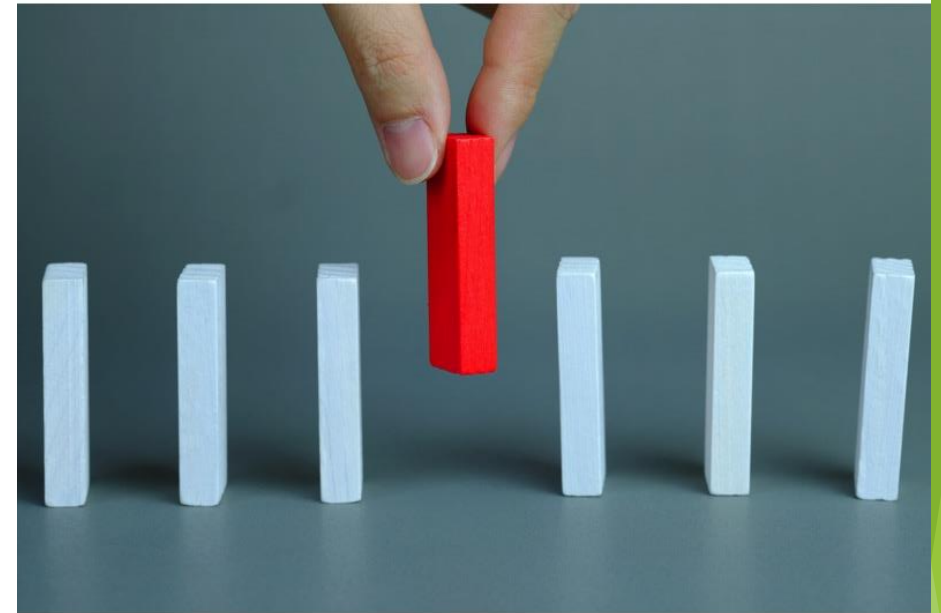
- ▶ Huntsville Campus students will not choose this option.



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# Important Dates

- ▶ February 7 at 1 pm: Lottery Opens
- ▶ February 28 at midnight: Lottery Closes
- ▶ March 21: Results Distributed
- ▶ April 1 at 8 am: You may submit requests for schedule adjustments to Dr. Carter

# Requesting a Schedule Change

- ▶ DO NOT submit a Drop/Add Form
  - ▶ <https://www.uab.edu/medicine/home/current-students/course-scheduling>
- ▶ E-mail request to [lanitacarter@uabmc.edu](mailto:lanitacarter@uabmc.edu) or [ajaimsgomez@uabmc.edu](mailto:ajaimsgomez@uabmc.edu)
- ▶ Include rationale for the change
- ▶ Requests will be reviewed in the order received
- ▶ When possible, changes will be made
- ▶ If a change is not possible now, we may be able to make changes later in the year

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# Keep in Mind

- ▶ The order of your clerkships will not predict your clerkships grades.



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- ▶ The order of your clerkships does NOT influence your ability to get into a specialty or a specific residency program.

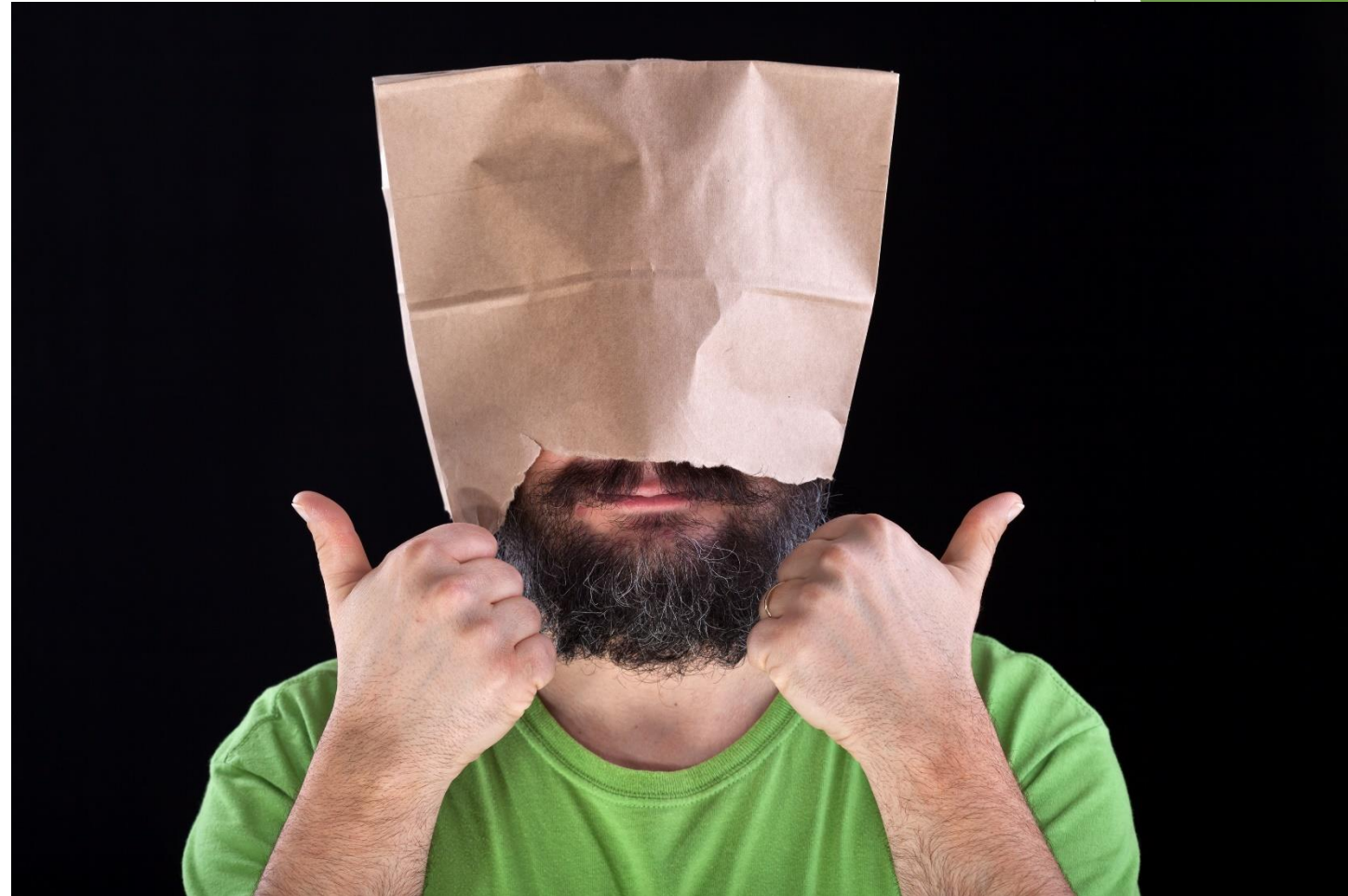


# Keep in Mind

- ▶ Any prescheduled course will not be supplanted by the lottery

# Keep in Mind

- ▶ If you do not complete the PEPL process, you will still get a complete schedule



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- ▶ It is possible to make changes to your schedule later in the year.
  - ▶ Requires approval by Dr. Carter
  - ▶ If the change is possible, you may incur a drop/add fee.
  - ▶ We cannot overbook courses



# Keep in Mind

- ▶ Step 1 Deadline: April 23
- ▶ Huntsville Campus Orientation: April 24-25

Questions

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