



AMO CAN HELP YOU SECURE A B-1 VISA

Upon acceptance into one of our programs, we will provide placement and visa invitation letters to eligible applicants. This letter, addressed to the Consul General, outlines the basic premise of your clinical experience and may be used to start the visa process at the United States Consulate in your home country.

When it is time for your interview, you will bring the B-1 visa invitation letter and supporting documents with you for review.

To be eligible for a B-1 invitation letter through AMOpportunities you must have the following:



Dean's Letter or Diploma



Passport



Receipt of Your Reservation Deposit



Scheduled *Visa Interview

*Visa interviews are sometimes difficult to schedule. People plan for their travels in advance so appointments may be limited. Without this interview, you cannot obtain a visa. Without a visa you will not be permitted entrance into the U.S.

APPLYING FOR A U.S. VISA

For entrance into the United States, visitors will need to secure a U.S. visa. AMOpportunities can assist with this by providing a B-1 visa invitation letter for their clinical rotation, provided the visitor is eligible.

Through AMOpportunities, medical students are eligible for their elective rotations with school authorization. While medical students can participate in hands-on rotations and observerships, medical graduates are only eligible for observerships except for those graduates who have passed the USMLE Step 1. This group is also eligible for hands-on rotations.

What to Know About the B-1 Visa

A B-1 visa is given to individuals for business, professional, scientific, and educational experiences. This visa type generally allows visitors to stay in the U.S. for up to six months but varies based on home country. If you will be completing a rotation or multiple rotations that will extend beyond the time your visa is valid, you may need to return to your home country prior to its expiration and obtain a second, valid visa.

To apply for a B-1 visa you must:

- Complete form DS-160 online
- Pay the visa application fee
- Schedule a visa interview

Note: The above information is meant only to serve as a general guide. We recommend contacting your consulate for more detailed information on the process of obtaining a visa.

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