The University of Louisville School of Medicine (UL SOM) follows the Application and Acceptance Protocols established by the AAMC. ULSOM specific actions include:

**Acceptance Timeline and Policy/Protocol**

- **October 15-April 30 applicants offered admission**: Electronic communication sent regarding acceptance; 2 weeks to respond. Failure to do so may result in admission offer being rescinded.

- **February 19**: “Plan to Enroll” selection available until end of cycle: The UL SOM highly recommends (but does not require) that applicants offered admission utilize this option. This assists us (and other medical schools) in assuring that we do not over- or under-subscribe the class. *This tool indicates an applicant’s “Top choice” but that she/he is continuing in an active admissions mode, and can interview, hold other offers and be on other wait lists.*

  Medical schools will receive aggregate data reflecting the percentage of their roster candidates who have selected this option.

- **April 15**: The AAMC Application and Acceptance Protocols recommend that accepted applicants narrow offers to no more than 3 medical schools (if applicable). The UL SOM highly recommends (but does not require) that applicants follow this protocol.

- **April 30 until end of cycle**: “Commit to Enroll” becomes available. The “Plan to Enroll” selection remains available for admitted applicants and candidates selected from the wait list.

  If an applicant “Commits to Enroll” at another school it indicates that applicant is committing to matriculate at another school and applicant will be therefore be removed from our list of offered applicants and from our wait list.

  Beginning April 30, AMCAS will identify all applicants making “Plan to Enroll” and “Commit to Enroll” selections. This applicant-specific information will be available to all medical schools where an applicant has a current acceptance or wait list position.

  While UL SOM understands that there may be important reasons for applicants to continue to consider more than one offer, we strongly encourage applicants currently on the admitted student roster to finalize decisions no later than May 15.
Wait list Acceptance Policy/Protocol

May 1-May 31 admission: Applicants offered admission have 5 business days to respond.

June 1-June 30 admission: Applicants offered admission have 3 business days to respond.

July 1, 2019: ULSOM will require all accepted students to “Commit to Enroll” or withdraw from our roster. Monday July 1 is 21 days prior to the first day of our Orientation, which is Monday July 22, 2019.

July 1 until end of cycle: any wait list candidates offered and accepting admission must “Commit to Enroll” at the time of acceptance and remove themselves from further consideration elsewhere.

Additional considerations & requirements

• If an applicant “Commits to Enroll” at UL SOM it indicates that applicant is withdrawing applications from consideration at other medical schools and is committing to matriculate at UL SOM.
• If an applicant “Commits to Enroll” at another school it indicates that applicant is committing to matriculate at another school and applicant will therefore be removed from our list of offered applicants and from our wait list.
• Applicants who “Commit to Enroll” at another school will not be offered admission to UL SOM off our wait list.
• All applicants holding acceptances are eligible to be considered for available scholarships, which will be offered early in the Spring 2019 semester.

Approved by the ULSOM Admissions Committee, November 27, 2018

Applicants are encouraged to maintain open and direct communications regarding questions surrounding their selections. Email ULSOM Admissions at medadm@louisville.edu or call 502-852-5193.