2024 Secondary Application Questions

The NYULISOM secondary application is designed to enable the admissions committee to learn more about you and how your experiences and professional goals align with our school’s mission. All responses have a 350 word limit and must be submitted through the NYULISOM application portal. To assure a timely review of your full credentials, you are encouraged to submit your secondary application as early as possible. A full listing of the 2024 application cycle deadlines are posted on the school’s website.

**QUESTION 1**

NYULISOM seeks to admit highly motivated candidates whose experiences and professional goals directly align with our primary care mission and demonstrate a commitment to a future career as a general practitioner in fields of medicine that are anchored in the principles of primary care and address the growing physician workforce shortages in specific medical disciplines.

To advance this mission, acceptance to NYULISOM is paired with the offer of a directed-pathway to residency into one of four designated residency programs at NYU Langone Hospital – Long Island.

- Internal Medicine
- Pediatrics
- Obstetrics & Gynecology
- General Surgery

Please indicate the specific residency track for which you wish to be considered and explain the reason(s) for your choice, including those experiences listed on your AMCAS application that have confirmed your decision to pursue this field of medicine in the context of primary care. If applicable, please also discuss any other factors—such as your personal journey, academic interests or activities not listed on your application—that have influenced your choice.

**QUESTION 2**

Please provide the response that applies to you:

- If you are still in school, please tell us your planned academic, extracurricular, research, community service and/or work activities for the application cycle.
- If you have graduated from college, please tell us what you have been doing since that time up until the present and your reasons for doing so. Please be sure to account for all your time since graduating.

**QUESTION 3**

(Optional) Please comment on any significant fluctuations in your academic record or inconsistencies in your MCAT score; if you took a leave of absence for any reason during college; or any application irregularities that you feel would be helpful for the admissions committee to consider when conducting its holistic review of your credentials.

**QUESTION 4**

(Optional) Please feel free to share any other information that you have not already included in your AMCAS application or secondary responses that you believe would be relevant for the admissions committee to know about.