

**First Discipline Choice of Unmatched Canadian Graduates by Discipline  
2008 First Iteration R-1 Match**

Discipline	Unmatched
Anesthesiology	7
Dermatology	2
Diagnostic Radiology	7
Emergency Medicine	5
Family Medicine	12
General Surgery	7
Internal Medicine	12
Medical Microbiology	1
Neurosurgery	1
Obstetrics & Gynecology	6
Ophthalmology	6
Orthopedic Surgery	8
Otolaryngology	5
Pediatrics	7
Physical Med & Rehab	1
Plastic Surgery	10
Psychiatry	1
Radiation Oncology	2
Urology	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>102</b>

**Note:** The reasons graduates are unmatched are varied, but these are the most common:

- 1) Graduates applied in a limited geographic location.
- 2) Graduates applied or ranked too few programs.
- 3) Graduates did not have realistic career goals given the extremely competitive nature of some of the specialties.

