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**Mayo Clinic School of  
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Dear Program Candidate,

On behalf of the Mayo Clinic School of Graduate Medical Education (MCSGME), we would like to thank you for your interest in our training program. Graduate medical education has a century-long tradition at Mayo Clinic. Across specialties and geographies, we seek to develop the next generation of physician leaders through diverse, inclusive, and innovative programs that remain grounded in the timeless principles of patient-centeredness, professionalism, compassion, and service. To that end, we are excited to share our programs with you.

While MCSGME now permits our residencies and fellowships to conduct in-person interviews, some of our training programs have elected to continue with online, virtual interviews. These programs perceived their candidates were able to get a good sense of the Mayo Clinic institutional, organizational, and program culture without the requirement for travel and all its attendant challenges. Still, MCSGME and our program leadership teams recognize some candidates may wish to visit our campus to further explore a program and its community. Others, by contrast, may feel a program's virtual interview day and social media platforms provide all the information needed to make an informed decision about program preference.

After virtual interviews are completed, the program to which you are applying is planning to host a no stakes, optional campus visit. The sole purpose of the hosted campus visit is to offer an optional opportunity for program candidates to experience our well-appointed campuses and diverse communities in-person. **Please note all program ranking decisions will conclude prior to the scheduled date of the no stakes, optional campus visit.** As school leaders, we want our program candidates to feel confident that the on-campus visits are truly optional and no stakes.

We are excited you are considering Mayo Clinic for your graduate medical education and sincerely hope you find our programs compelling no matter how you experience them, virtually or otherwise.

Sincerely,

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