AAMC Careers in Medicine Resources and Services

Choosing a medical specialty is one of the most significant decisions a medical student will make. The Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) has developed an outstanding program, <u>Careers in Medicine</u>, to help with this process. Across all four years of medical school, there are tools to help students identify career goals, explore specialty and practice options and choose a specialty, as well as select and apply to residency programs when the time comes. The <u>Careers in Medicine</u> program is structured to support medical students through a four-step career planning process (*AAMC login required*):

- Understanding yourself
- Exploring your options
- Choosing a specialty
- Getting into residency

Getting Started:

- Learn more about <u>AAMC Careers in Medicine</u>: Log in to your account (Note: Use your AAMC user name and password, which is the same information you have used for AMCAS, MCAT, and programs that use the AAMC Login).
- Connect with Alumni in your area of interest with the Alumni Directory.
- Curriculum Vitae resources:
 - Larner College of Medicine Faculty Affairs Resources
 - UVM Graduate Writing Center
 - Careers in Medicine Writing a Curriculum Vitae (AAMC login required)
- Read the Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society's monograph, <u>Medical Professionalism: Best Practices</u> (available online and in PDF format)
- If students are interested in pursuing residency within the state of Vermont, students
 can <u>visit the Vermont Department of Health Agency of Human Services Board of Medical Practice Licensing website</u> to explore the Vermont licensure process and requirements.