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NEW VIRTUAL INTERVIEWING RESOURCE FOR MEDICAL STUDENTS

The Association for Academic Psychiatry (AAP) is pleased to share a new resource for medical students: *Considerations for Medical Student Virtual Interviews for Residency*. Access to this free and sharable document can be found on the [AAP Trainee webpage](#) by selecting the *Prepping for Virtual Interviews: Applicants* icon. This resource was created by a team of AAP Members to support the quickly changing needs of medical students during this unpredictable time. The document touches on the basics of virtual interviewing while also delving into details about logistical and technical aspects of coordinating and conducting the interview. Being familiar with your virtual technology, proper lighting, and selecting the correct clothing are just some topics addressed. The document also shares several linked resources for further review. Please take a moment to review this great new resource created by AAP. This material is free for distribution and AAP encourages you to share it with your colleagues.

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