

**RUTGERS NEW JERSEY MEDICAL SCHOOL
ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2014-2015**

2014

May 28	Wednesday	Required Transition Two program for Class of 2016 begins.
May 30	Friday	Required Transition Two program for Class of 2016 concludes.
May 30	Friday	Class of 2015 final late deadline to register for USMLE Step 2 CK and USMLE Step 2 CS.
June 2	Monday	Academic year begins for third and fourth year students. Third and Fourth year clerkships begin. Fall tuition due.
July 4	Friday	Fourth of July observed. NJMS holiday for all students.*
July 25	Friday	Last day for third and fourth year students to take leave/withdraw from the Fall term with an 80% tuition refund.
August 6	Wednesday	Academic year begins for Class of 2018; required orientation program.
August 8	Friday	Orientation concludes for Class of 2018.
August 11	Monday	Classes begin for first year students. Fall tuition due.
August 11	Monday	Academic year begins for Class of 2017. Fall tuition due.
September 1	Monday	Labor Day observed. NJMS holiday for all students.*
September 19	Friday	Last day for first and second year students to take leave/withdraw from the Fall term with an 80% tuition refund.
September 25	Thursday	Rosh Hashanah (Clinical departments should excuse all observing third and fourth year students at least one hour before sundown the prior evening).
October 1	Wednesday	Class of 2015 deadline to sit and record a score for USMLE Step 2 CS.
October 4	Saturday	Yom Kippur (Clinical departments should excuse all observing third and fourth year students at least one hour before sundown the prior evening).
November 1	Saturday	Class of 2015 deadline to sit and record a score for USMLE Step 2 CK.
November 14	Friday	Thanksgiving recess begins for fourth year students at 5:00 p.m.
November 26	Wednesday	Thanksgiving recess begins for first, second, and third year students at 5:00 p.m.
Nov 27-Nov 30	Thurs. – Sun.	Thanksgiving recess continues for all students.
December 1	Monday	All classes and clerkships resume.
December 19	Friday	Winter recess begins for first, second and third year students at 5:00 p.m.
December 23	Tuesday	Winter recess begins for fourth year students at 5:00 p.m.

2015

January 5	Monday	Academic year resumes for all students. Spring tuition due.
January 19	Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day observed. NJMS holiday for all students.*
January 30	Friday	Last day for third and fourth year students to take leave/withdraw from the Spring term with an 80% tuition refund.
January 30	Friday	Class of 2017 deadline to register for USMLE Step 1.
February 12	Thursday	Required Financial Aid exit interview for Class of 2015 (1/2 of the class). (TENTATIVE)
February 13	Friday	Last day for first and second year students to take leave/withdraw from the Spring term with an 80% tuition refund.
February 26	Thursday	Required Financial Aid exit interview for Class of 2015 (1/2 of the class). (TENTATIVE)
March 20	Friday	Match Day. Class of 2015 students should be excused in time to be at NJMS by 11:30 a.m. (TENTATIVE)
March 27	Friday	Spring recess begins for first year students at 5:00 p.m. Recess continues through April 5, 2014.
April 3	Friday	Good Friday observed. NJMS holiday for all students.*
April 4	Saturday	Passover
April 4-5	Sat.-Sunday	Recess for all students.
April 6	Monday	All classes and clerkships resume.
April 20-May 1	Monday-Friday	Required Transition Three program for Class of 2015.
May 15	Friday	Academic year concludes for Class of 2015 at 5:00 p.m.
May 17	Sunday	Rutgers University Commencement
May 18	Monday	NJMS Convocation (TENTATIVE)
May 24	Sunday	Class of 2017 deadline to sit and record a score for USMLE Step 1.
May 25	Monday	Memorial Day observed. NJMS holiday for all students.*
May 26	Tuesday	Required Transition Two program for Class of 2017 begins.
May 27-28	Wed.-Thur.	Required Transition Two program for Class of 2017 continues.
May 29	Friday	Academic year concludes for first, second and third year students at 5:00 p.m. First year students may pursue research or work opportunities.

***Acting Interns are expected to participate in clinical duties as per their assigned schedule.**