INTERNAL DENTAL LINKAGE
APPLICATION DEADLINES AND CHECKLIST 2022-2023

Deadline I: Friday, September 30, 2022

- The components of this online application include biographical and academic information, a photograph, resume, essays, experiences and achievements entries, and the universal waiver for letters of recommendation.
- Submission of the linkage program essay by this date is optional (it must be submitted by Thursday, Dec. 1, 2022).
- We encourage you to register for your AADSAS ID as soon as possible. When you do so and also when you register for the DAT, please be vigilant about the name you use. The name on the ID documents you present at the DAT test site must match your registration name exactly. J. Mary Smith is not the same as Mary Smith or Jane Mary Smith.

Deadline II: Thursday, December 1, 2022

- Letters of recommendations from all recommenders (except fall 2022 term faculty) must be received by this date.
- First draft of AADSAS personal statement.
- Documentation of hours of clinical work to date (minimum of 90 hours by December).
- The COVID-19 essay discussed in the Internal Application Essays document under “Supplemental Essay(s)” (this is required).
- A completed draft of your AADSAS application.

Prospective linkage nominees, having initiated their AADSAS applications for 2023 by this date, should have their transcripts (with the exception of Columbia) submitted to AADSAS. The Columbia transcript should be ordered only once fall 2022 grades have been recorded (probably in early January 2023).

December 31, 2022 (Saturday): Deadline to submit AADSAS
- A PDF of AADSAS must be uploaded to your portfolio.

January 5, 2023 (Thursday): Notification of nomination for linkage (pending receipt of fall grades)
- Pending receipt of fall grades.
- Nominees will receive application instructions and a timeline.

January 12, 2023 (Thursday): Deadline to accept a linkage nomination

January 17, 2023 (Tuesday): Deadline to submit letters of recommendation from Fall 2022 faculty

PLEASE KEEP THIS CHECKLIST HANDY AND USE IT.

Students are advised to make copies of all materials prepared and submitted to the Premedical Office.