Travel Resources & Tips

**Housing**

**Airbnb**
Use this site to find properties for a low price that may be rented out.
www.airbnb.com

**Rotating Room**
“The sublet website for students, by students”
www.rotatingroom.com

**Student Universe**
This site provides discounts for hotels and flights, plus more, exclusive only to students.
www.studentuniverse.com

**Flights**

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**Kayak**
Use this site to search numerous airlines at once for the cheapest flight possible. Also, you can set up a price alert.
www.kayak.com

**Before booking a flight through a site such as Orbitz, Cheapflights or Priceline, double check with the airline’s official website because it may be the same price without the fees. This will also help avoid paying numerous fees for changing or cancelling flights**

**General Resources**

**Mount Sinai Alumni Database**
Use the alumni database to find alumni that may be where you are going to interview. Also, use the Career Planning Services organization on Blackboard to view previous years match lists.
mountsinai.site-ym.com/

**SmartMedTravel.com**
Travel tips, trip planner, resources and information for travelling to residency interviews. Created by two recent graduates of medical school, for medical students.
http://www.smartmedtravel.com/

**Trip Advisor**
Great resource for the area; hotels, restaurants, etc.
www.tripadvisor.com

**AMA Alliance**
If possible, try to coordinate accommodations with other medical students, sleep in residents' quarters, or stay in the homes of those who graduated from your medical school (and now live in the area). Check the Physicians-in-Training Host Program for assistance. The program helps students cut down on interviewing costs, get to know the community surrounding their potential residency program, and introduce them to the local medical society and Alliance.
www.amaalliance.org

**Information from the AAMC on cost for applying for residency**

Note: Loans & aid may not be used for residency application costs (travel, NRMP, ERAS, etc.). There is an alternative loan program for which students can apply that will help cover the costs of interviews. Anyone interested in learning more about this loan should contact Financial Aid. This program, however, is not a federal loan, so it cannot be consolidated with federal loans, nor can payment be delayed.

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