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**Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors Who Matched to Their
Preferred Specialty in the 2020 Main Residency Match**

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Background

The first edition of *Charting Outcomes in the Match* was published in August 2006 to document how applicant qualifications affect success in the Main Residency Match®. The report was published biennially between 2007 and 2011 and was a collaboration of the National Resident Matching Program® (NRMP®) and the Association of American Medical Colleges® (AAMC®). Match outcome data from the NRMP were combined with applicant characteristics from the AAMC's Electronic Residency Application Service (ERAS®) and United States Medical Licensing Examination (USMLE®) scores from the AAMC data warehouse. Starting with the 2014 Main Residency Match, the NRMP added a Professional Profile section to its Match registration process to collect the USMLE scores and other applicant characteristics, and those have been used to independently produce all subsequent *Charting Outcomes in the Match* reports.

Prior to 2016, this report examined the Match success of only two applicant groups: senior students from U.S. MD medical schools ("U.S. seniors" or "U.S. MD seniors") and independent applicants. Independent applicants included all applicant types other than U.S. seniors: graduates of U.S. MD medical schools, students/graduates of U.S. DO medical schools, students/graduates of Fifth Pathway programs, students/graduates of Canadian medical schools, and U.S. citizen and non U.S. citizen students/graduates of international medical schools (IMGs). Because independent applicants are a heterogeneous group, a decision was made in 2016 to report data separately for U.S. MD medical school seniors, students/graduates of U.S. DO medical schools, U.S. citizen students/graduates of international medical schools, and non U.S. citizen students/graduates of international medical schools. In 2018, upon requests from U.S. DO medical schools, the *Charting Outcomes in the Match* report was redesigned to including only senior students of U.S. DO medical schools ("U.S. DO seniors"), eliminating the reporting on U.S. DO graduates because their numbers are so small. The 2020 *Charting Outcomes in the Match* reports marks the second iteration of publications for U.S. MD Seniors, U.S. DO seniors and U.S. citizen/non-U.S. citizen IMGs. This report examines the characteristics of U.S. MD seniors.

Data

Match success, specialty preference, and ranking information were collected through the Main Residency Match. The 40 U.S. medical schools receiving the highest totals of National Institutes of Health (NIH) grants were obtained from the NIH website. Other applicant characteristics, including USMLE Step 1 and Step 2 Clinical Knowledge (CK) scores, academic degrees, publications, Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society (AOA) membership, and research, and work and volunteer experiences, were self-reported through the Professional Profile section of the NRMP's Applicant Registration Form for the Match. To complete the form, applicants were asked to answer the questions as they did in their ERAS Common Application Form (CAF). Completion of the form was optional, and applicants who completed the form could consent or decline to participate in NRMP research. Data collection for the self-reported Professional Profile section was granted exemption by the Chesapeake (now Advarra) Institutional Review Board (IRB).

A total of 19,326 U.S. MD seniors submitted certified rank order lists in the 2020 Main Residency Match. After excluding the 7.2 percent of U.S. MD seniors who did not give consent to participate in NRMP research, 17,932 applicants were included in the final dataset. Missing data were found in Step 1 scores (0.9% missing), Step 2 CK scores (1.7%), number of research experiences (10.7%), number of abstracts, presentations, and publications (10.7%), number of work experiences (11.5%), number of volunteer experiences (11.6%), Ph.D. degree (4.8%), other graduate degree (5.4%), and AOA membership (5.9%).

To ensure that USMLE Step scores were not misreported, the NRMP asked medical schools to verify the scores of their U.S. MD seniors. In 2020, 91 percent of the Step 1 scores and Step 2 CK scores used in this report were verified, corrected, or supplied by U.S. medical schools. Because the self-reported scores are highly accurate (the intraclass correlation coefficient (ICC) between the self-reported scores and school-verified scores was 0.992 (99% CI [0.992, 0.992]) for Step 1 scores and 0.988 (99% CI [0.988, 0.989]) for Step 2 CK scores), both verified and unverified scores were used to prepare this report.

Methods

Specialties that offered 50 or more positions in the 2020 Main Residency Match are included in this report. Over the years, specialties have been added to the report, including Otolaryngology and Neurology in 2007, Neurological Surgery in 2009, Child Neurology and Vascular Surgery in 2014, and Interventional Radiology in 2018. Transitional Year programs were excluded beginning with the 2011 report because they are not viewed as a preferred specialty choice.

Twelve measures are incorporated in this report. Probability analysis using a simple logistic regression model was introduced in 2009 to evaluate the relationship between Match success and contiguous ranks and USMLE Step 1 scores. Probability analyses in this report used data on U.S. MD seniors who participated in the Match in 2018, 2019, and 2020.

It is important to note that for purposes of this report, Match success is defined as a match to the specialty of the applicant's first-ranked program, or "preferred specialty," because that is assumed to be the specialty of choice. Lack of success includes matching to another specialty as well as failure to match at all. No distinction was made based on whether applicants matched to the first, second, third, or lower choice program.

Summary

Some general observations apply to all specialties in this report. U.S. MD seniors who are successful in matching to their preferred specialty are more likely to:

- Rank more programs within their preferred specialty
- Have higher USMLE Step 1 and Step 2 scores
- Be members of Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society

Although other measures seem to be related to Match success for some specialties, the relationships are not consistent enough to draw broad conclusions across specialties. In addition, the data sources used for *Charting Outcomes in the Match* do not include other important applicant factors such as course evaluations, reference letters, and the Medical School Performance Evaluation (MSPE).

Despite the fairly strong relationship between USMLE Step scores and Match success, the distributions of scores show that program directors consider other qualifications. A high score is not a guarantee of success, and a low score is not a bar to success. Even in the most competitive specialties a few individuals with high scores are not successful. In the less competitive specialties, U.S. MD seniors with scores slightly above passing usually match to their preferred specialties. The data also are reassuring because they indicate that at least some programs do not employ an arbitrary cutoff or decline to consider applicants with less than excellent test performance.

The data in this report support the following straightforward advice one should give to an applicant:

- Rank all of the programs you really want, without regard to your estimate of your chances with those programs.
- Include a mix of both highly competitive and less competitive programs within your preferred specialty.
- Include all of the programs on your list where the program has expressed an interest in you and where you would accept a position.
- If you are applying to a competitive specialty and you want to have a residency position in the event you are unsuccessful in matching to a program in your preferred specialty, also rank your most preferred programs in an alternate specialty.
- Include all of your qualifications in your application, but know that you do not have to be AOA, have the highest USMLE scores, have publications, or have participated in research projects to match successfully.

Program directors and applicants will find the tables and charts for the specialty of their particular interest later in this report.

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Tables and Charts for All Specialties

**Chart
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**Active Applicants in the 2020 Main Residency Match
by Applicant Type**

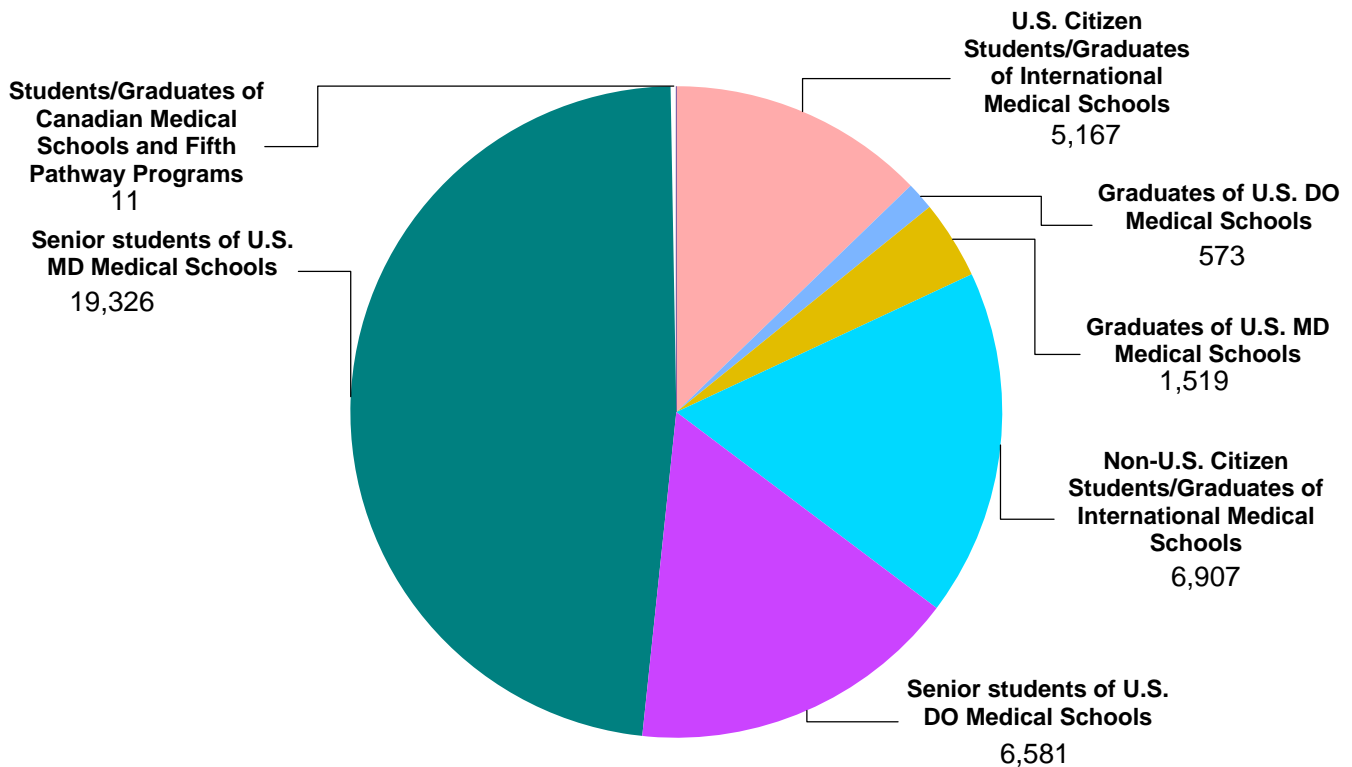


Chart 1 shows the number of active applicants (applicants who submitted rank order lists of programs) by applicant type in the 2020 Main Residency Match. A total of 40,084 active applicants participated in the 2020 Main Residency Match. Senior students of U.S. MD medical schools constituted 48.2 percent of the applicants in the 2020 Match. The next largest group were non-U.S. citizen students and graduates of international medical schools (17.2%). Senior students of U.S. DO medical schools (16.4%) have surpassed the U.S. citizen students/graduates of international medical schools to become the third-largest group. The number of Fifth Pathway and Canadian graduates (n=11) is small.

**Table
1**

**Number of Applicants and Positions in the 2020 Main Residency Match
by Preferred Specialty***

| Preferred Specialty | Total Positions Offered | Total Number of All Applicants | Number of All Applicants Per Position | Number of U.S. MD Seniors | | | Number of U.S. MD Seniors Per Position |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|-------|--|
| | | | | Matched | Not Matched | Total | |
| Anesthesiology | 1,884 | 2,339 | 1.24 | 1,190 | 138 | 1328 | 0.70 |
| Child Neurology | 193 | 193 | 1.00 | 110 | 7 | 117 | 0.61 |
| Dermatology | 538 | 692 | 1.29 | 388 | 70 | 458 | 0.85 |
| Diagnostic Radiology | 1,146 | 1,232 | 1.08 | 680 | 32 | 712 | 0.62 |
| Emergency Medicine | 2,665 | 3,115 | 1.17 | 1,697 | 156 | 1853 | 0.70 |
| Family Medicine | 4,662 | 4,913 | 1.05 | 1,459 | 56 | 1515 | 0.32 |
| General Surgery | 1,536 | 2,183 | 1.42 | 993 | 201 | 1194 | 0.78 |
| Internal Medicine | 9,127 | 10,996 | 1.20 | 3,645 | 107 | 3752 | 0.41 |
| Internal Medicine/Pediatrics | 390 | 445 | 1.14 | 307 | 37 | 344 | 0.88 |
| Interventional Radiology | 156 | 199 | 1.28 | 117 | 27 | 144 | 0.92 |
| Neurological Surgery | 232 | 383 | 1.65 | 203 | 67 | 270 | 1.16 |
| Neurology | 946 | 1,068 | 1.13 | 458 | 13 | 471 | 0.50 |
| Obstetrics and Gynecology | 1,443 | 1,873 | 1.30 | 1,084 | 176 | 1260 | 0.87 |
| Orthopaedic Surgery | 849 | 1,177 | 1.39 | 685 | 175 | 860 | 1.01 |
| Otolaryngology | 350 | 493 | 1.41 | 310 | 104 | 414 | 1.18 |
| Pathology | 603 | 748 | 1.24 | 197 | 11 | 208 | 0.34 |
| Pediatrics | 2,956 | 3,102 | 1.05 | 1,725 | 31 | 1756 | 0.59 |
| Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation | 480 | 591 | 1.23 | 241 | 27 | 268 | 0.56 |
| Plastic Surgery | 180 | 282 | 1.57 | 165 | 64 | 229 | 1.27 |
| Psychiatry | 1,858 | 2,486 | 1.34 | 1,117 | 129 | 1246 | 0.67 |
| Radiation Oncology | 192 | 169 | 0.88 | 121 | 1 | 122 | 0.64 |
| Vascular Surgery | 75 | 122 | 1.63 | 61 | 17 | 78 | 1.04 |

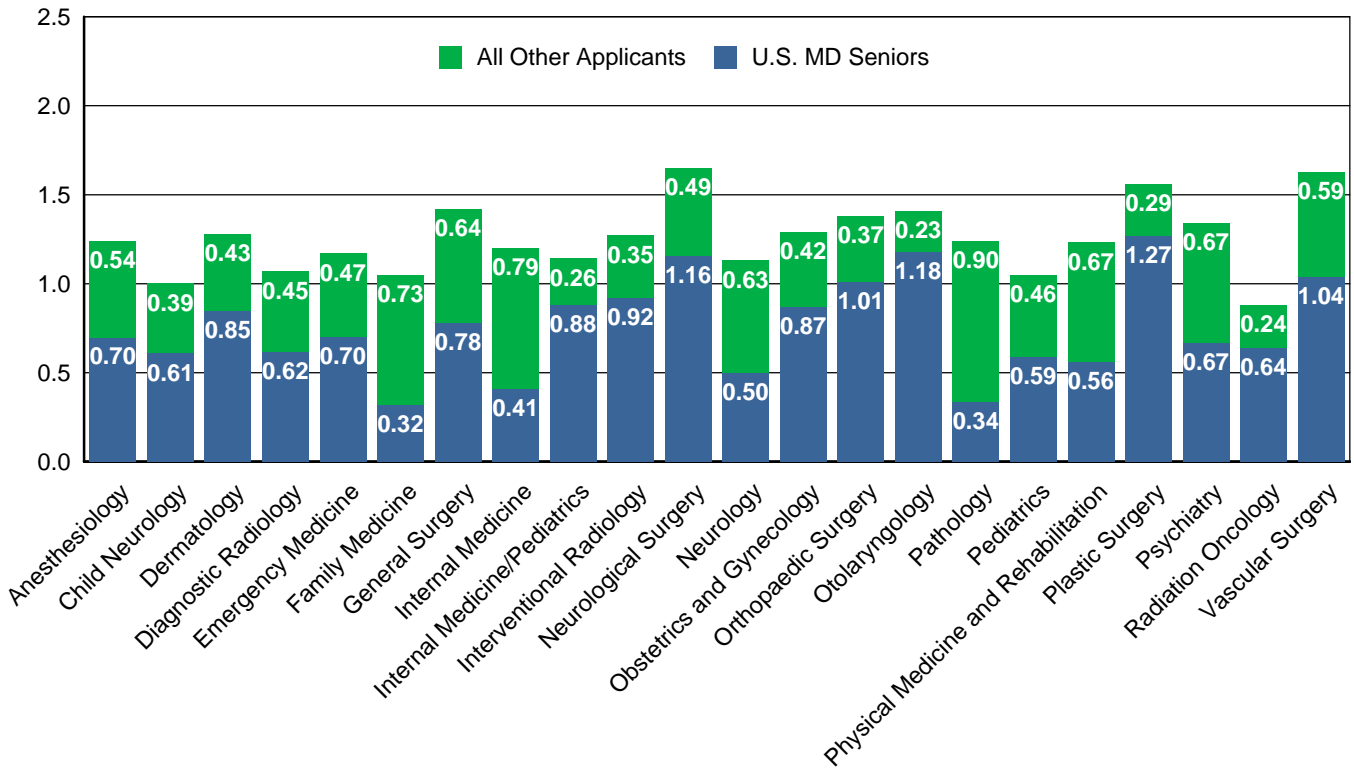
* Preferred specialty is the specialty of the first-ranked program on an applicant's rank order list, excluding preliminary programs in specialties.
Source: NRMP Data Warehouse.

Table 1 provides a summary of the numbers of positions for selected specialties and the numbers of all applicants and U.S. MD seniors who preferred each specialty. For example, a total of 2,339 applicants preferred Anesthesiology (or ranked an Anesthesiology program first), among whom 1,328 are U.S. MD seniors (1,190 matched and 138 not matched to Anesthesiology). For each of the 1,884 Anesthesiology positions offered, there were 1.24 applicants who preferred the specialty, including 0.70 U.S. MD seniors.

Only those specialties offering 50 or more positions are included. For those specialties offering both PGY-1 and PGY-2 positions (including Physician (R) positions), all position types have been combined.

**Chart
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**Ratio of U.S. MD Seniors Ranking Specialty First / Available Positions
by Preferred Specialty**

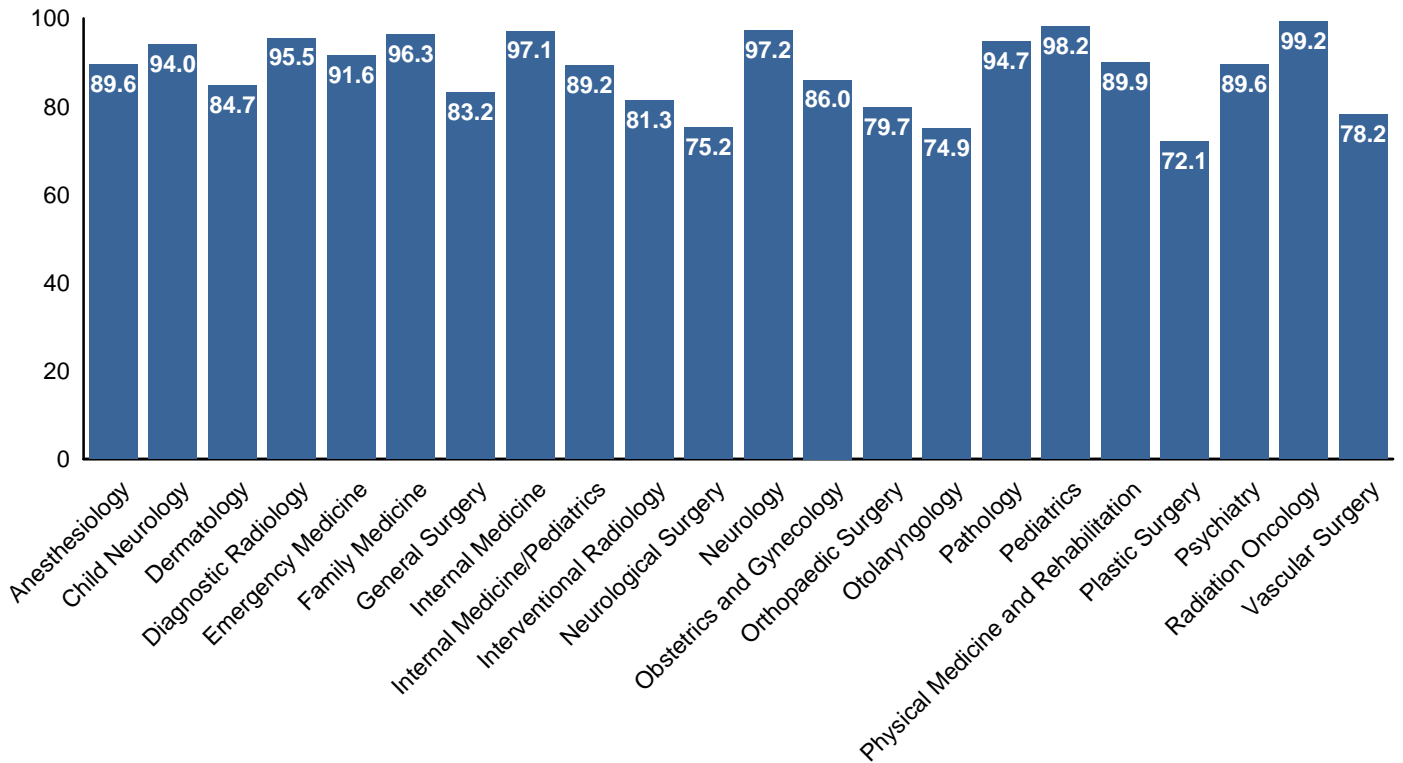


Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Chart 2 shows the ratios of U.S. MD seniors and all applicants who preferred each specialty to available positions in that specialty. All specialties except Neurological Surgery, Orthopaedic Surgery, Otolaryngology, Plastic Surgery, and Vascular Surgery had enough positions to accommodate all U.S. MD seniors who preferred that specialty. The ratio was lowest for Family Medicine, Pathology, and Internal Medicine.

**Chart
3**

**Match Rates of U.S. MD Seniors
Percent Matched by Preferred Specialty**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Chart 3 shows the percentages of U.S. MD seniors who matched to their preferred specialty. Overall, 91.2 percent of U.S. MD seniors matched to their preferred specialty, ranging from a high of 99.2 percent (Radiation Oncology) to a low of 72.1 percent (Plastic Surgery).

**Table
2****Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors
All Specialties Combined**

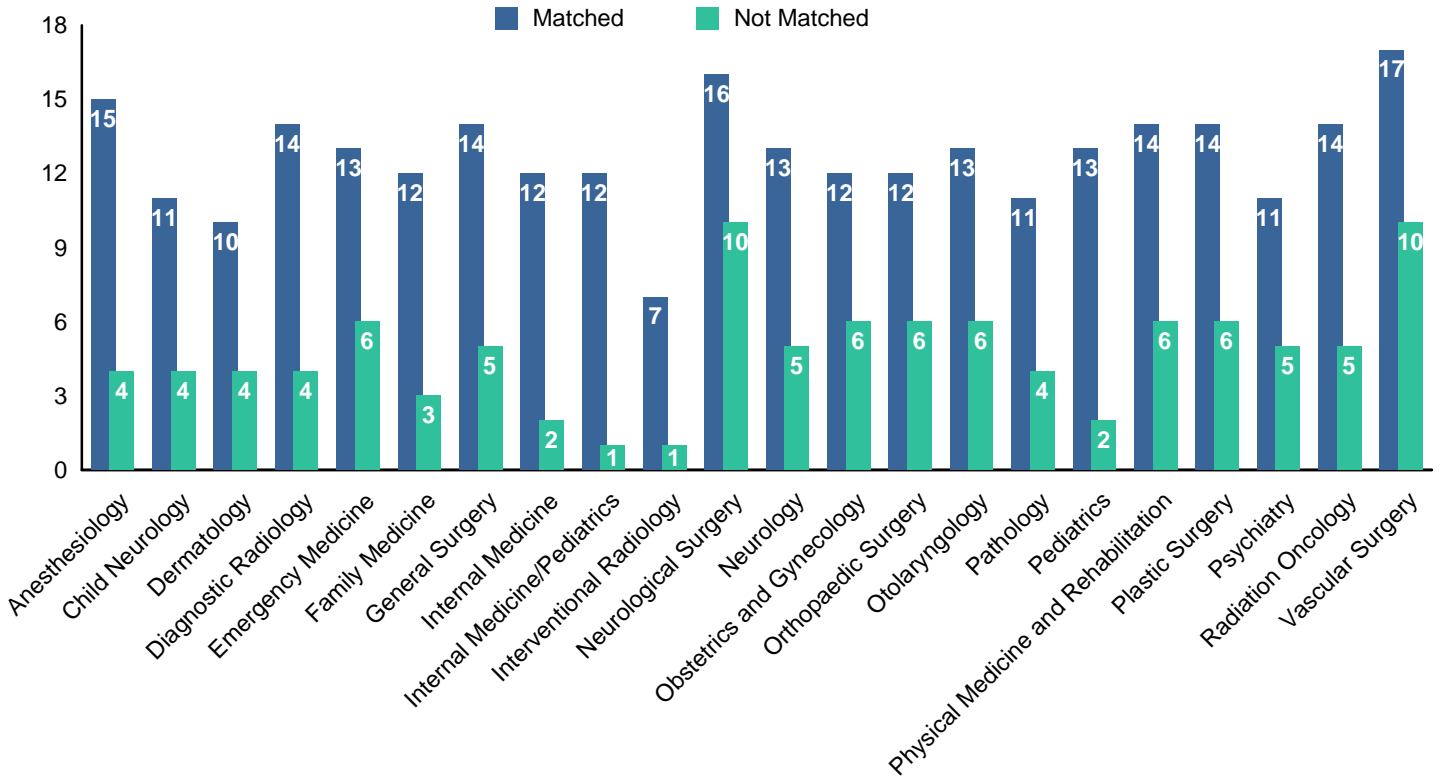
| Measure | Matched (n=16,058) | Not Matched (n=1,527) |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 12.5 | 5.8 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.2 | 1.5 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 234 | 226 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 CK score | 247 | 238 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 3.5 | 3.8 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 6.9 | 6.8 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.5 | 3.5 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 7.9 | 7.5 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 16.7 | 7.8 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 31.0 | 22.2 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 3.7 | 3.1 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 17.8 | 22.4 |

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

Table 2 provides summary statistics for all specialties by Match outcome on the 12 measures presented in this report. Data on each of these measures are displayed graphically by preferred specialty on the following pages. Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included in this table and the rest of the report.

**Chart
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**Median Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
by Preferred Specialty and Match Status**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

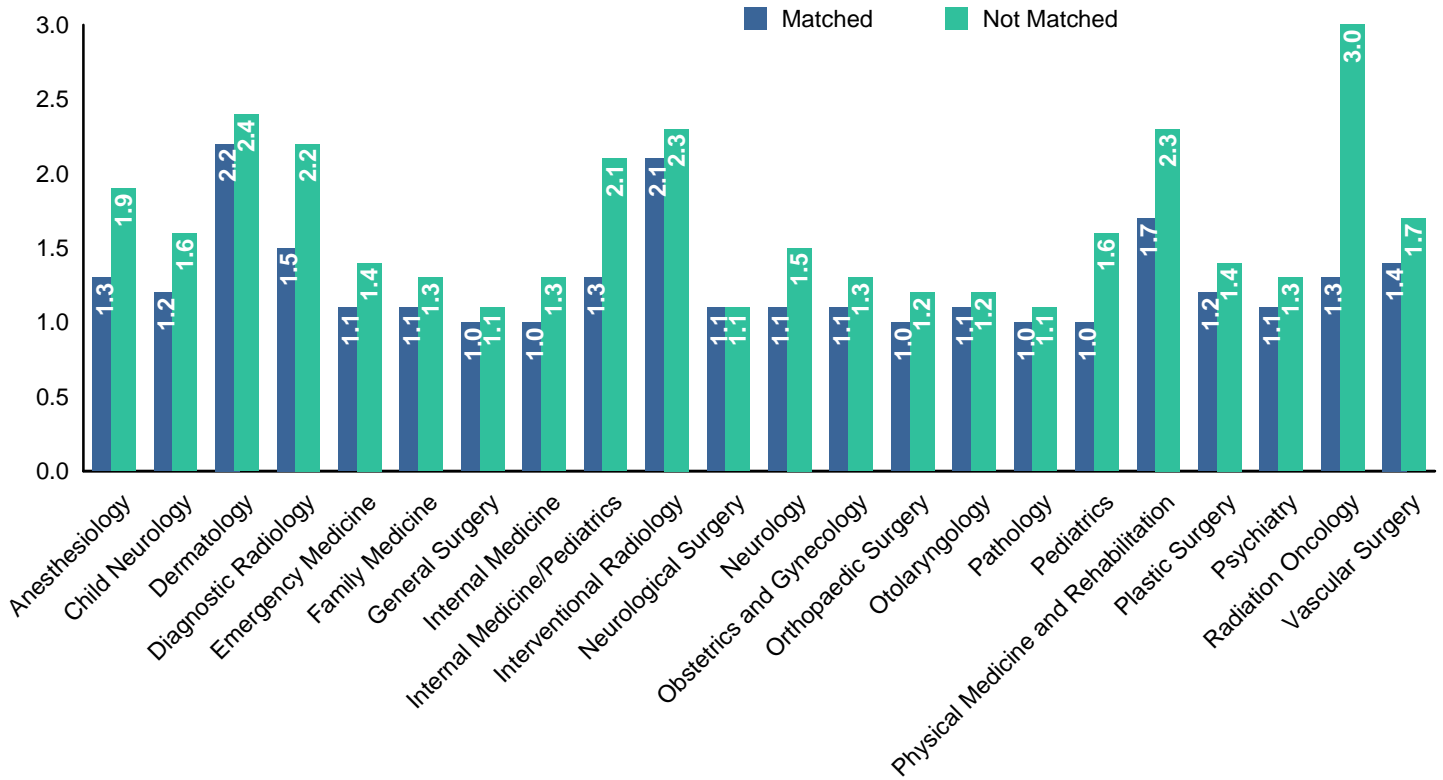
In general, applicants are more likely to be successful if they rank more programs in their desired specialty. To quantify this aspect of applicant behavior, we tallied the number of programs ranked in the first-choice specialty before a program in another specialty appeared on the applicant's rank order list (contiguous ranks).

Chart 4 displays the median number of contiguous ranks by preferred specialty for U.S. MD seniors who matched and did not match to their preferred specialty. The chart shows some variation across the specialties for U.S. MD seniors. Vascular Surgery had the longest average contiguous rank list (17) for matched U.S. MD seniors and Interventional Radiology had the shortest (7). For all specialties, U.S. MD seniors who matched to their preferred specialty had median contiguous rank lists that were longer than those of U.S. MD seniors who did not match.

The principal message of these graphs is that applicants with longer rank order lists are more successful than those with shorter ones. Some applicants may have shorter lists because they found only a few programs willing to entertain their applications or because they could not afford a large number of interview trips.

**Chart
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**Mean Number of Different Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
by Preferred Specialty and Match Status**

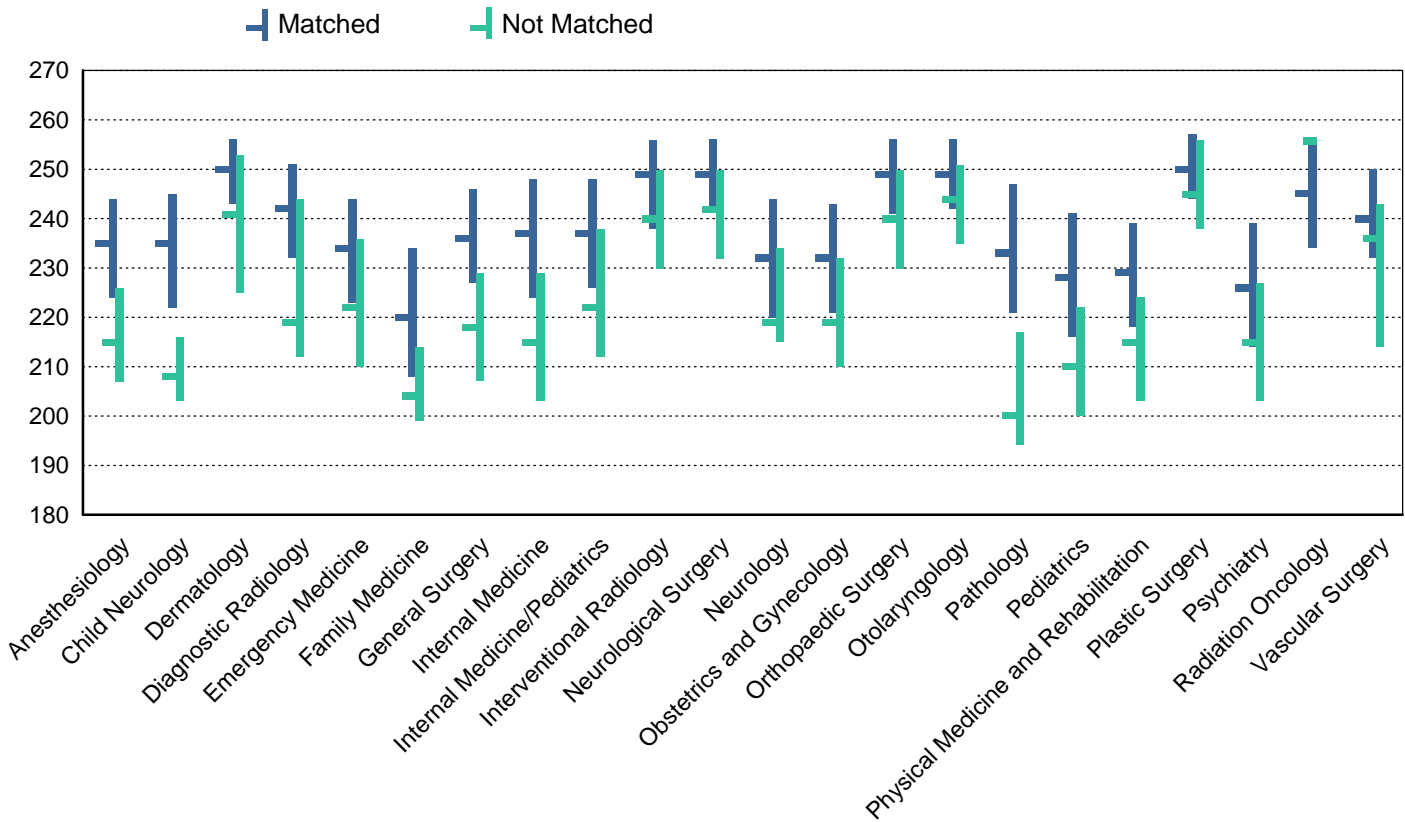


Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Some applicants are interested in a single specialty while others consider two or more. Chart 5 displays the average number of different specialties ranked by preferred specialty and Match outcome. For all specialties except Neurological Surgery, U.S. MD seniors who did not match to their preferred specialty had a higher mean number of different specialties ranked.

**Chart
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
by Preferred Specialty and Match Status**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

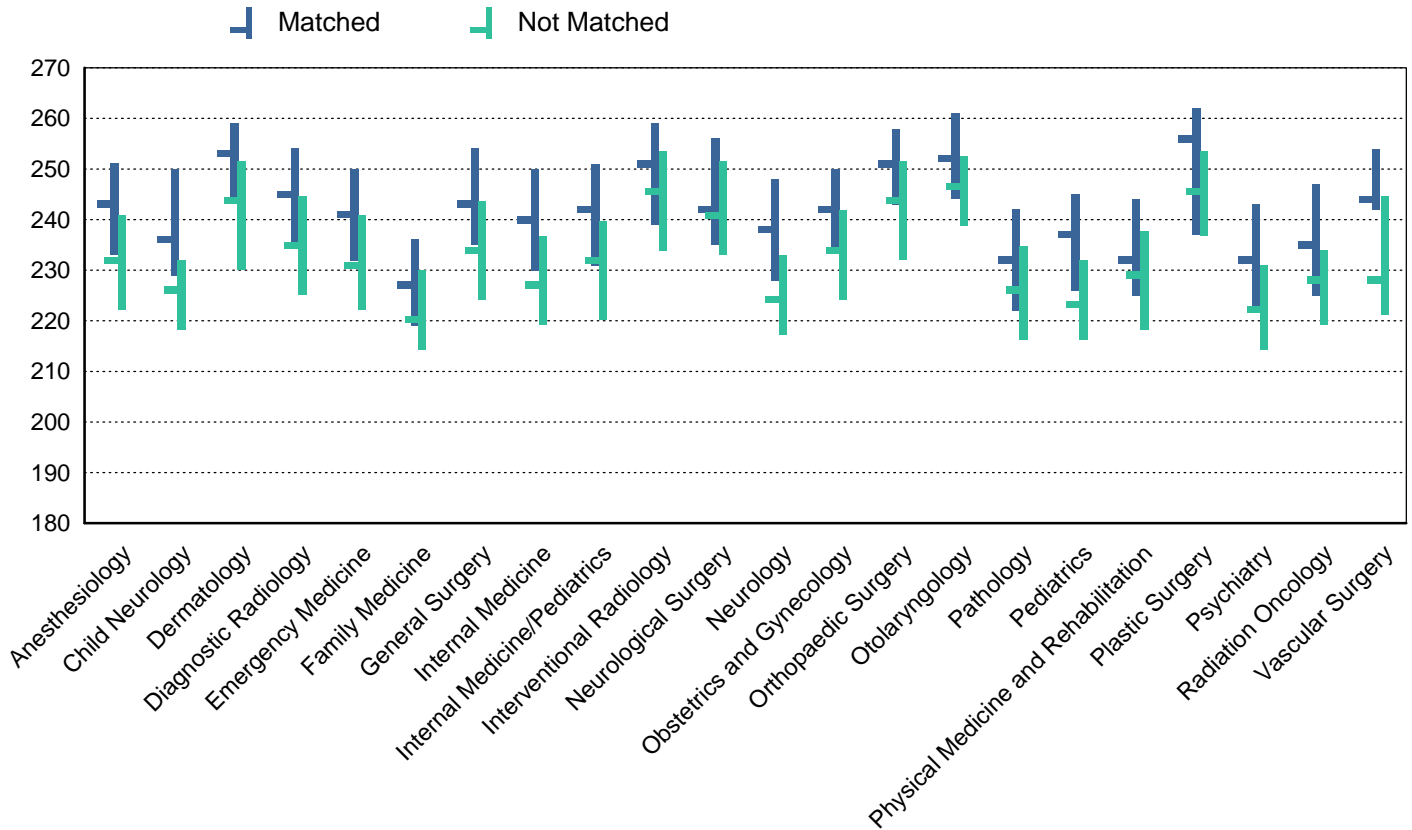
USMLE Step 1 scores are a measure of a student’s understanding of important basic science concepts and the ability to apply that knowledge to the practice of medicine. Although such knowledge is only one facet of applicant qualifications considered by program directors in their selection process, a Step 1 score is the only qualification that is universally available for all applicants during the interview season and prior to the NRMP’s ranking deadline. Overall, U.S. MD seniors who matched to their preferred specialty have *mean* USMLE Step 1 scores of 234.0 (s.d. = 17.0), well above the 2020 minimum passing score of 194. Step 1 scores were available for 99 percent of U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to research.

Chart 6 displays the Step 1 scores for U.S. MD seniors by specialty and match status. The horizontal bars are the *median* values and the vertical lines show the interquartile ranges (IQR, the range of scores for applicants excluding the top and bottom quarters of the distribution). Scores generally are higher for the more competitive specialties, but there is substantial overlap when specialties are compared.

Across all specialties except Radiation Oncology, the IQR of U.S. MD seniors who matched to their preferred specialties was higher than those who did not match. Only one U.S. MD senior preferred Radiation Oncology and did not match.

**Chart
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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
by Preferred Specialty and Match Status**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

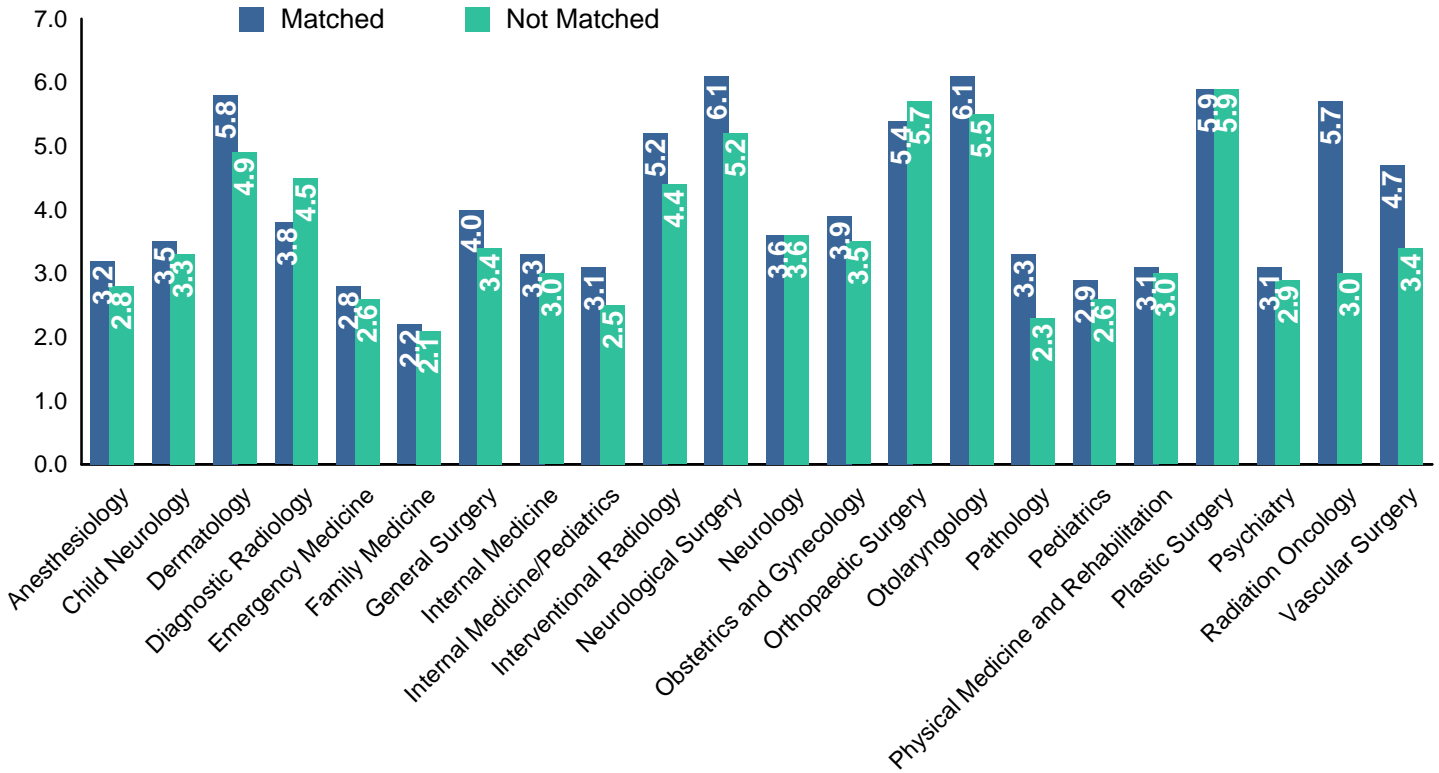
USMLE Step 2 CK scores are a measure of an applicant's ability to apply the medical knowledge, skills, and understanding of clinical science essential for providing patient care. Overall, U.S. MD seniors who matched to their preferred specialty had *mean* USMLE Step 2 CK scores of 246.9 (s.d. = 14.2), well above the 2020 minimum passing score of 209. Step 2 CK scores were available for 98 percent of U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to research.

Chart 7 shows the Step 2 CK scores for U.S. MD seniors by preferred specialty and match status. The horizontal bars are the *median* values and the vertical lines show the interquartile ranges. As was the case for the Step 1 scores, the more competitive specialties have higher average Step 2 CK scores, but the overall variation is smaller.

Across all specialties, the IQR of U.S. MD seniors who matched to their preferred specialties was higher than those who did not match.

**Chart
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**Mean Number of Research Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
by Preferred Specialty and Match Status**

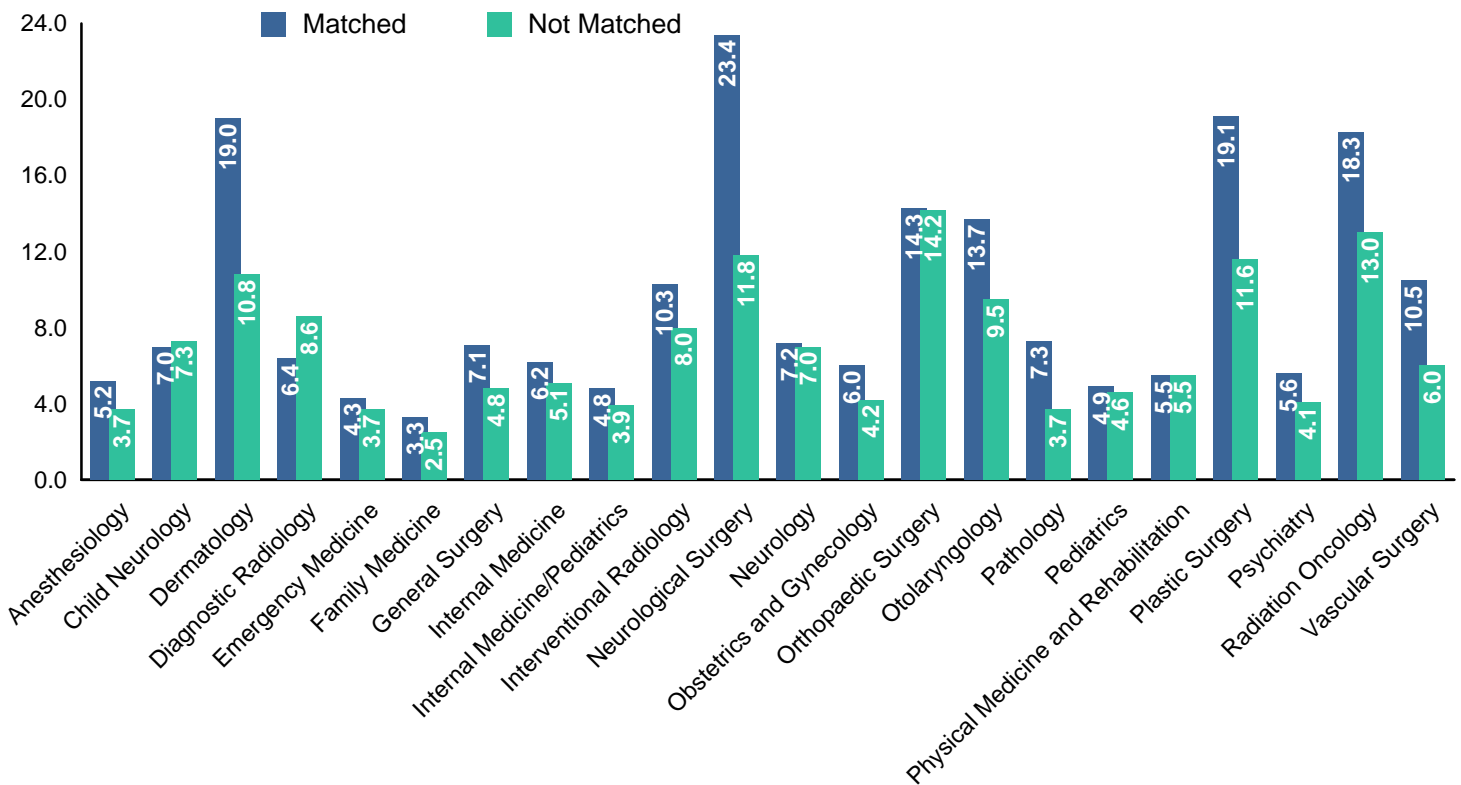


Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Applicants were asked to report the number of research experiences entered in their Electronic Residency Application Service (ERAS) applications. The experiences are not verified or evaluated and quality may vary greatly. Chart 8 shows the average number of research experiences by preferred specialty and Match outcome. U.S. MD seniors averaged 3.6 research experiences, with 85.4 percent reporting this information. For all specialties except Diagnostic Radiology and Orthopaedic Surgery, matched U.S. MD seniors had on average more or equal numbers of research experiences.

**Chart
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**Mean Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
by Preferred Specialty and Match Status**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

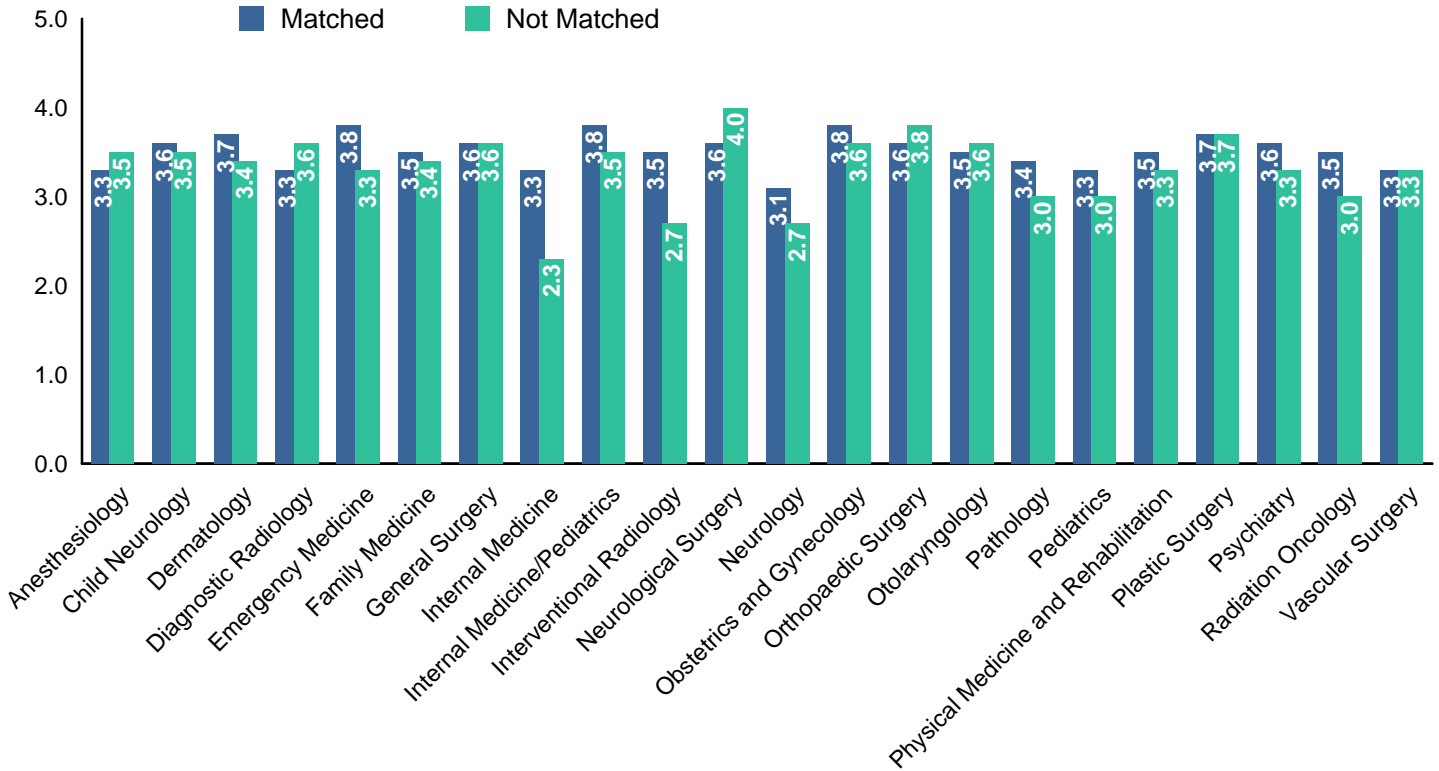
Applicants were asked to list the number of abstracts, presentations, and publications they reported in their ERAS applications. This information is self-reported and may include peer-reviewed articles, abstracts, poster sessions, and invited national or regional presentations. Some residency programs may independently verify and even review publications for applicants in whom they have an interest, but most probably do not.

Many applicants report abstracts, presentations, or publications, sometimes dozens or even hundreds. In the individual specialty sections, we distinguish between no publications, 1 to 5 publications, and more than 5 publications. Chart 9 shows the average number of publications by preferred specialty and Match outcome.

U.S. MD seniors averaged 6.9 publications, with 80.3 percent reporting this information. Matched U.S. MD seniors had a higher mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications in all specialties but Child Neurology, Diagnostic Radiology, and Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation.

**Chart
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**Mean Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
by Preferred Specialty and Match Status**

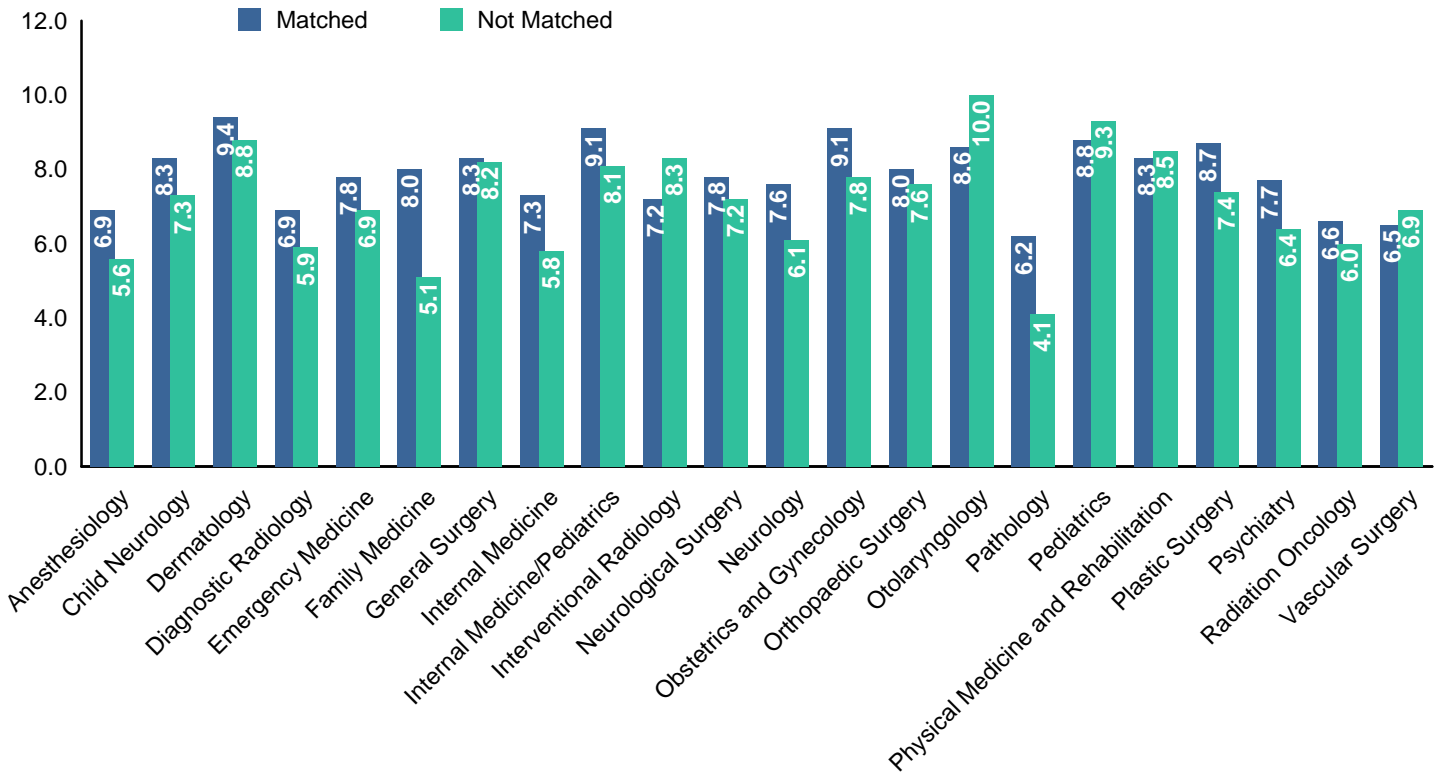


Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Applicants were asked to list the number of work experiences they reported in their ERAS application. Chart 10 shows the average number of work experiences by preferred specialty and Match outcome. There is little variation across specialties or within specialties (matched or not matched) for U.S. MD seniors. More than three-quarters (83.8%) of U.S. MD seniors reported work experiences, with an average of 3.5 work experiences for all U.S. MD seniors. Differences in mean number of work experiences are small in most specialties.

**Chart
11**

**Mean Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
by Preferred Specialty and Match Status**

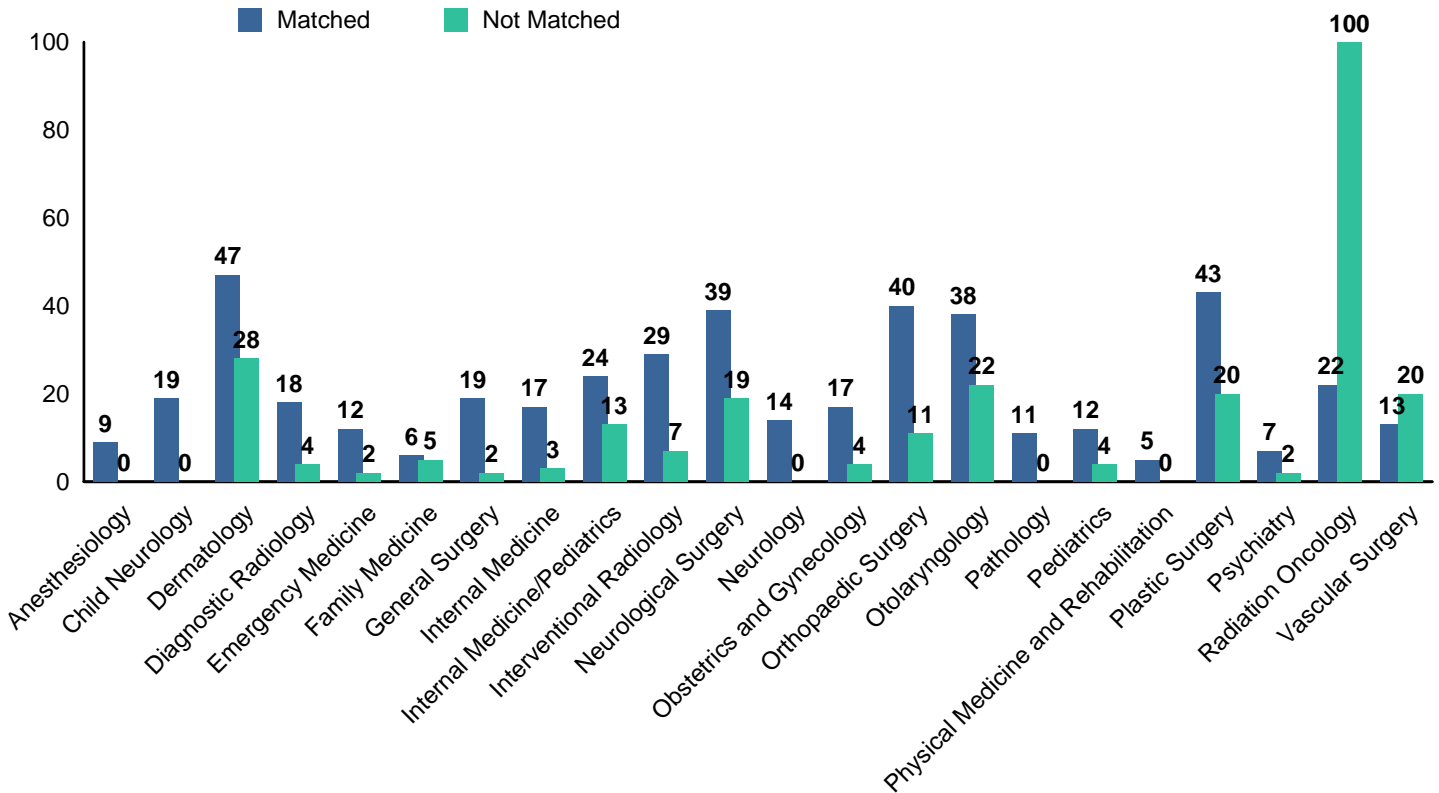


Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Applicants were asked to list the number of volunteer experiences they reported in their ERAS applications. Chart 11 displays the average number of volunteer experiences by preferred specialty and Match outcome. Matched U.S. MD seniors in most specialties averaged more volunteer experiences when compared to unmatched U.S. MD seniors in the same specialties, with several averaging at least one more experience. U.S. MD seniors averaged 7.8 volunteer experiences, with 88.0 percent reporting at least one experience.

**Chart
12**

**Percentage of U.S. MD Seniors Who Are Members of AOA
by Preferred Specialty and Match Status**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Membership in Alpha Omega Alpha (AOA) Honor Medical Society is an honor reserved for students with high academic achievement. AOA membership is limited to students in medical schools that sponsor an AOA chapter. Most, but not all, allopathic schools in the United States participate. An analysis of its relationship with success in the Match is limited by the relatively small number of applicants who are members, by the fact that some schools do not have AOA chapters, and by the fact that other schools elect AOA members too late in the academic year for it to be considered in the application process.

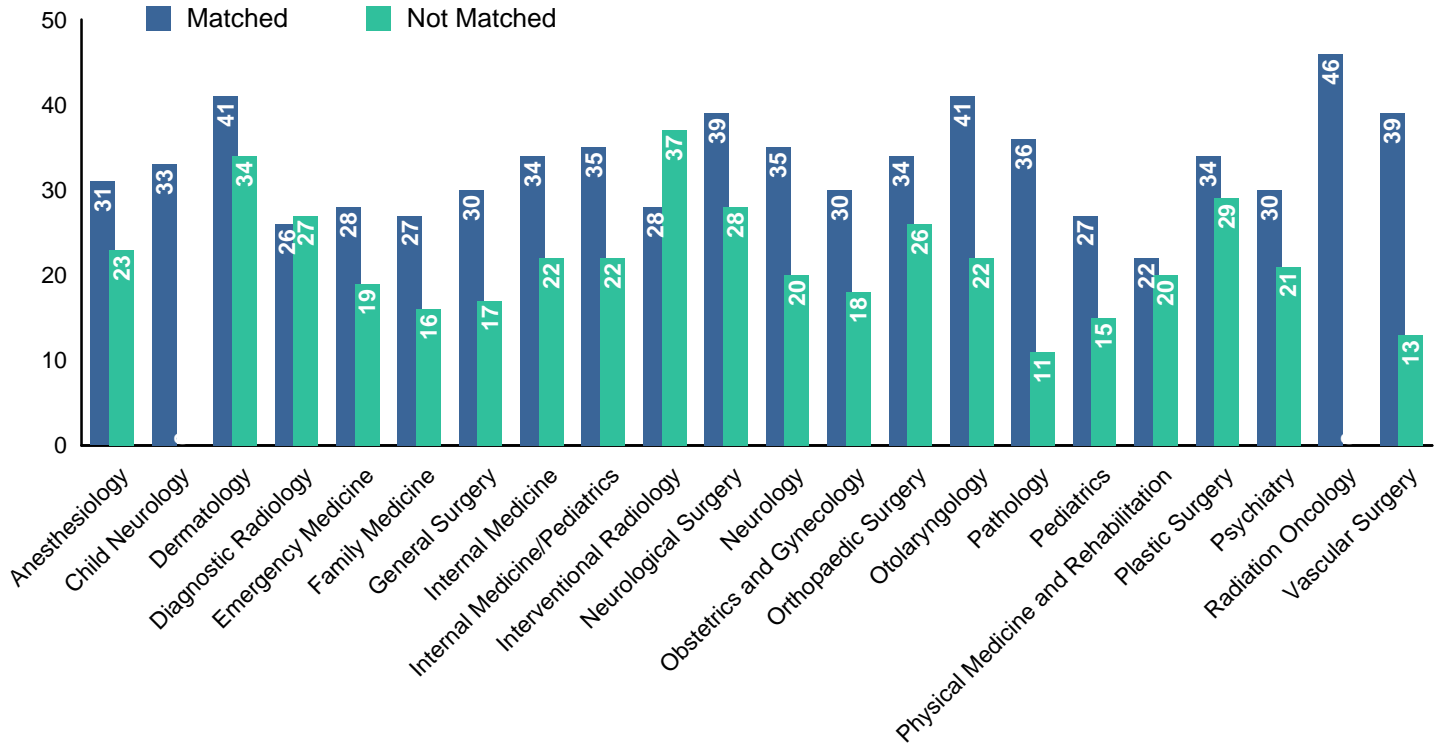
Data on AOA membership are self-reported. Overall, 16.1 percent of U.S. MD seniors included in this report claimed AOA membership. Among U.S. MD seniors who matched to their preferred specialty, 16.7 percent reported AOA membership, compared to 7.8 percent of unmatched applicants.

As with several of the other measures, the most competitive specialties are able to attract the greatest proportion of AOA members. All specialties attract some AOA applicants, but for most specialties AOA members account for fewer than one in four successful applicants.

Note: For Radiation Oncology, only one unmatched U.S. MD senior who gave consent reported their AOA membership.

**Chart
13**

Percentage of U.S. MD Seniors Graduating from One of the 40 U.S. Medical Schools with the Highest NIH Funding* by Preferred Specialty and Match Status



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

*NIH funding information was obtained from NIH website: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>.

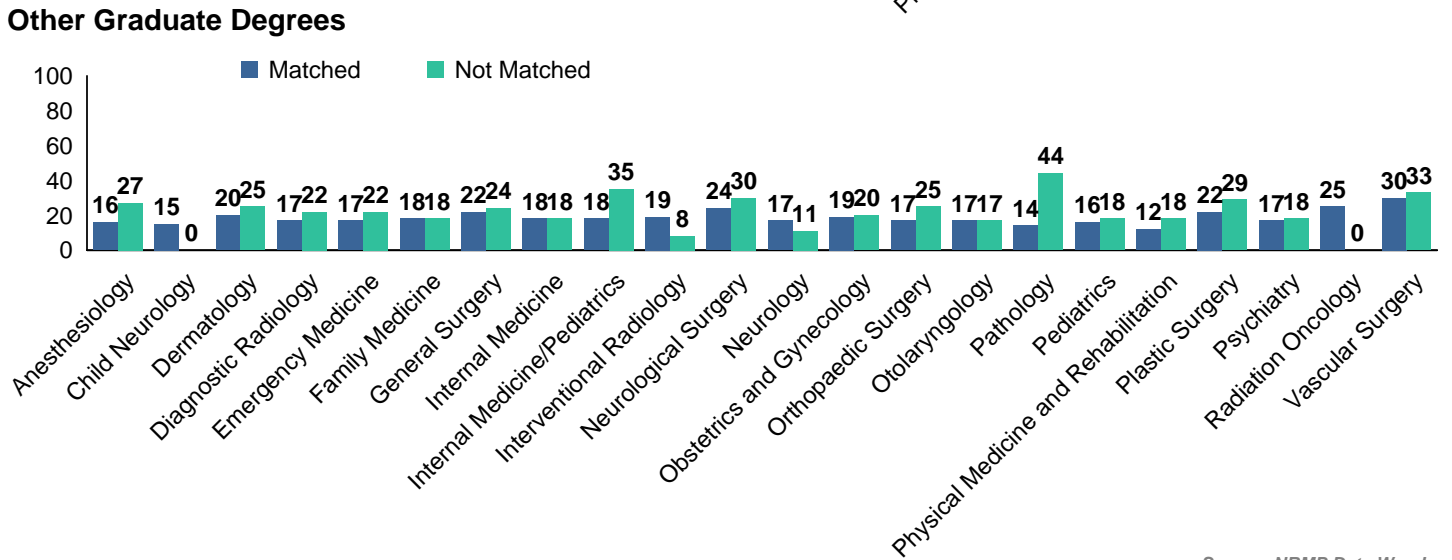
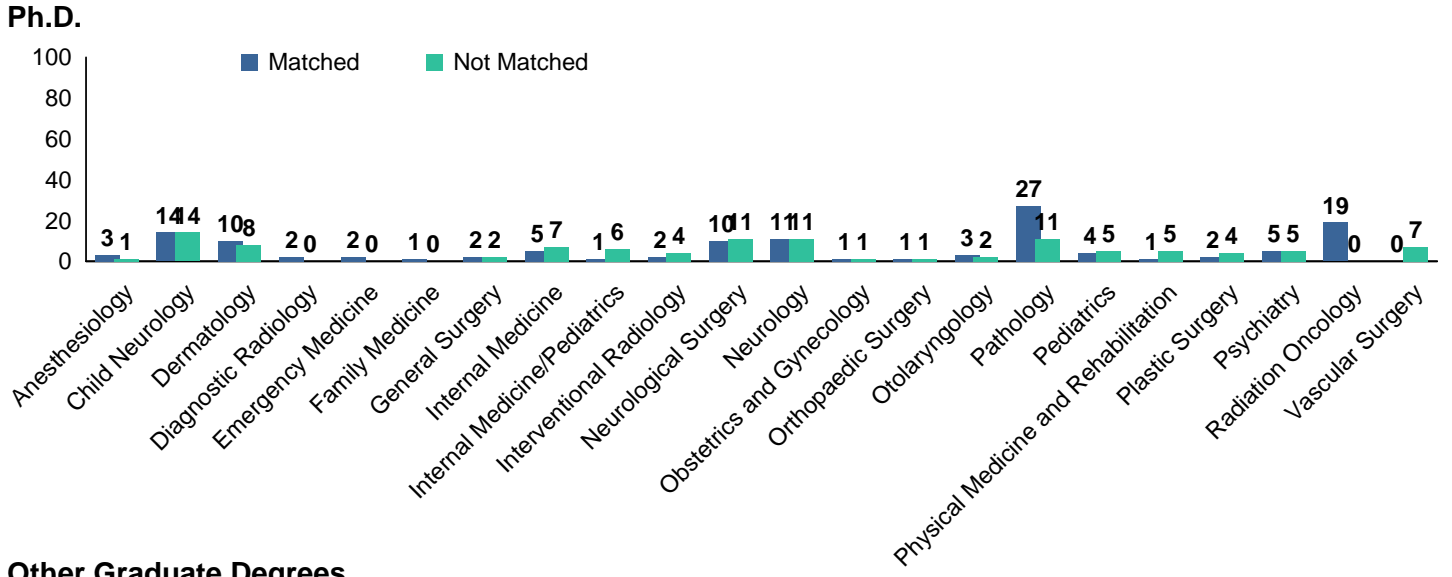
Some program directors may give preference to applicants with research experience or who graduated from a research-intensive medical school. To test that assumption, we obtained data on the amount of NIH grant awards and identified the 40 schools with the highest NIH funding. This measure, by definition, is limited to students of U.S. medical schools. Overall, 31.0 percent of matched and 22.2 percent of unmatched MD seniors were graduates of one of the 40 medical schools with the highest NIH funding.

Chart 13 shows the percentage of U.S. MD seniors who graduated from those schools by specialty and Match outcome. For example, 31 percent of U.S. MD seniors who matched in Anesthesiology were graduates of one of the 40 medical schools with the highest NIH funding, and 23 percent of U.S. MD seniors who did not match in Anesthesiology were graduates of those schools.

Radiation Oncology had the highest percentage of matched U.S. MD seniors who were graduates of a medical school with the highest NIH funding. Child Neurology, Dermatology, Otolaryngology, Neurological Surgery, and Vascular Surgery also had higher percentages of matched applicants from those schools compared to the other specialties. For all specialties except Diagnostic Radiology and Interventional Radiology, smaller percentages of MD seniors who did not match to their preferred specialty were graduates of a medical school with the highest NIH funding compared to MD seniors who matched.

**Chart
14**

**Percentage of U.S. MD Seniors Who Have a Graduate Degree
by Preferred Specialty and Match Status**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Chart 14 shows by preferred specialty and match status the percentage of U.S. MD seniors who have a Ph.D. and/or other graduate degrees. Pathology, Radiation Oncology, Child Neurology, Neurological Surgery, and Neurology had the highest percentages of matched U.S. MD seniors with a Ph.D. degree. For most specialties, the percentage of unmatched U.S. MD seniors who have other graduate degrees was higher than that of their matched counterparts.

AN Anesthesiology

**Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors
Anesthesiology**

| Measure | Matched (n=1,112) | Unmatched (n=117) |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 15.1 | 5.1 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.3 | 1.9 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 234 | 217 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 246 | 227 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 3.2 | 2.8 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 5.2 | 3.7 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.3 | 3.5 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 6.9 | 5.6 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 9.4 | 0.0 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 30.6 | 23.1 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 3.0 | 0.9 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 16.0 | 26.6 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

Chart AN-1

**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
*Anesthesiology***

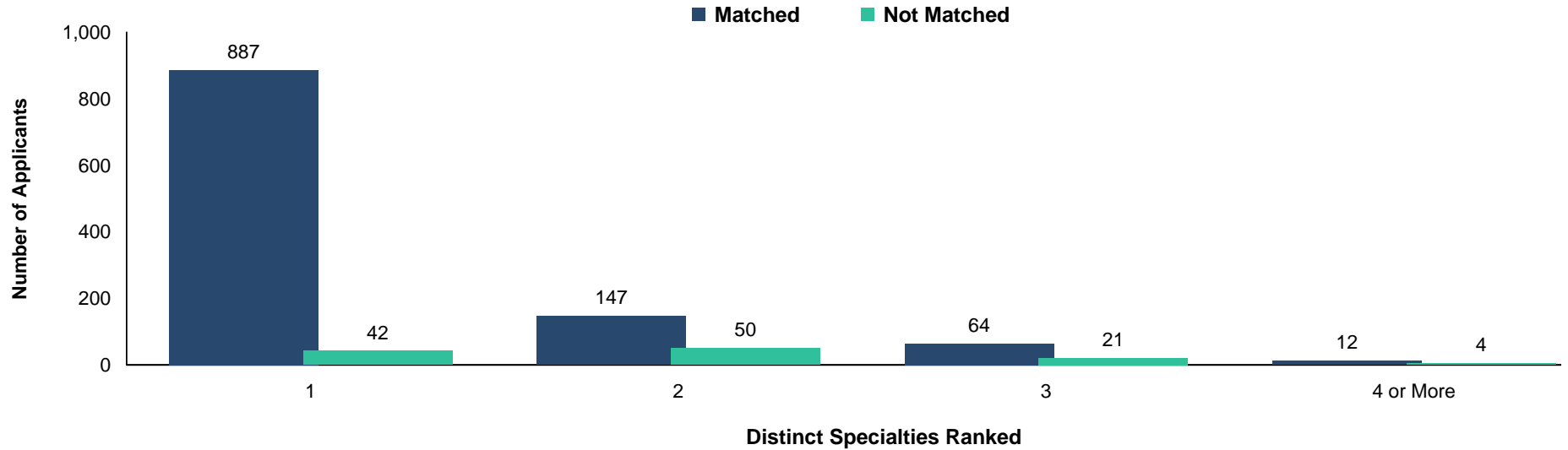
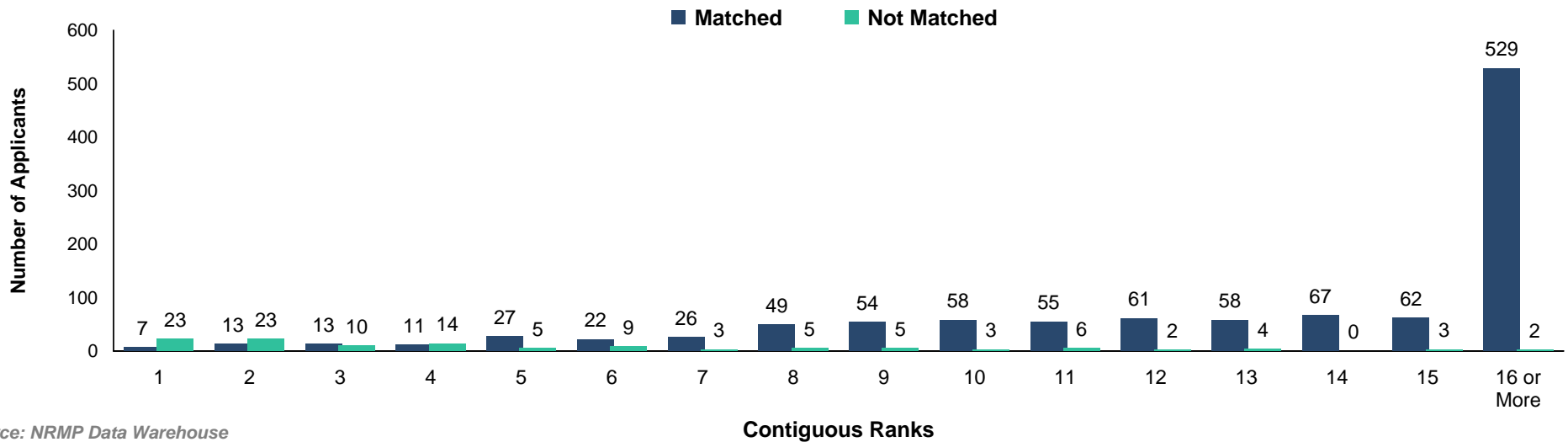


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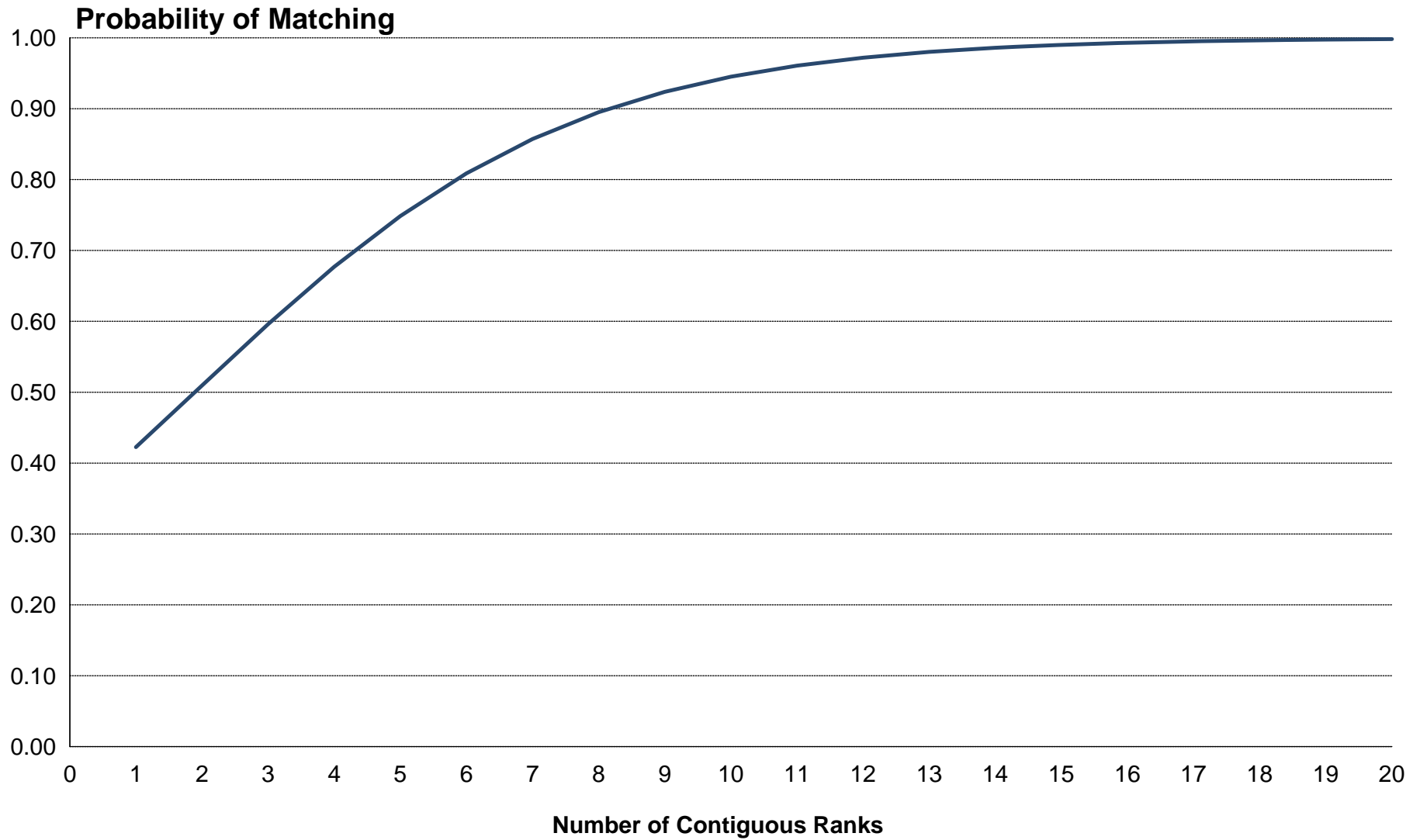
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
*Anesthesiology***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

Anesthesiology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

Chart AN-3

**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Anesthesiology**

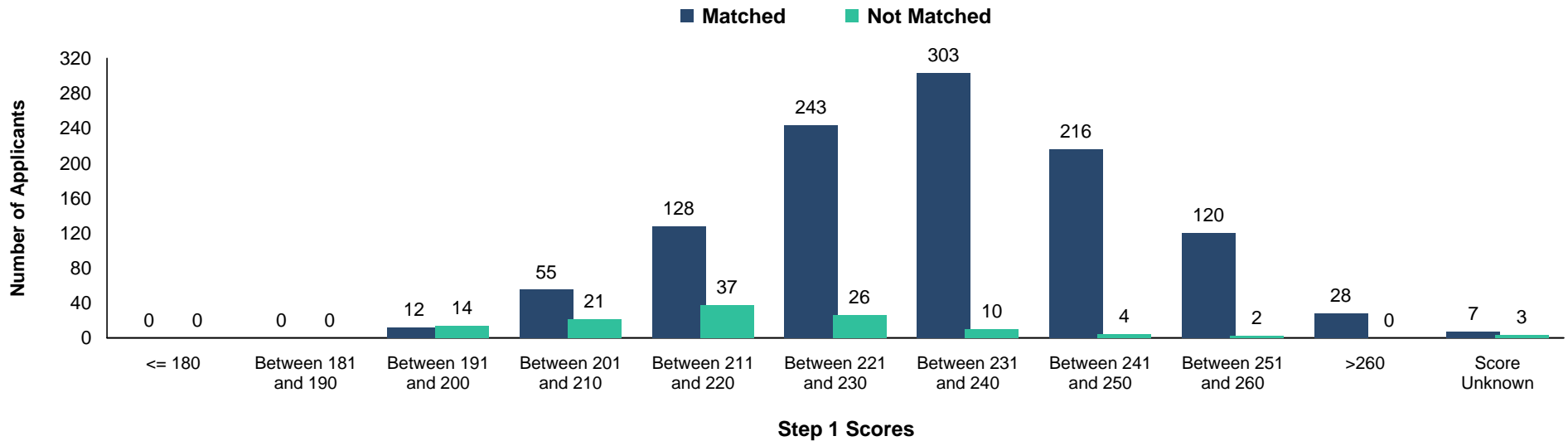
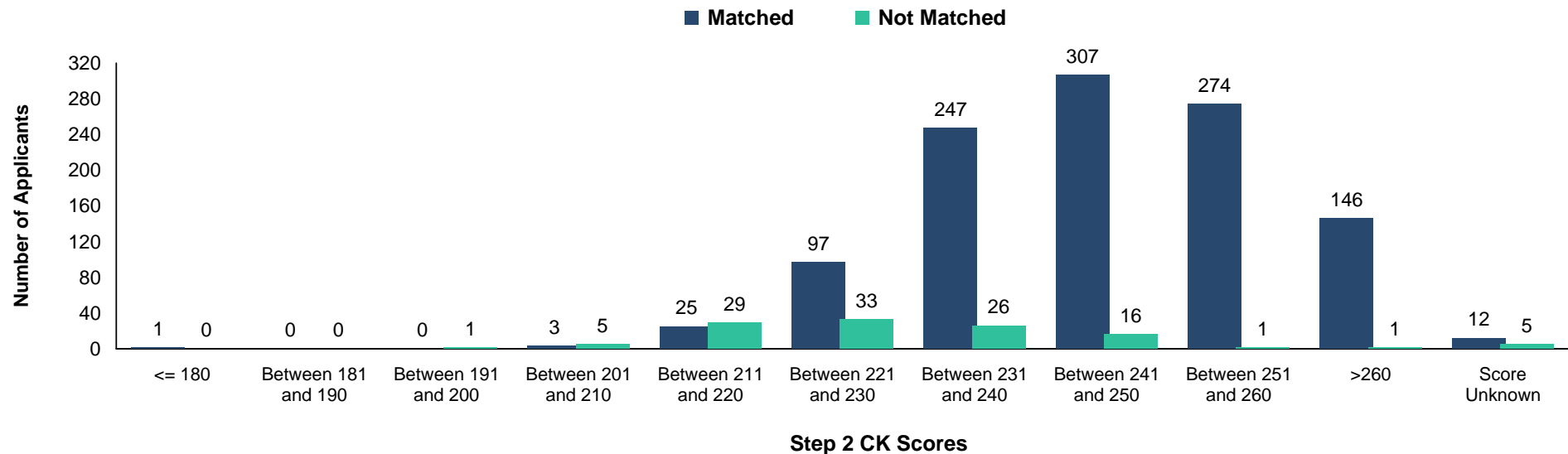


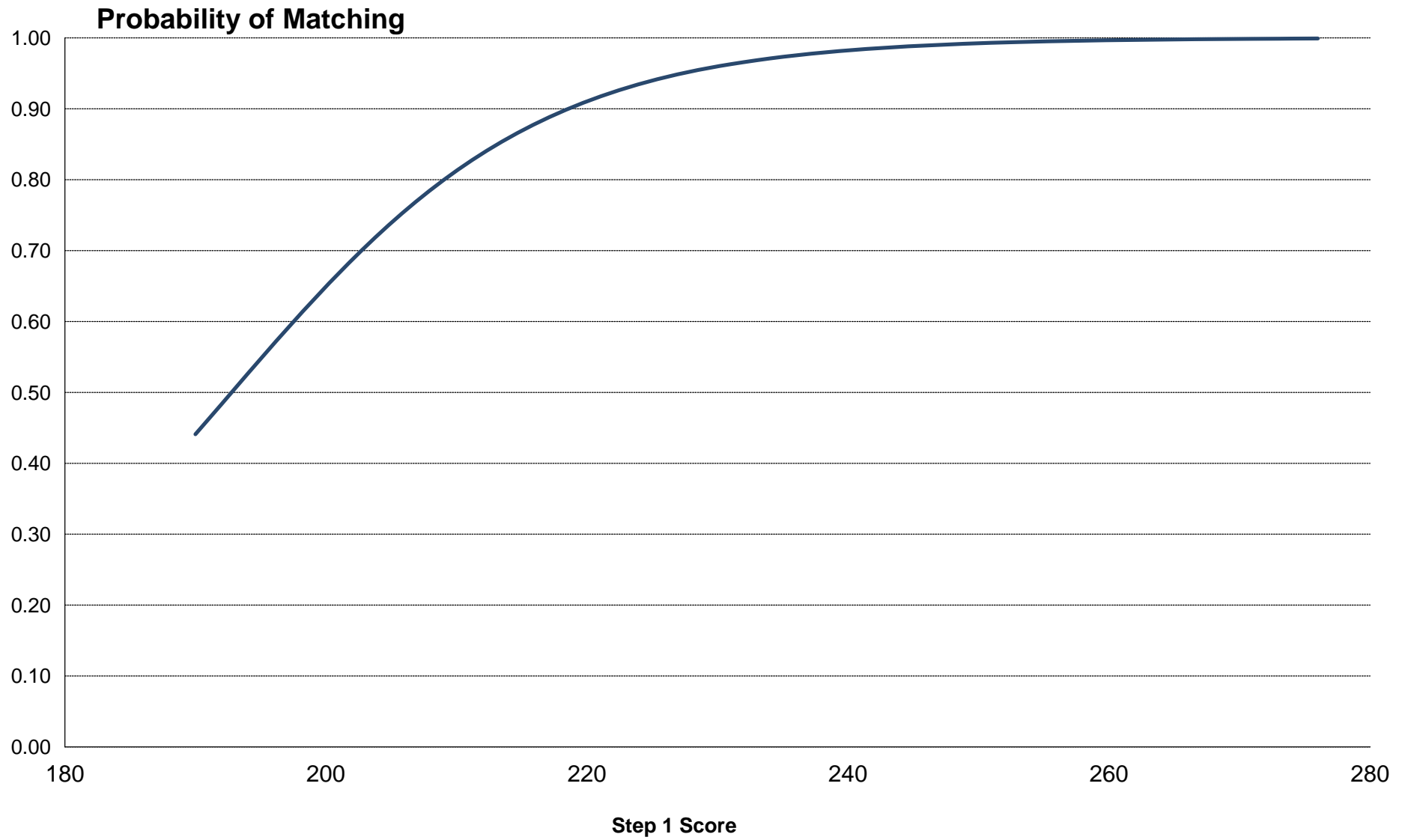
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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Anesthesiology**



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

Anesthesiology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants.

Chart AN-5

**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
Anesthesiology**

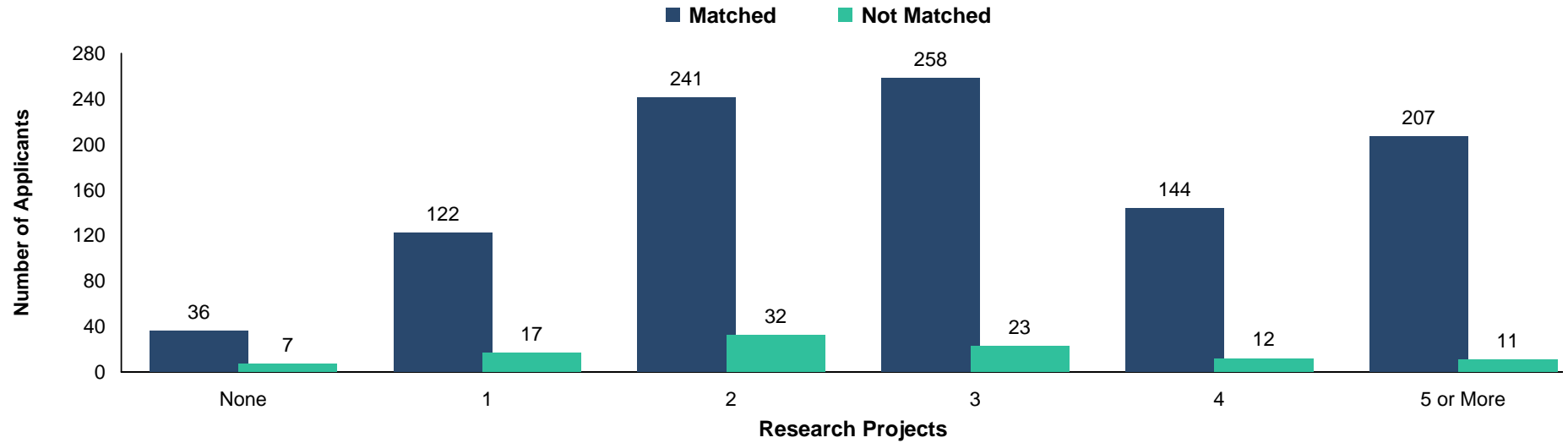
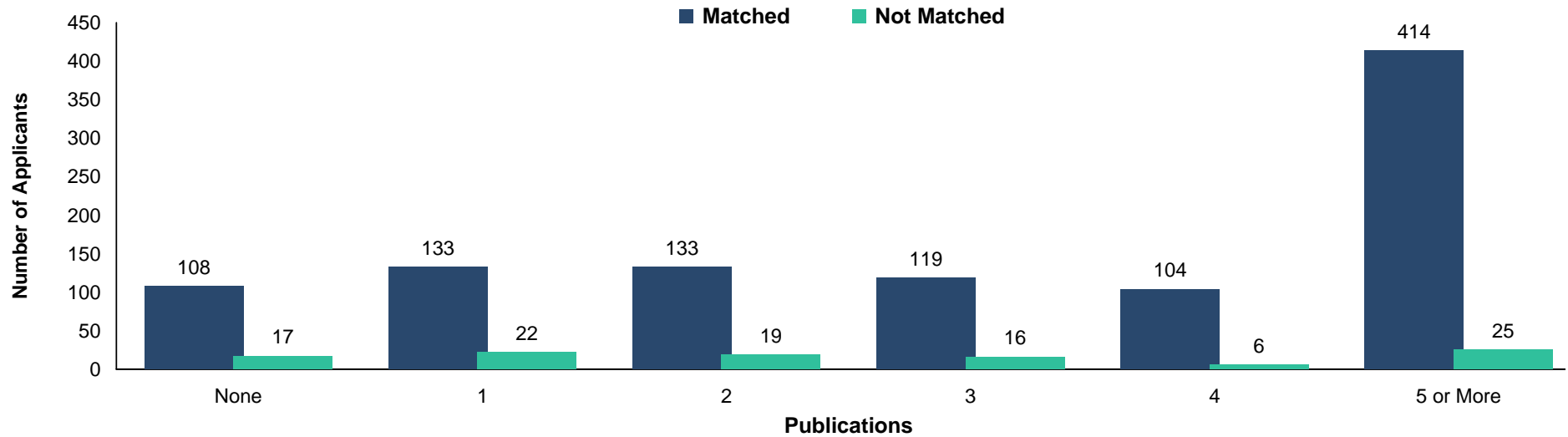


Chart AN-6

**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
Anesthesiology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Chart AN-7 Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Anesthesiology

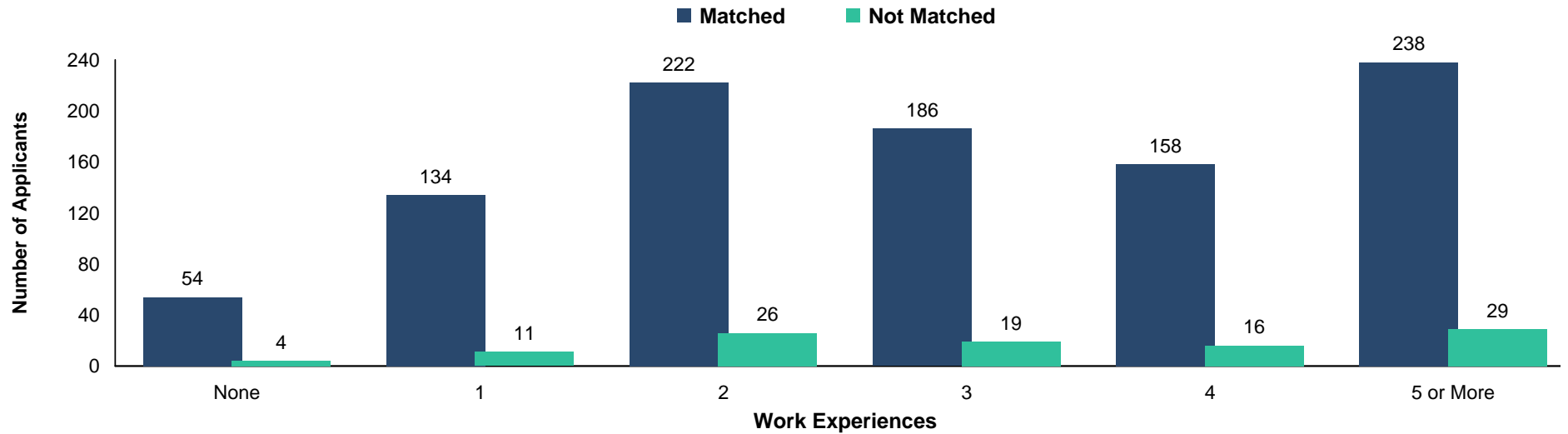
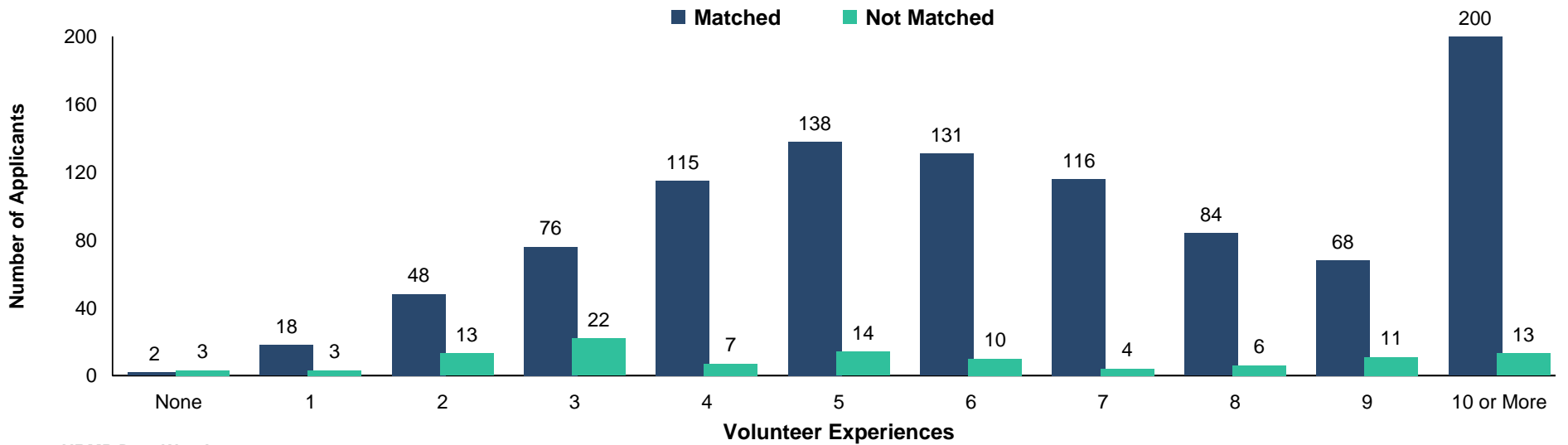


Chart AN-8 Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Anesthesiology

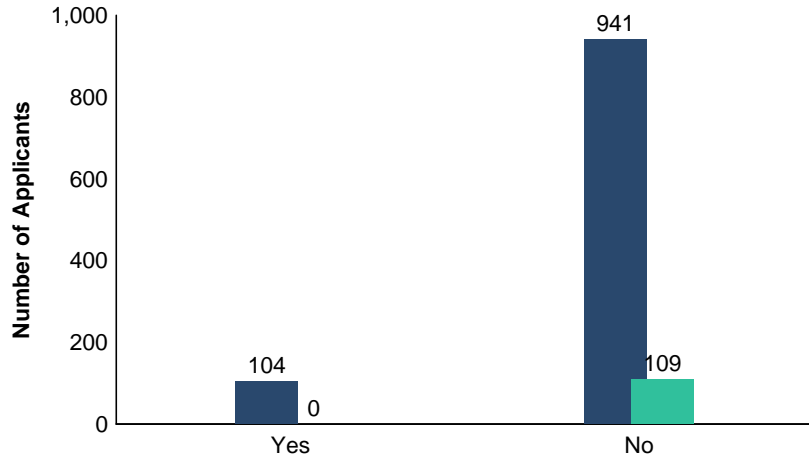


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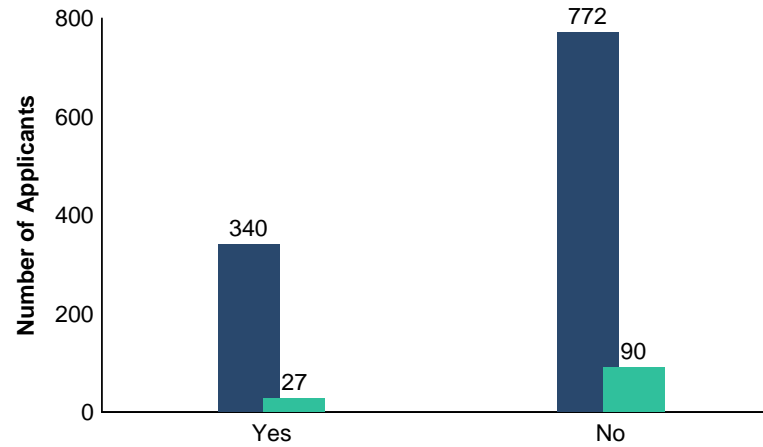
**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
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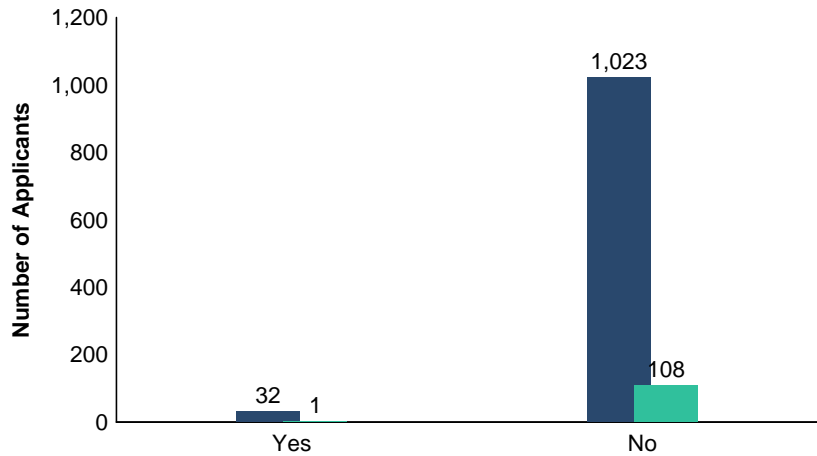
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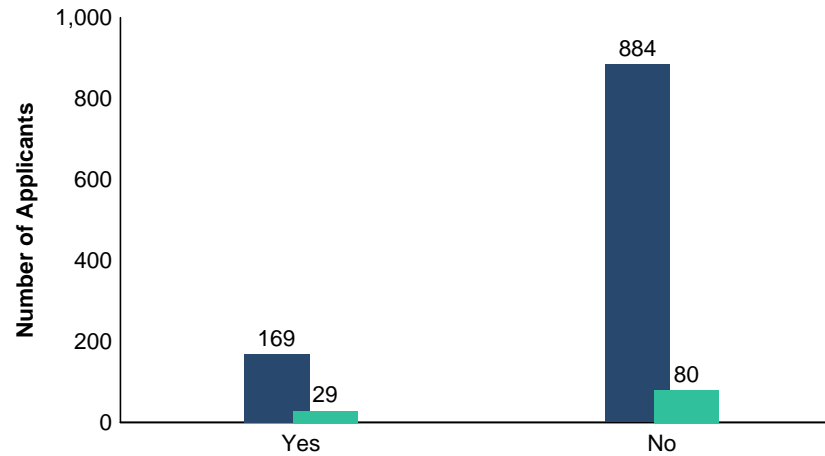
Graduate of One of the 40 U.S. Medical Schools with the Highest NIH Funding



Ph.D. Degree



Other Graduate Degree



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

CN Child Neurology

Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors

Child Neurology

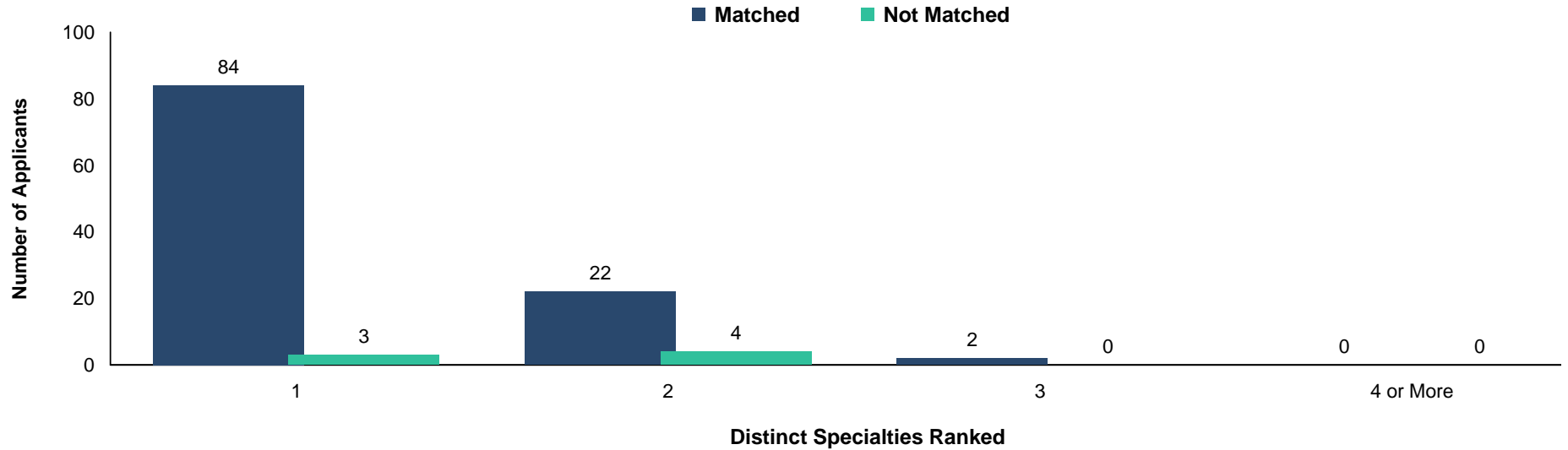
| Measure | Matched (n=108) | Unmatched (n=7) |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 11.2 | 5.0 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.2 | 1.6 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 233 | 210 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 246 | 224 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 3.5 | 3.3 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 7.0 | 7.3 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.6 | 3.5 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 8.3 | 7.3 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 18.5 | 0.0 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 33.3 | 0.0 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 14.2 | 14.3 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 14.6 | 0.0 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources: NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

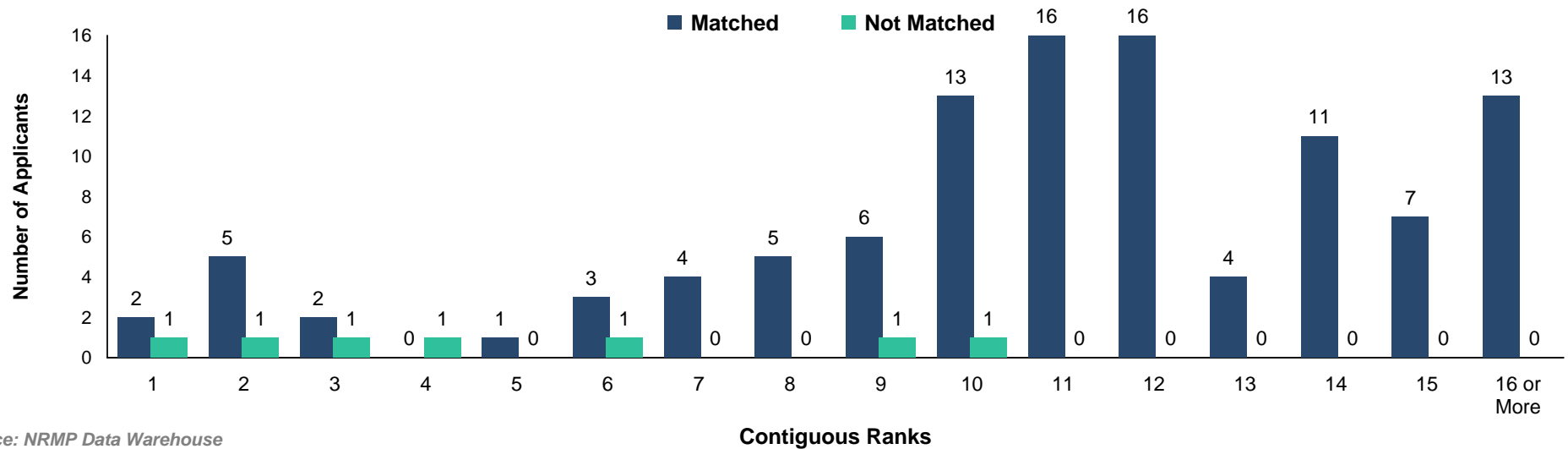
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Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
Child Neurology



**Chart
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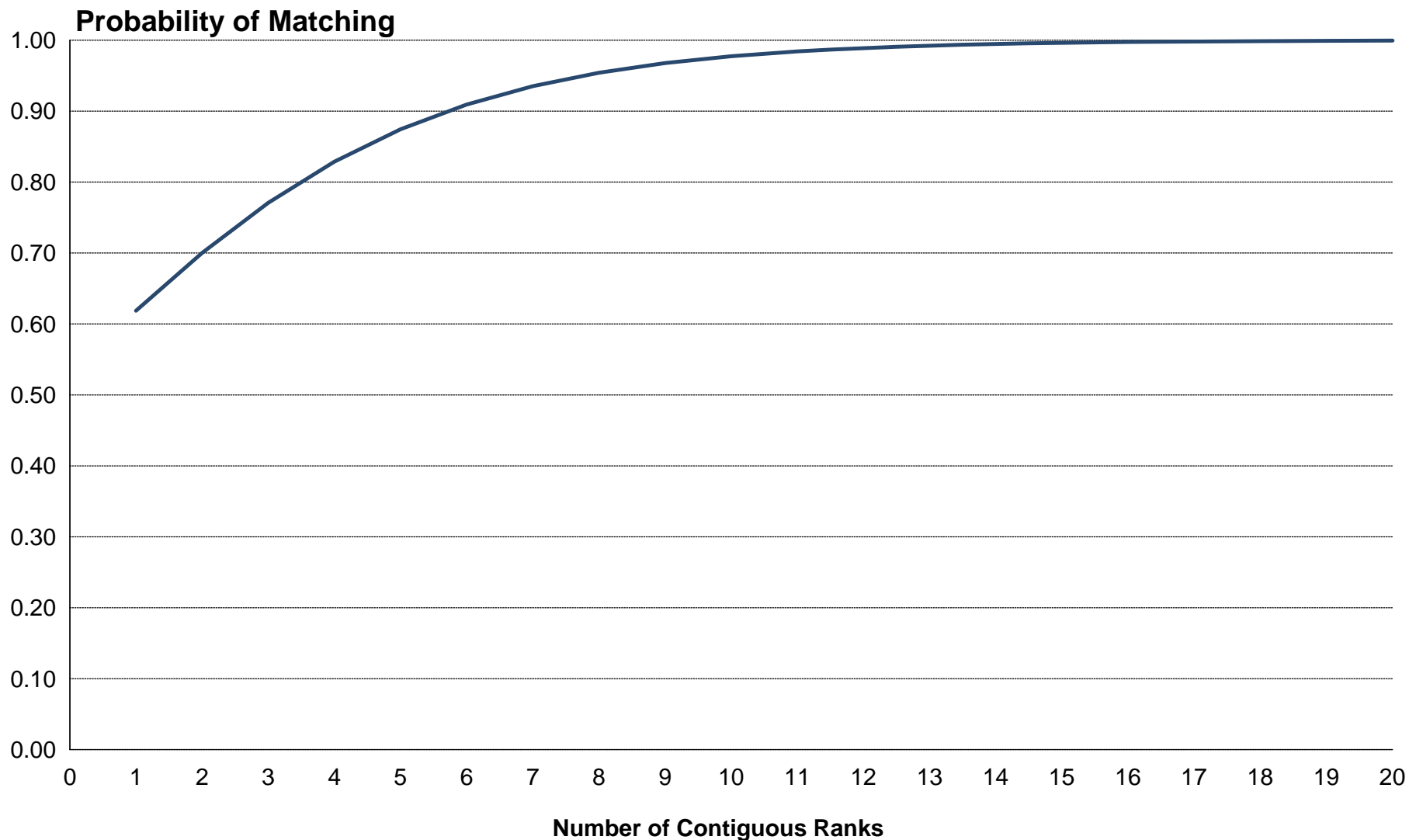
Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
Child Neurology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

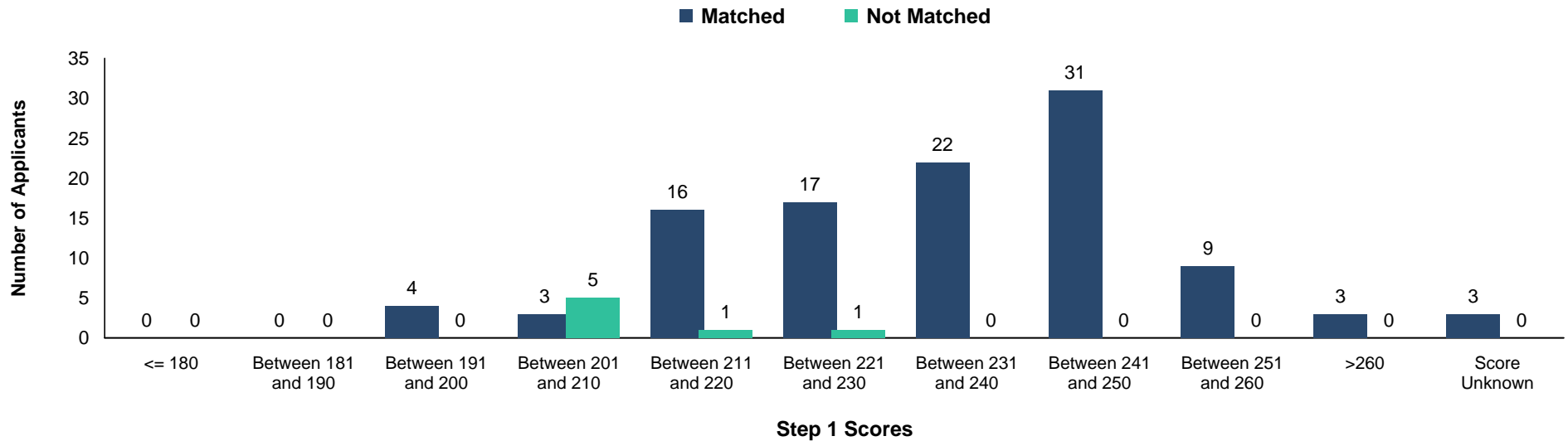
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Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

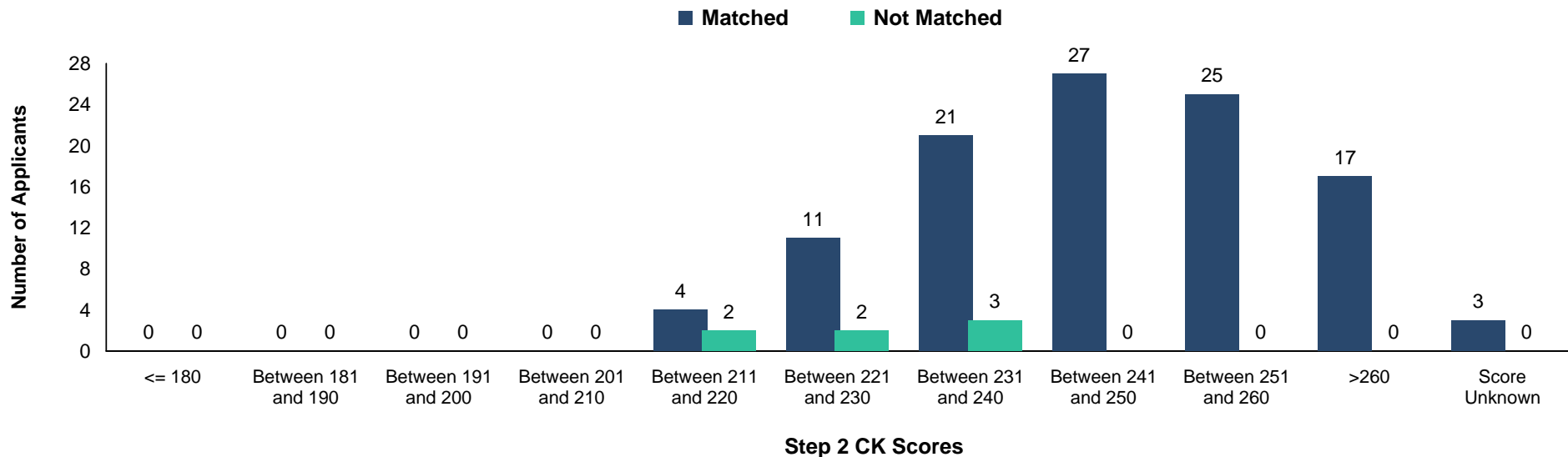
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USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Child Neurology

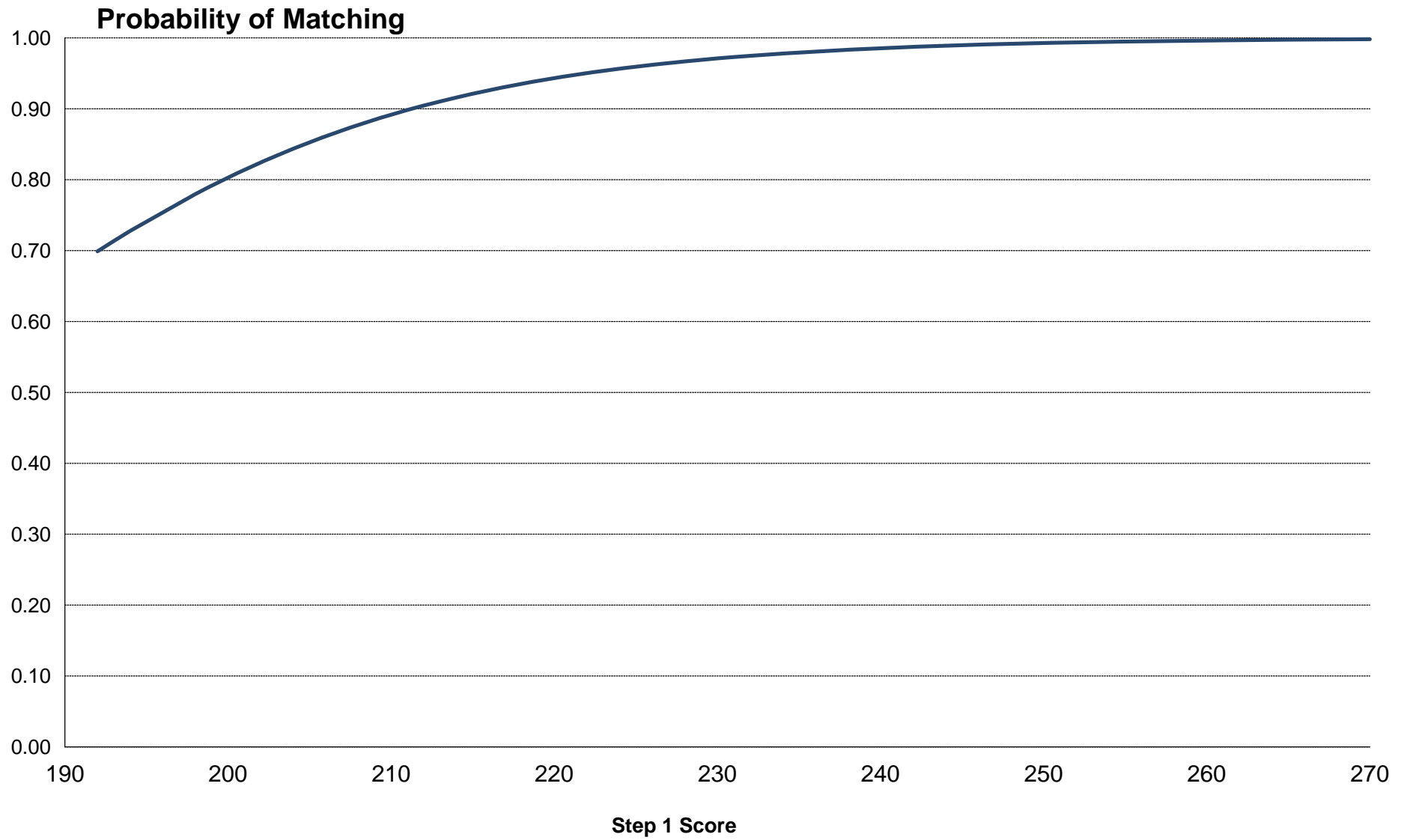


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USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Child Neurology



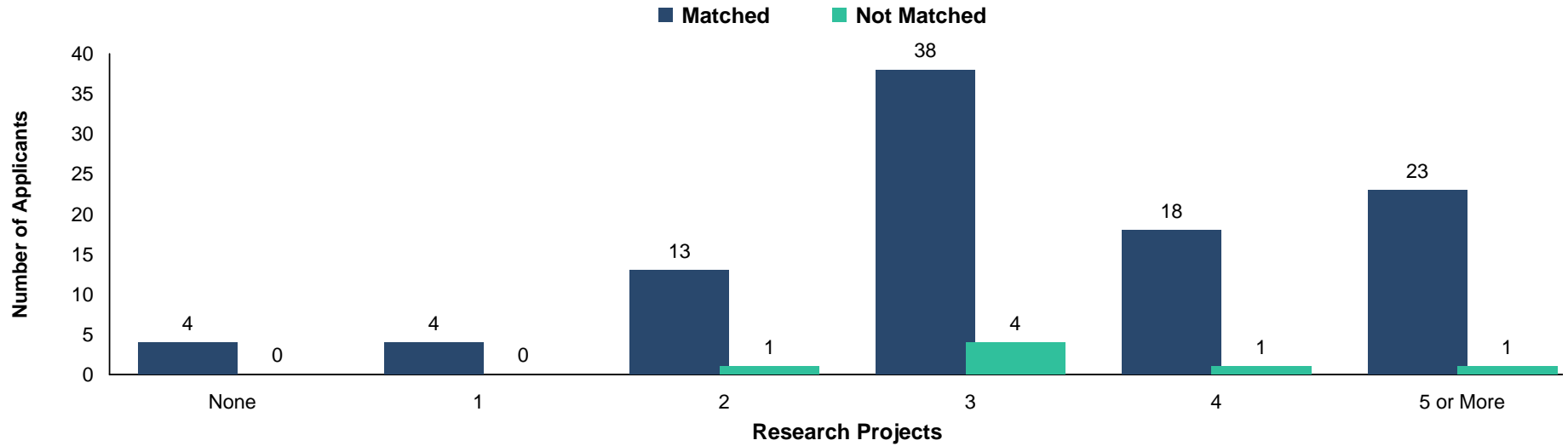
Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score *Child Neurology*



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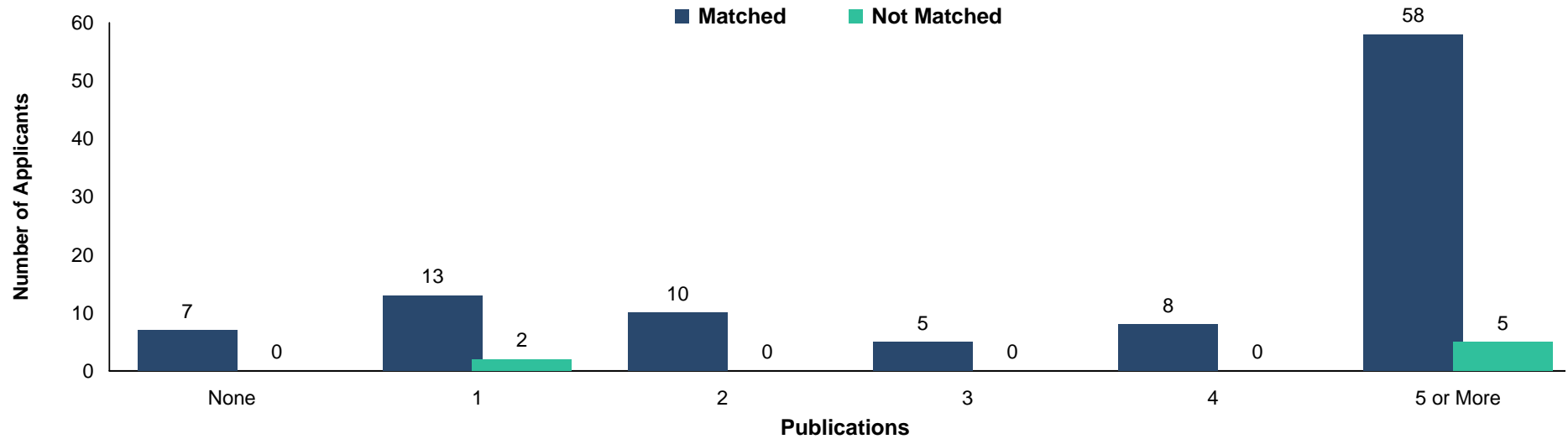
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**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
Child Neurology**



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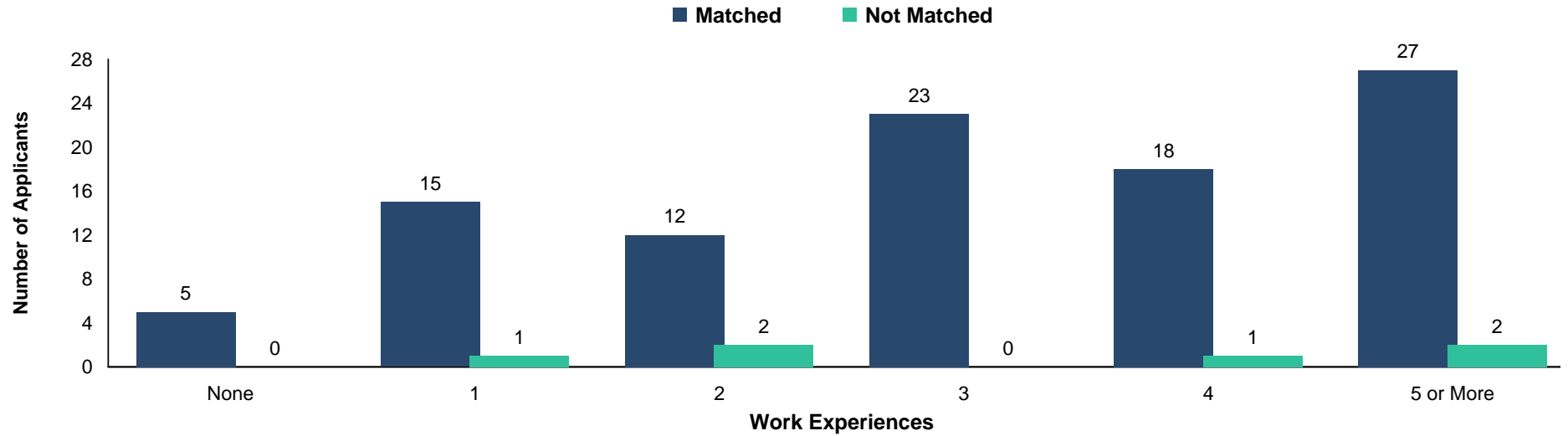
**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
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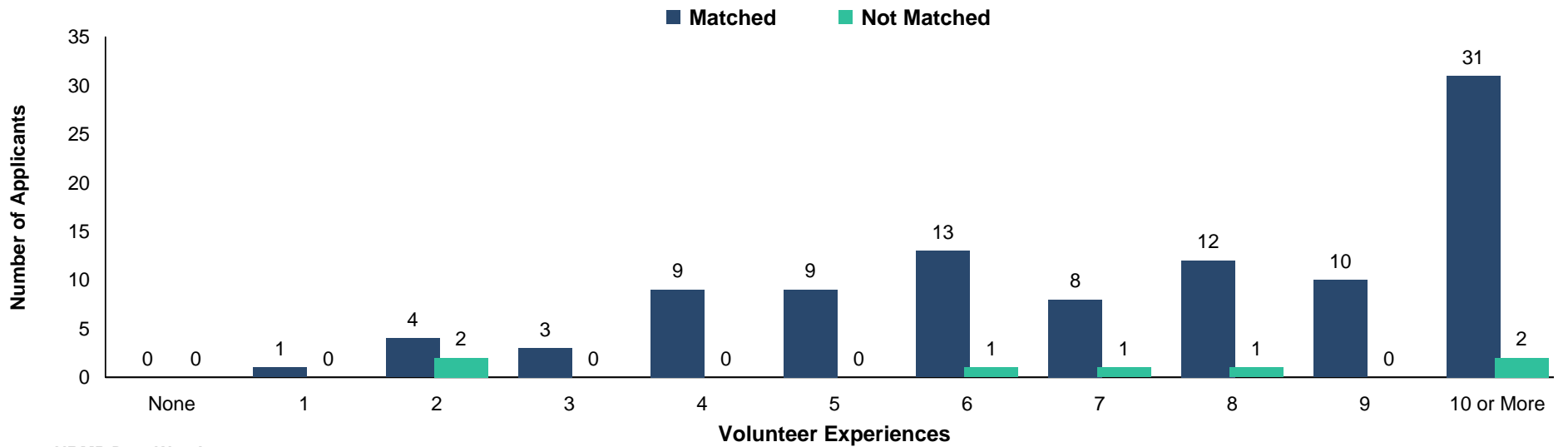
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**Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Child Neurology**



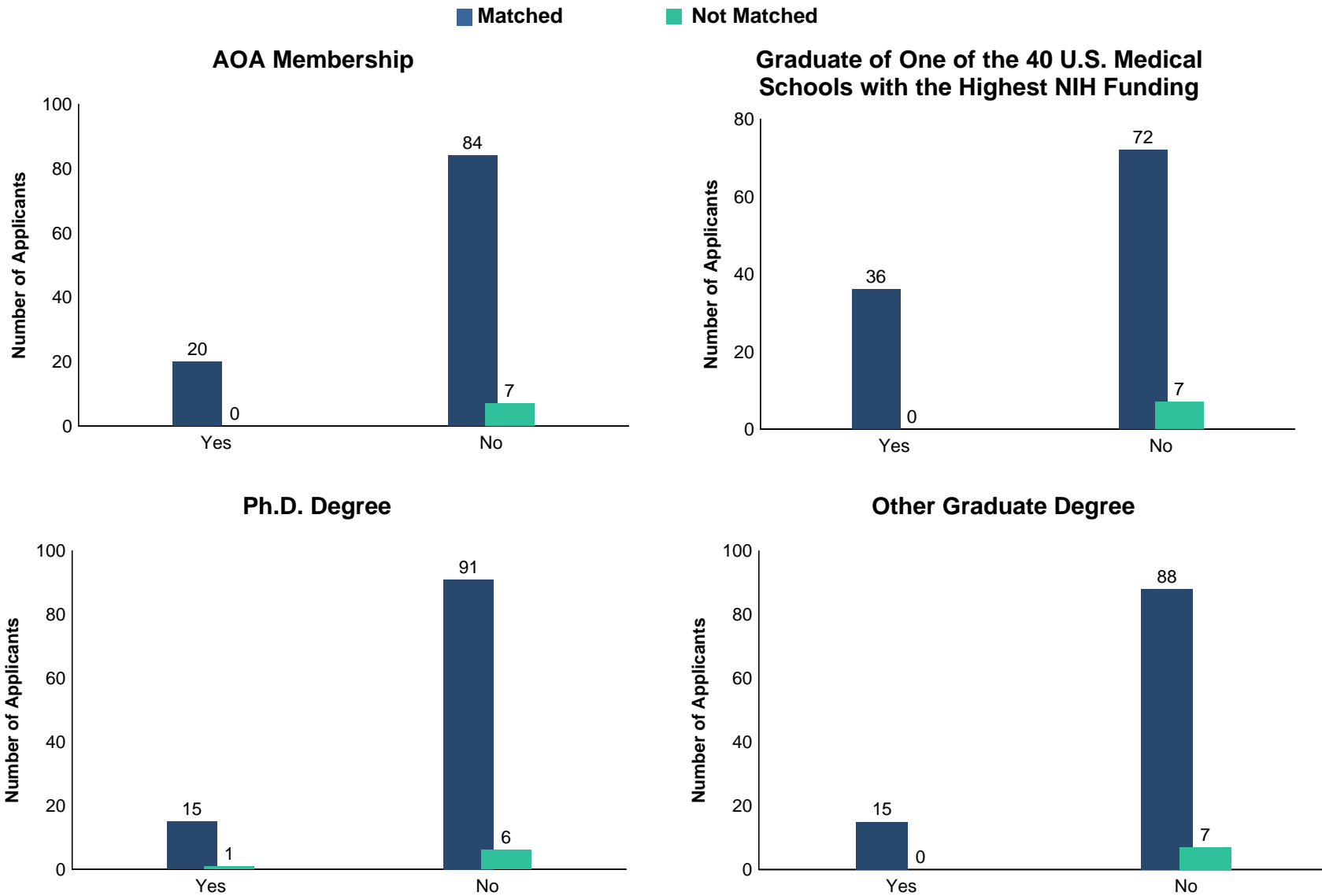
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**Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Child Neurology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Child Neurology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

DM Dermatology

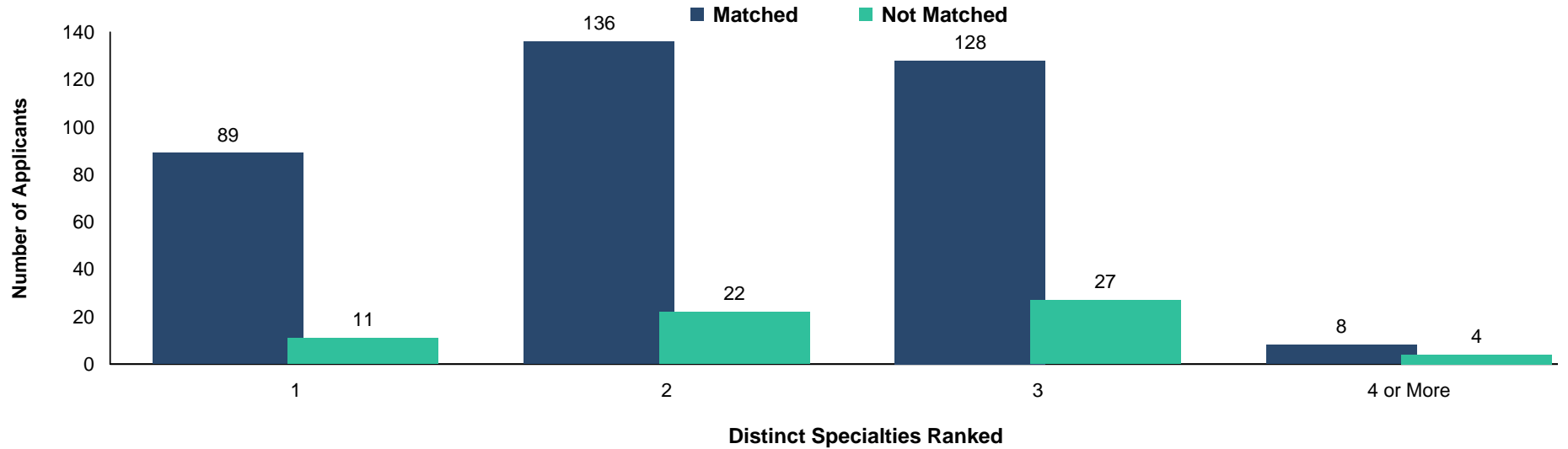
| Measure | Matched (n=361) | Unmatched (n=64) |
|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 9.9 | 4.5 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 2.2 | 2.4 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 248 | 239 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 256 | 248 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 5.8 | 4.9 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 19.0 | 10.8 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.7 | 3.4 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 9.4 | 8.8 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 47.4 | 28.1 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 41.3 | 34.4 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 10.2 | 8.5 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 19.7 | 24.6 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

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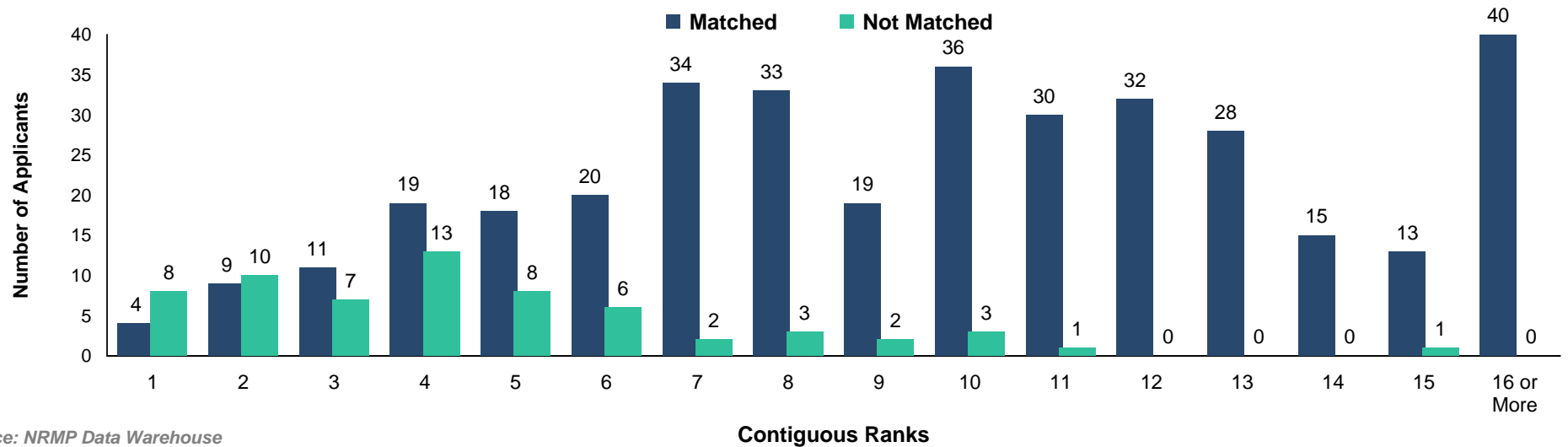
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**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
*Dermatology***



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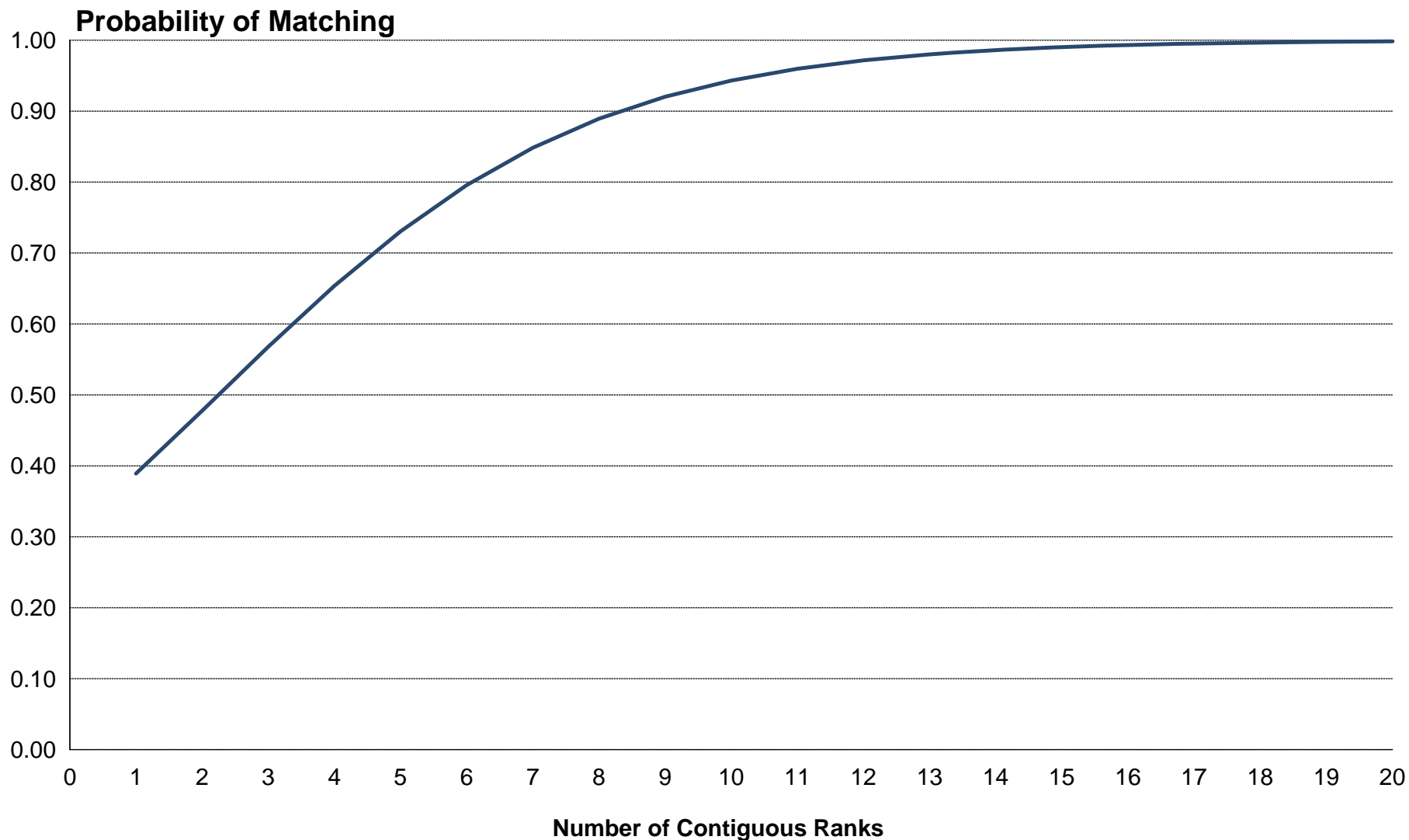
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
*Dermatology***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

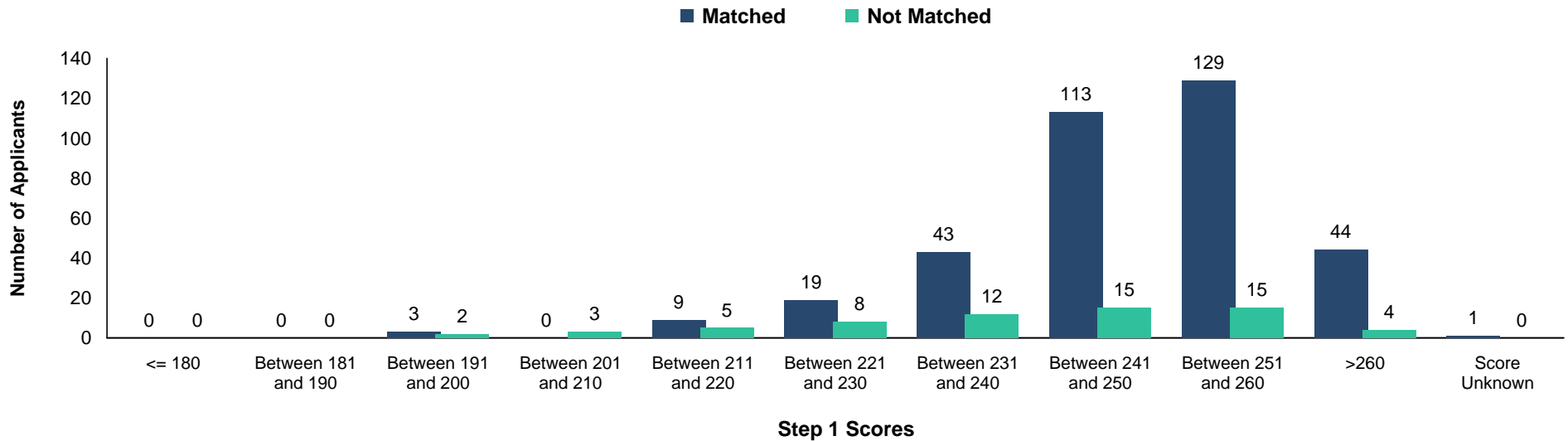
Dermatology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

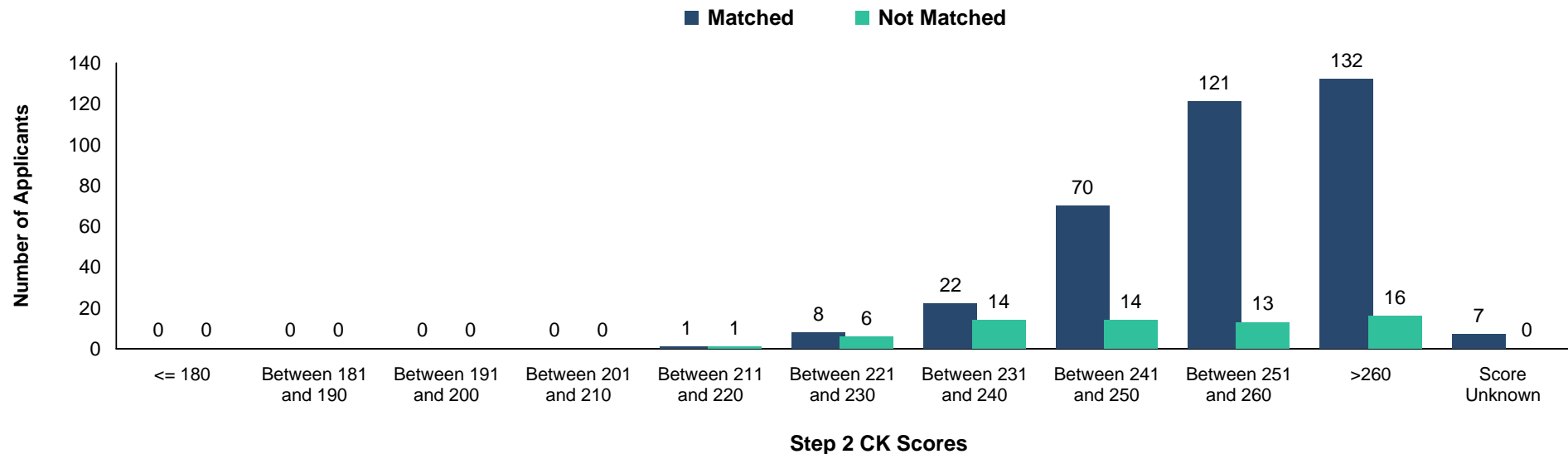
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Dermatology**



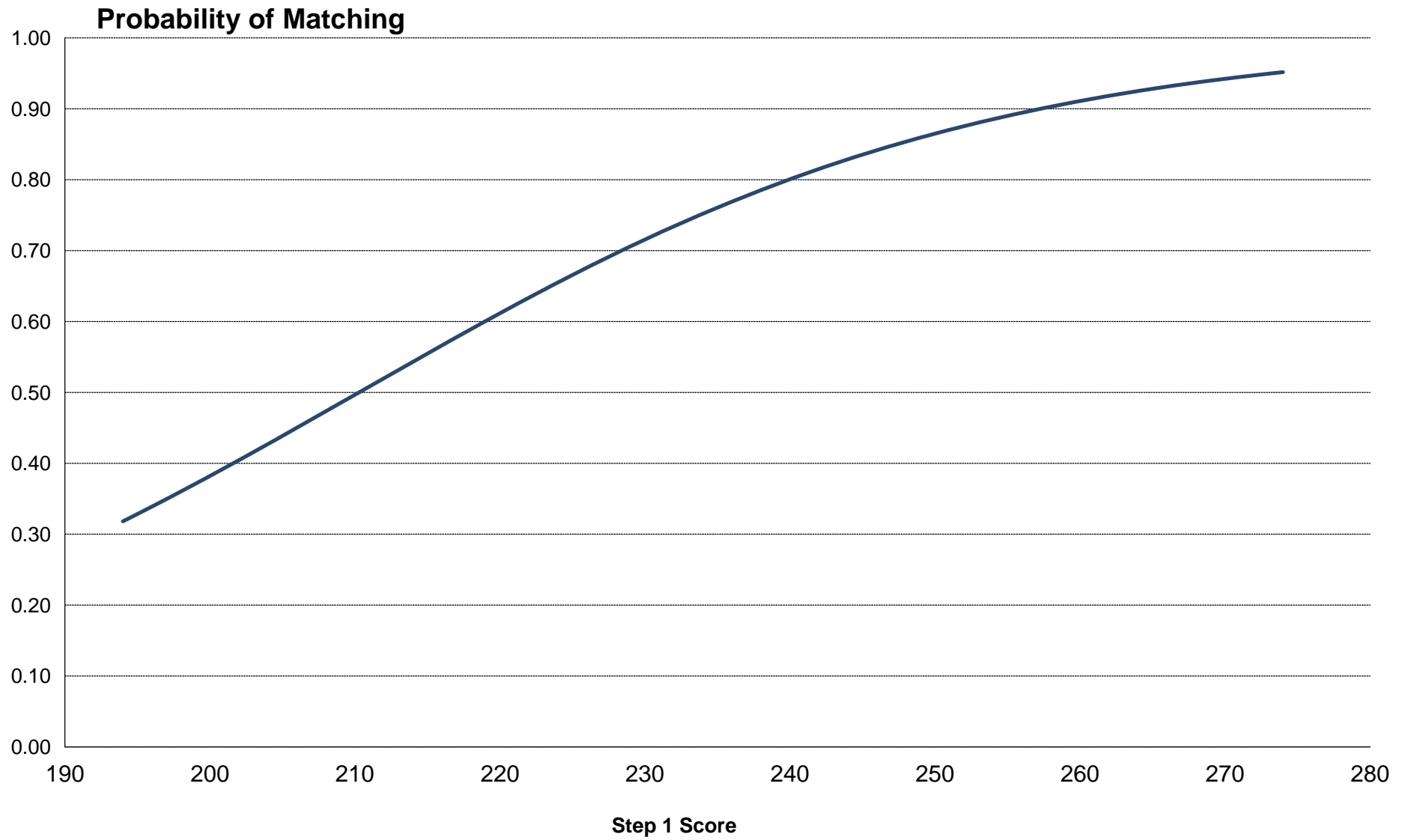
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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Dermatology**



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

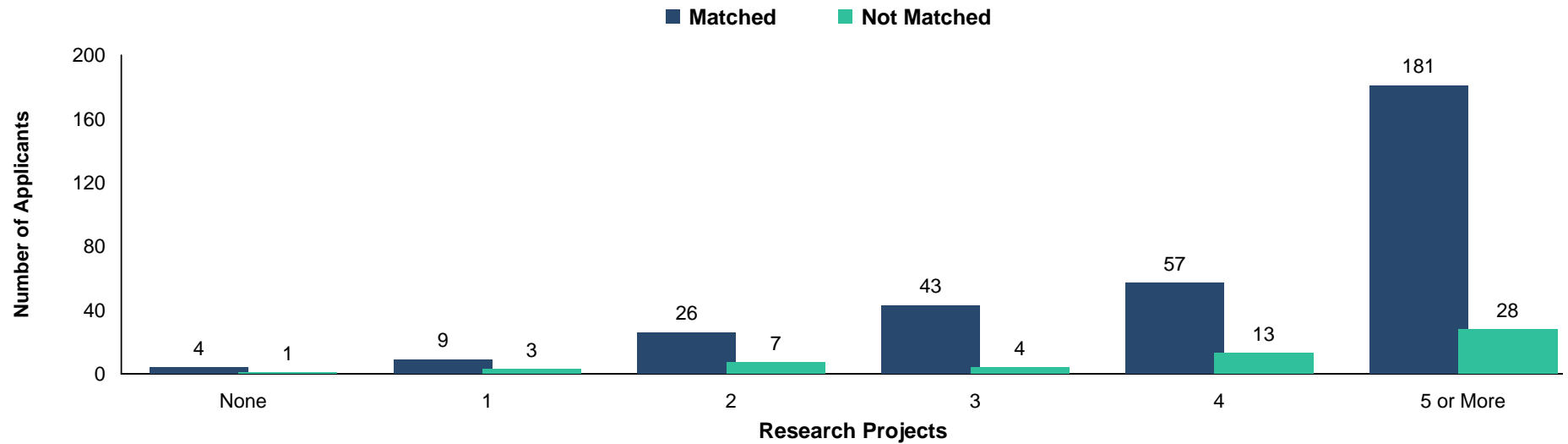
Dermatology



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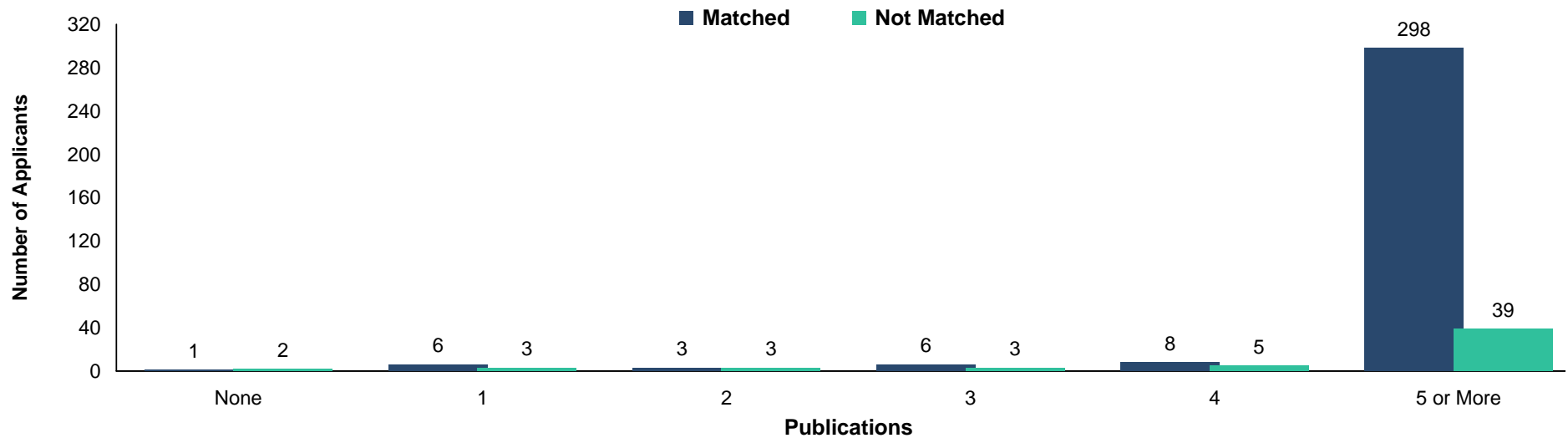
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**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
*Dermatology***



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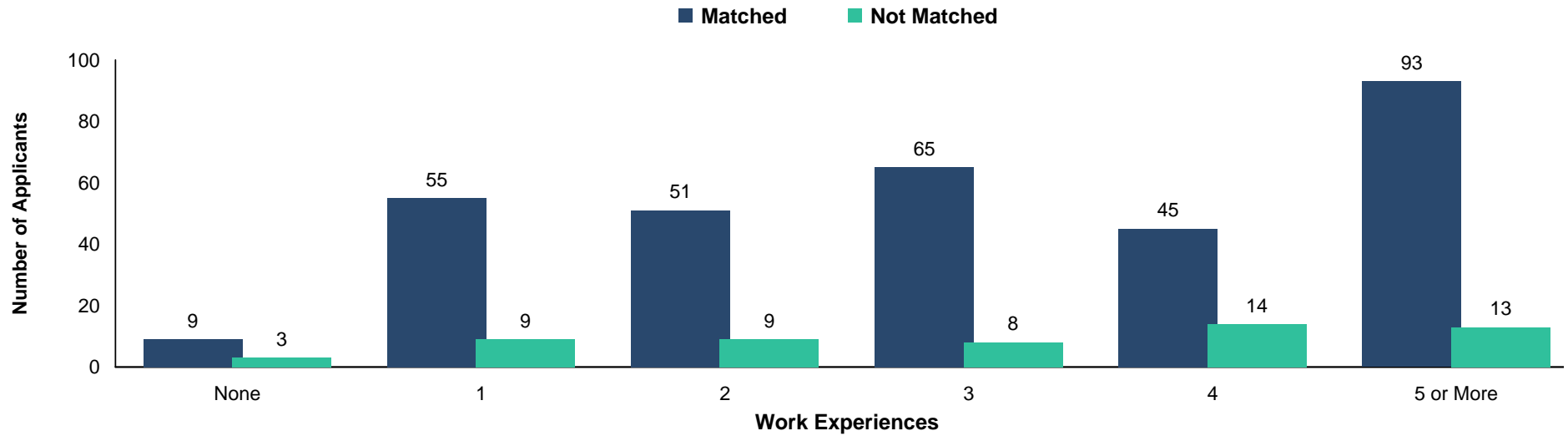
**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
*Dermatology***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

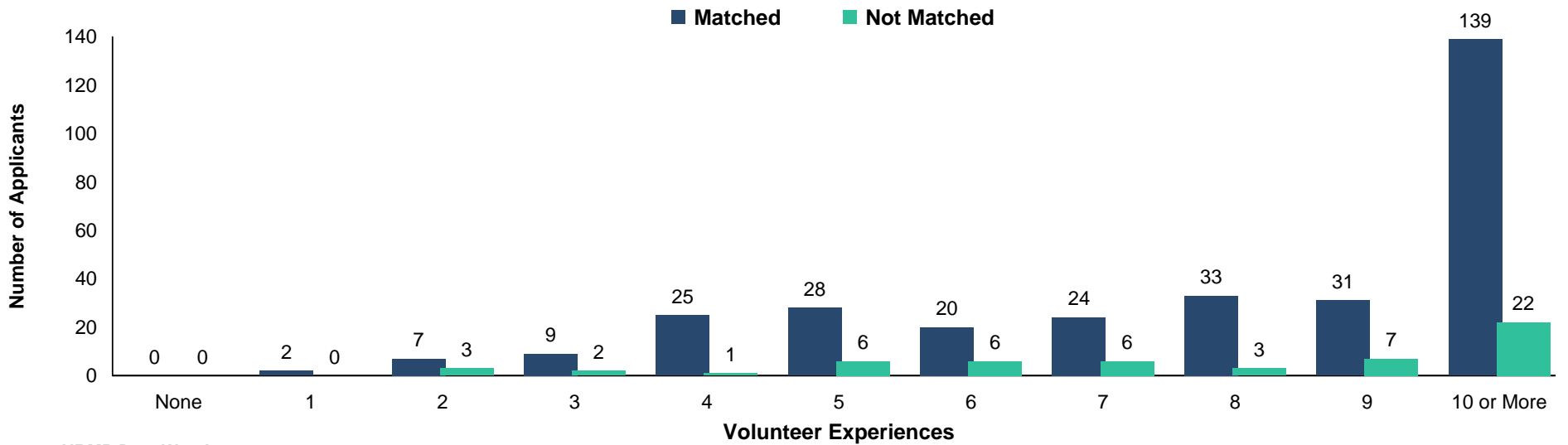
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Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors *Dermatology*



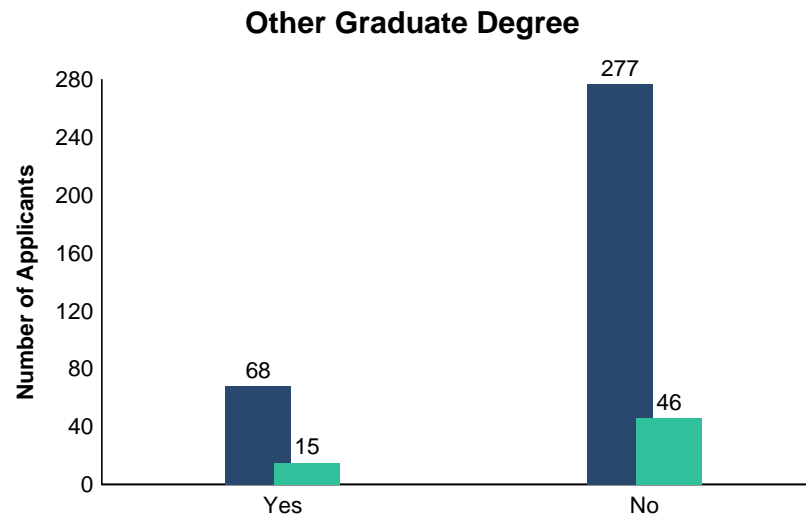
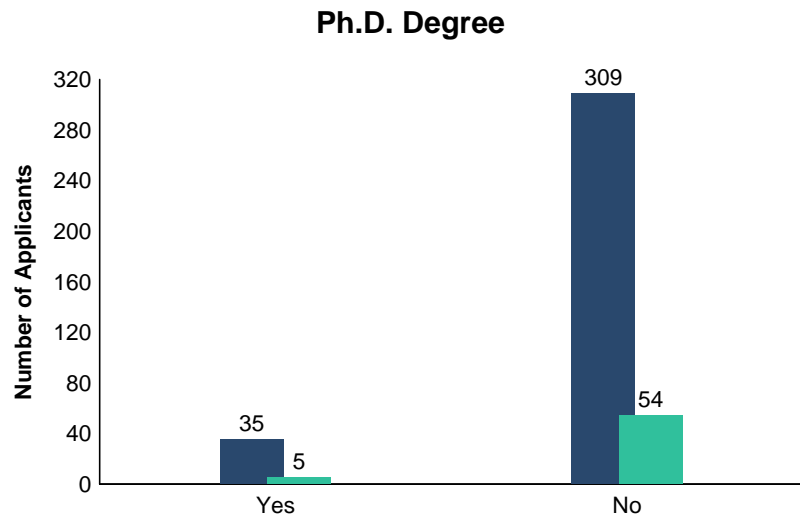
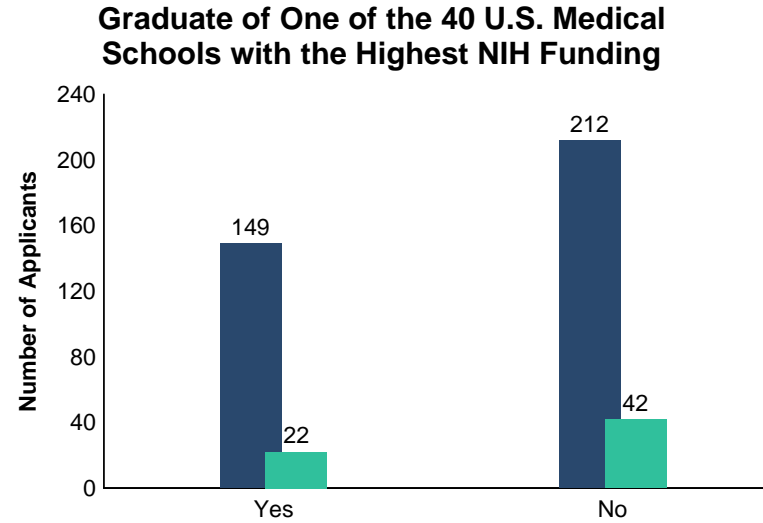
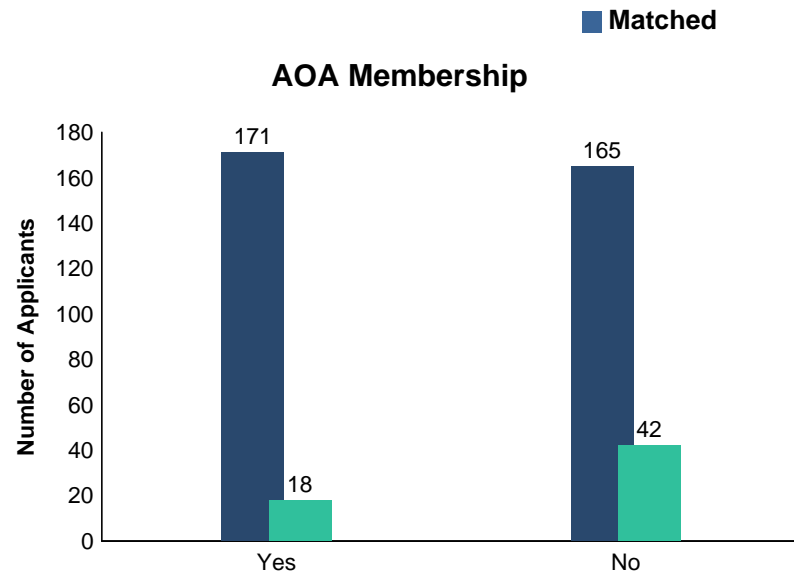
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Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors *Dermatology*



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Dermatology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

DR Diagnostic Radiology

Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors Diagnostic Radiology

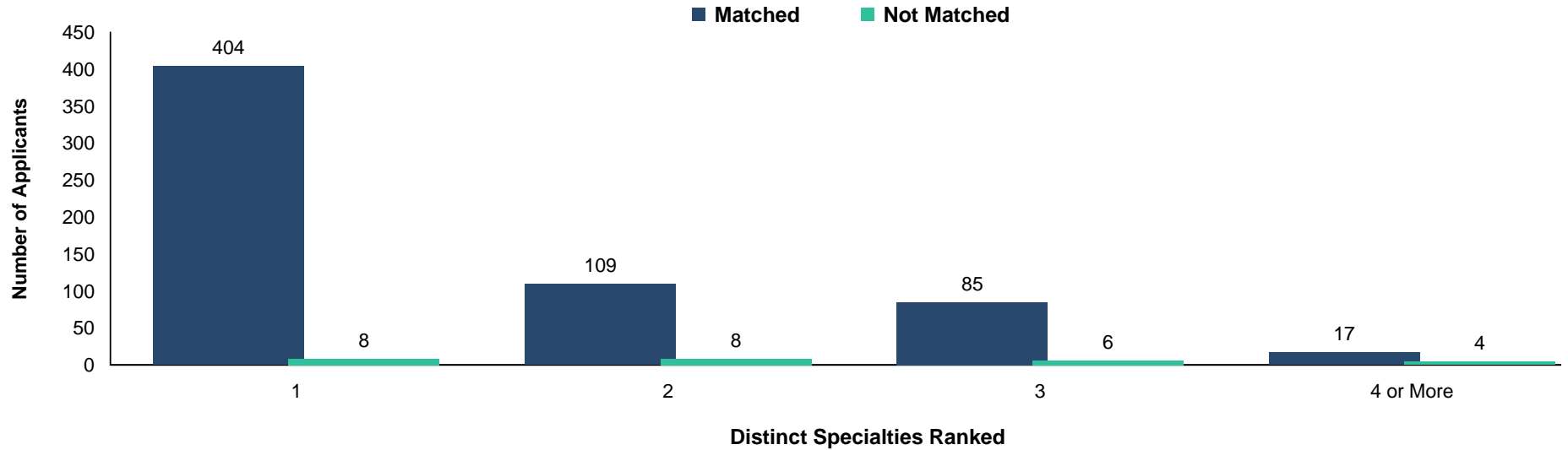
| Measure | Matched (n=616) | Unmatched (n=26) |
|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 14.0 | 4.5 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.5 | 2.2 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 241 | 226 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 249 | 236 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 3.8 | 4.5 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 6.4 | 8.6 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.3 | 3.6 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 6.9 | 5.9 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 18.3 | 3.8 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 26.0 | 26.9 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 2.2 | 0.0 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 17.2 | 21.7 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources: NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

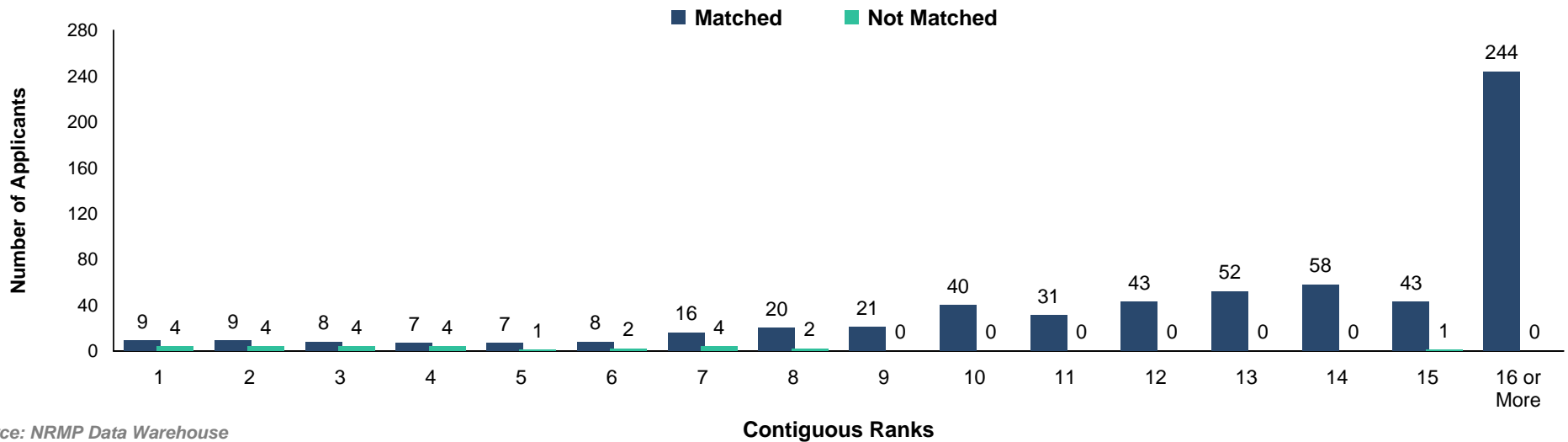
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Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
Diagnostic Radiology



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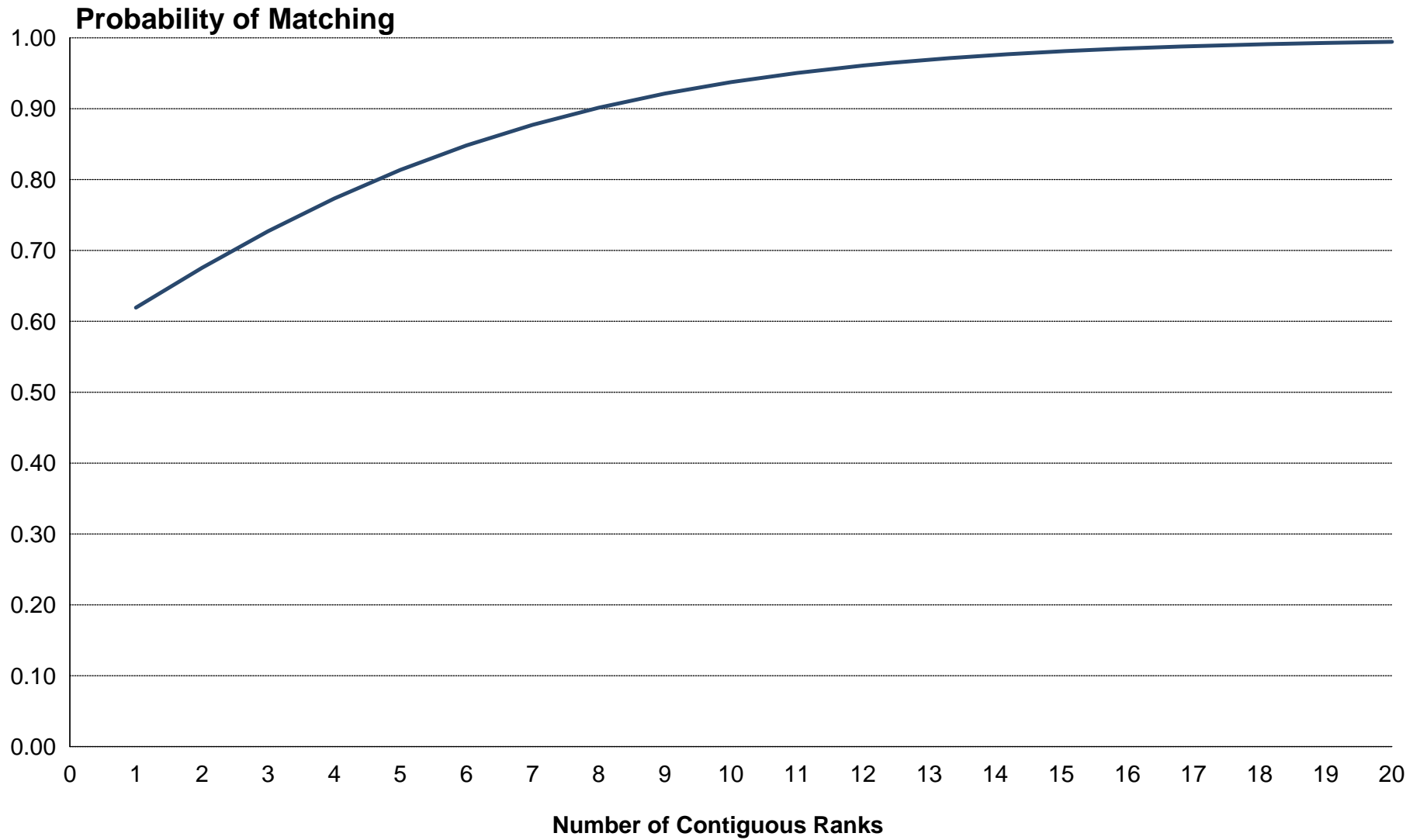
Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
Diagnostic Radiology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

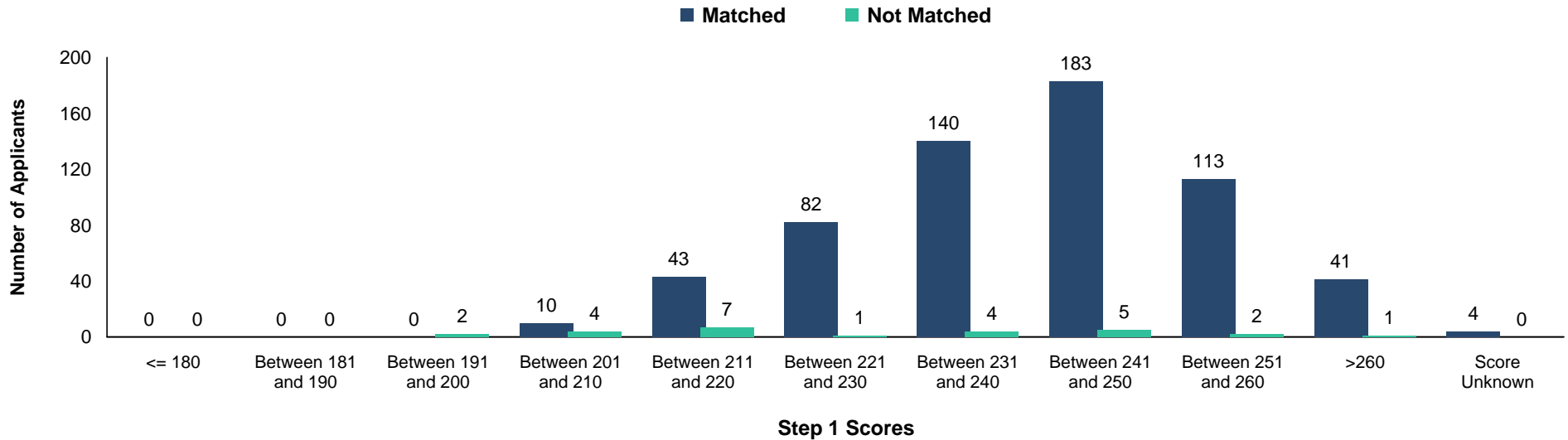
Diagnostic Radiology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

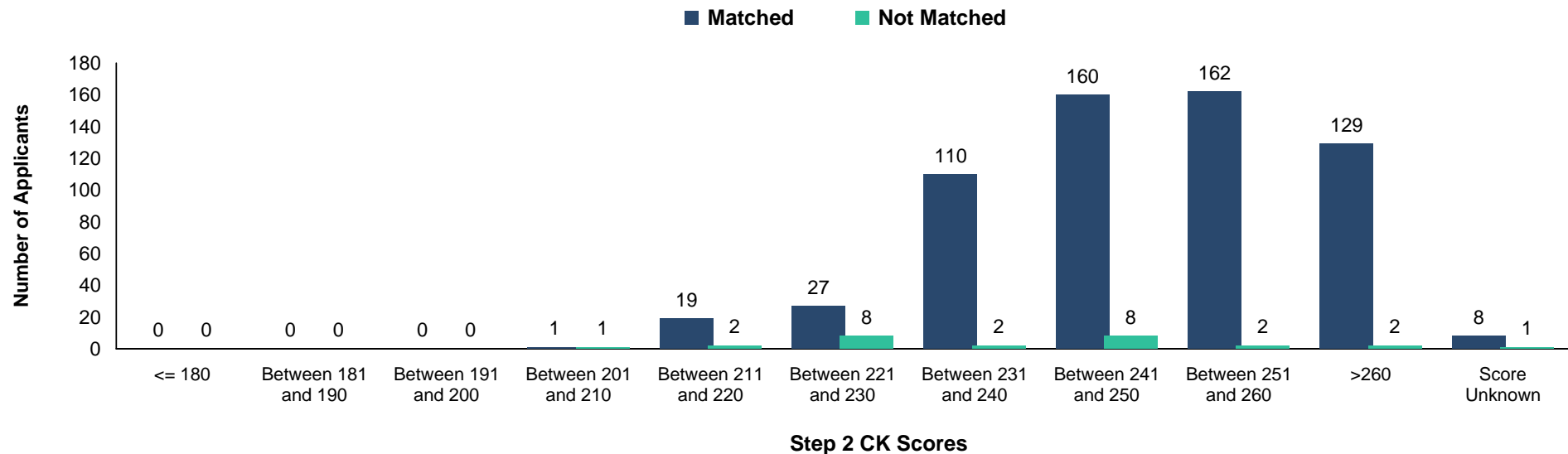
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USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Diagnostic Radiology



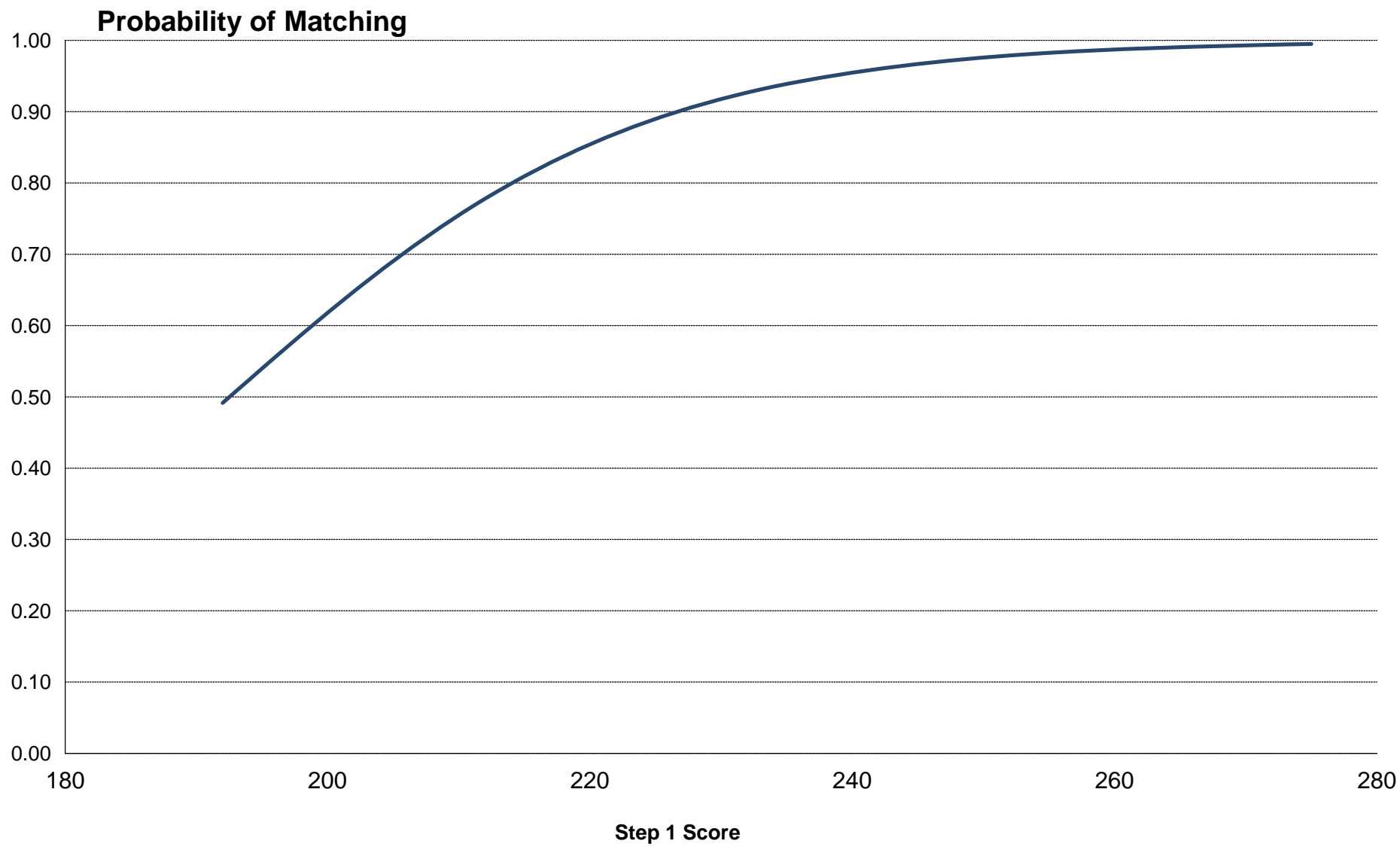
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Diagnostic Radiology



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

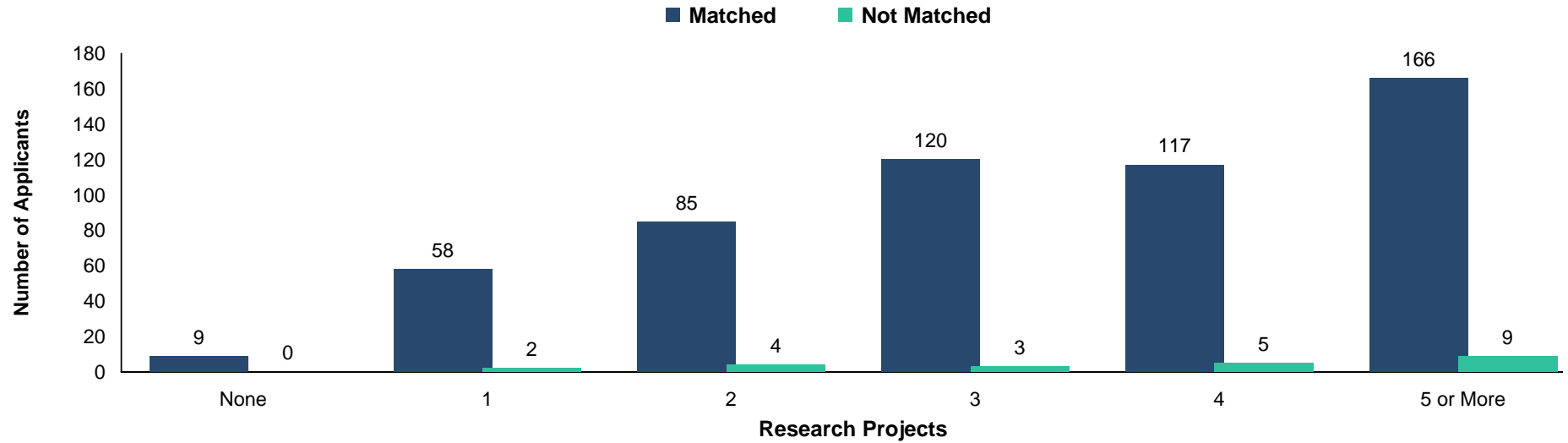
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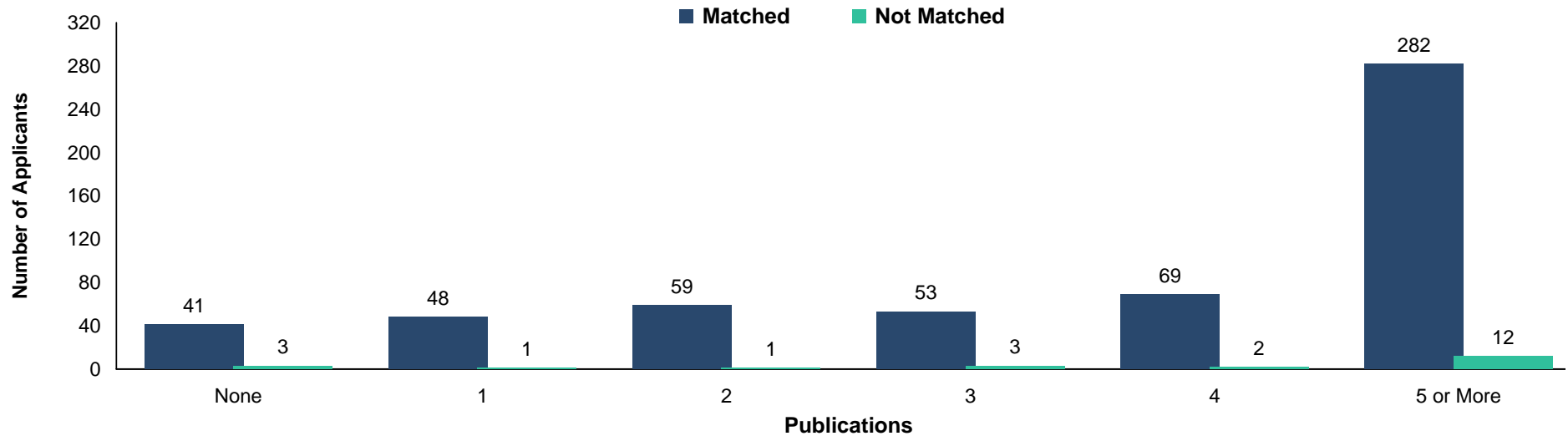
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Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
Diagnostic Radiology



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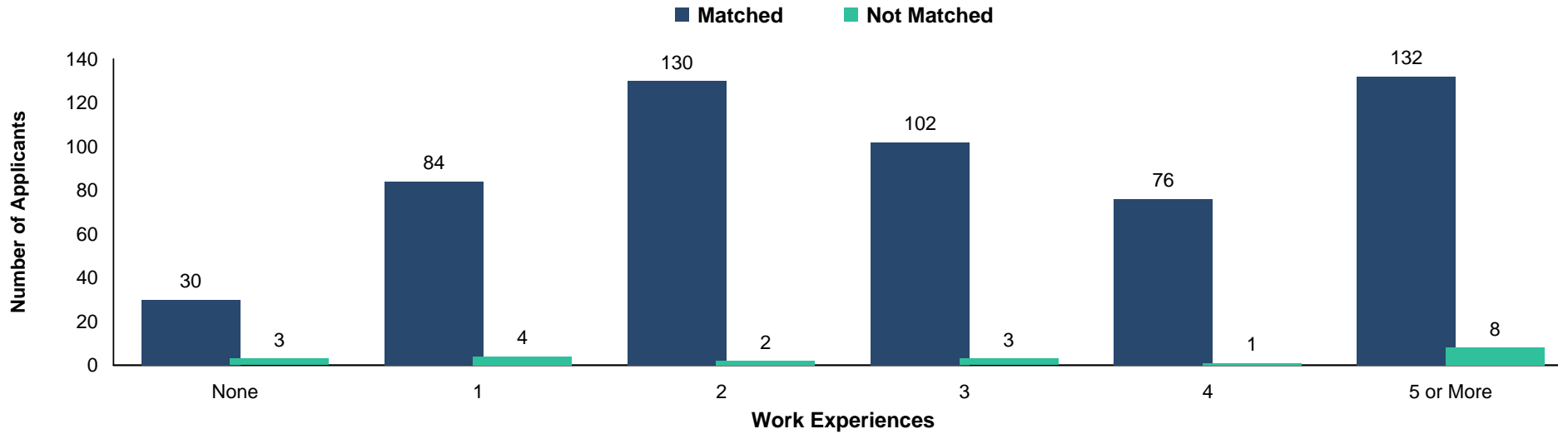
Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
Diagnostic Radiology



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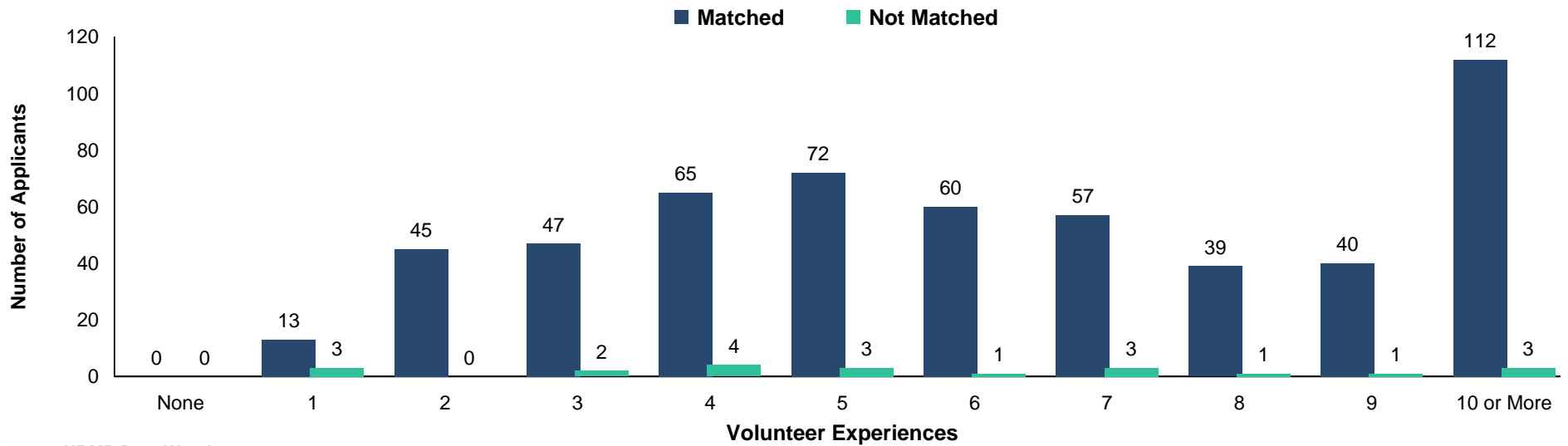
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**Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Diagnostic Radiology**



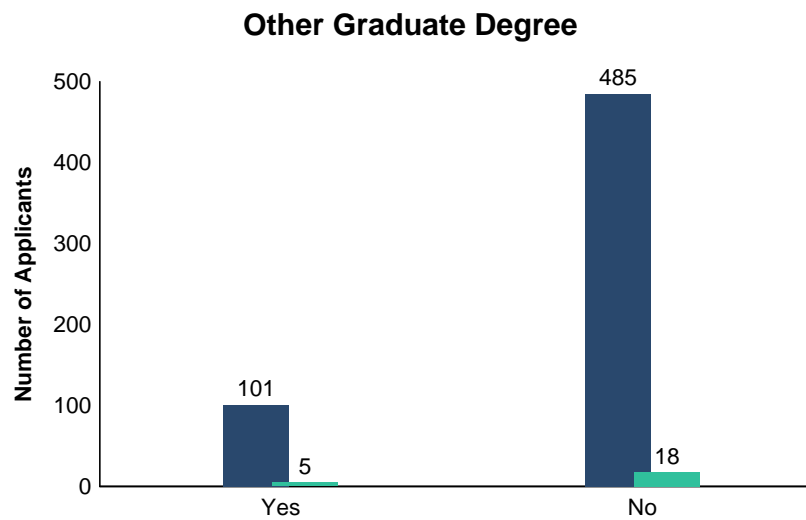
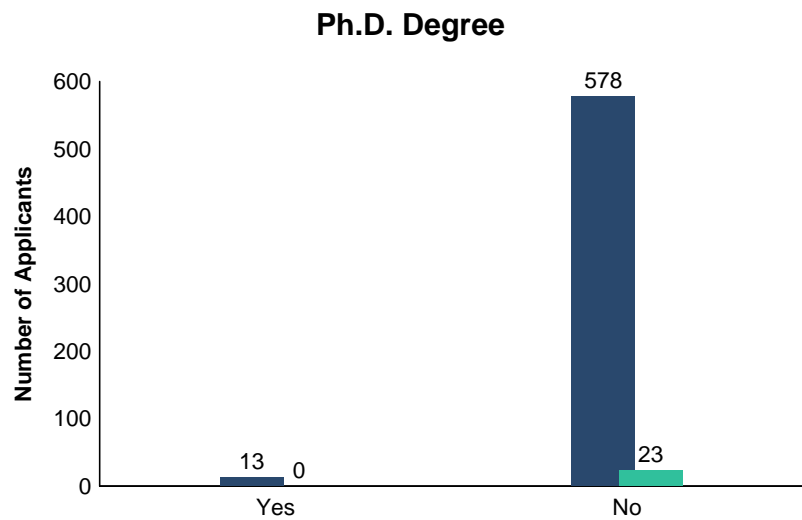
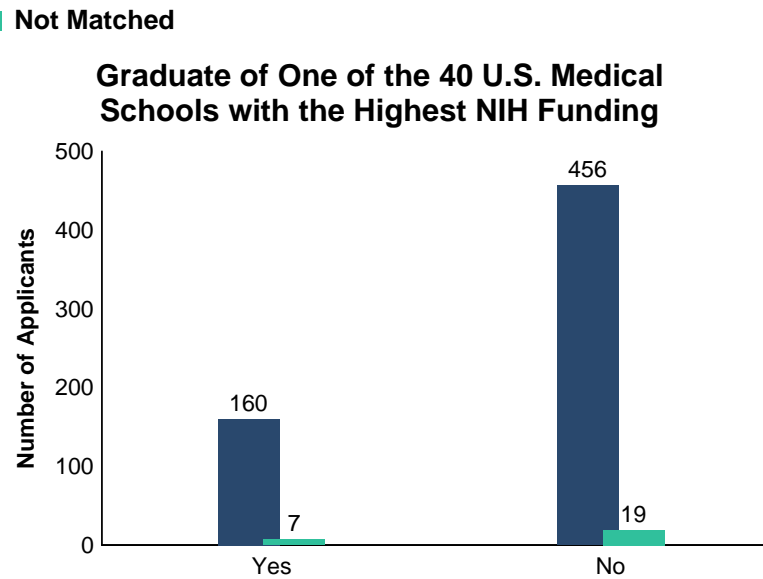
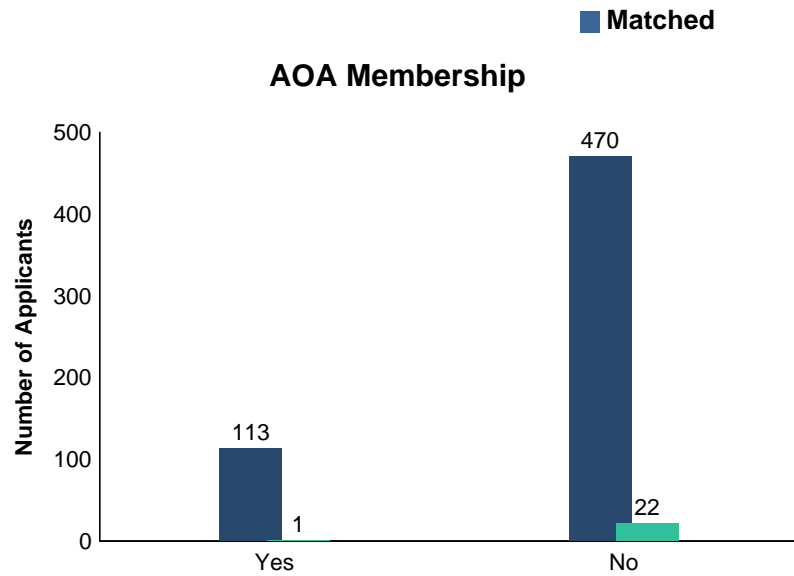
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**Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Diagnostic Radiology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Diagnostic Radiology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

EM Emergency Medicine

**Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors
Emergency Medicine**

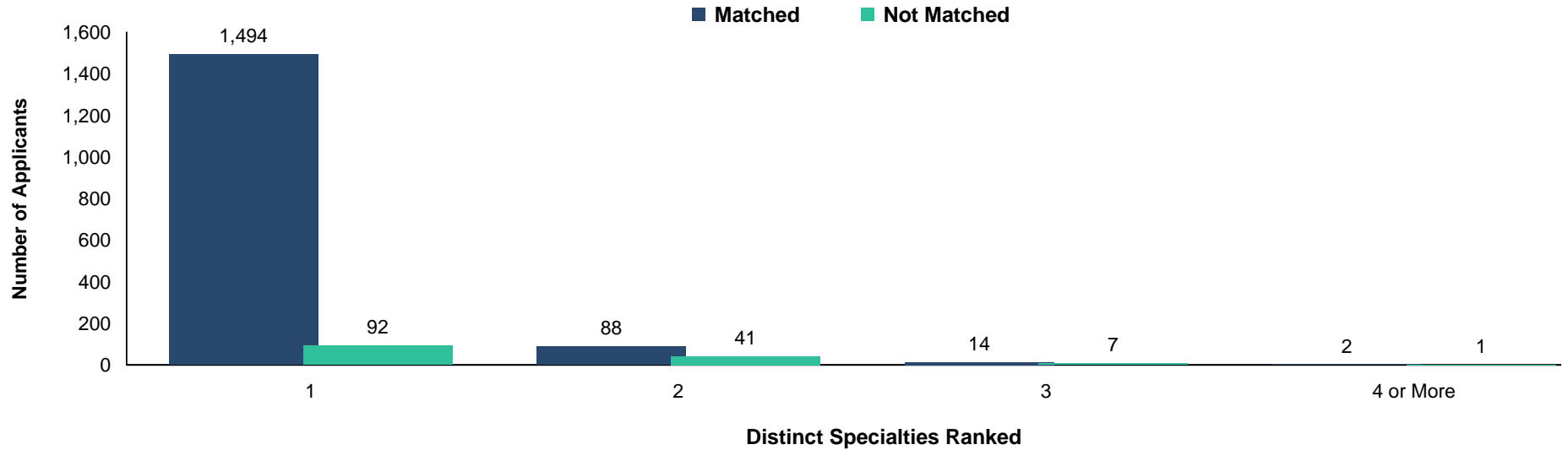
| Measure | Matched (n=1,598) | Unmatched (n=141) |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 12.8 | 6.1 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.1 | 1.4 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 233 | 223 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 247 | 235 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 2.8 | 2.6 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 4.3 | 3.7 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.8 | 3.3 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 7.8 | 6.9 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 11.8 | 2.1 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 27.7 | 19.1 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 1.5 | 0.0 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 17.2 | 22.2 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

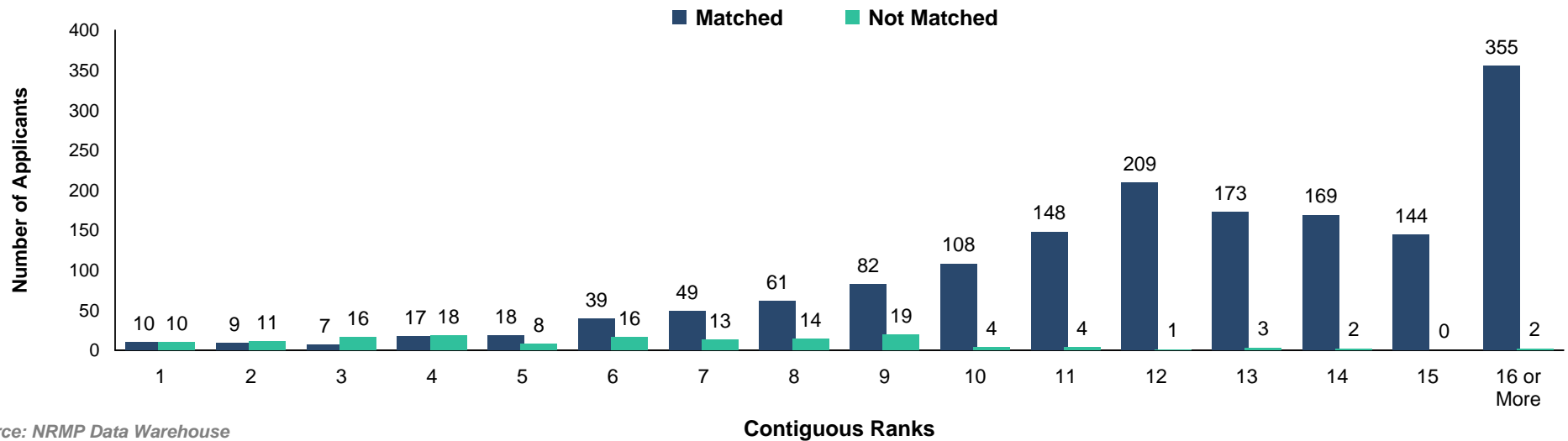
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**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
*Emergency Medicine***



**Chart
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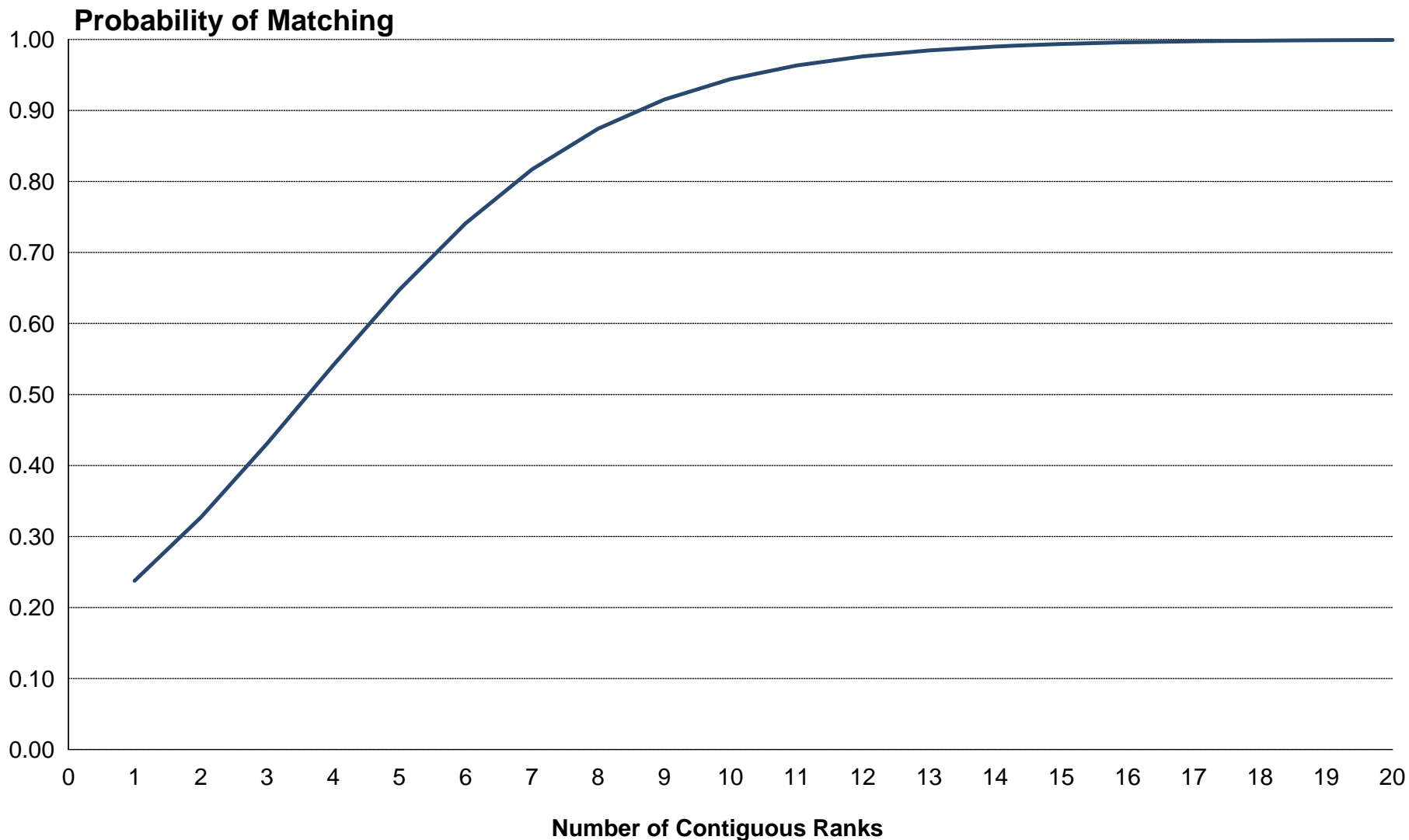
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
*Emergency Medicine***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

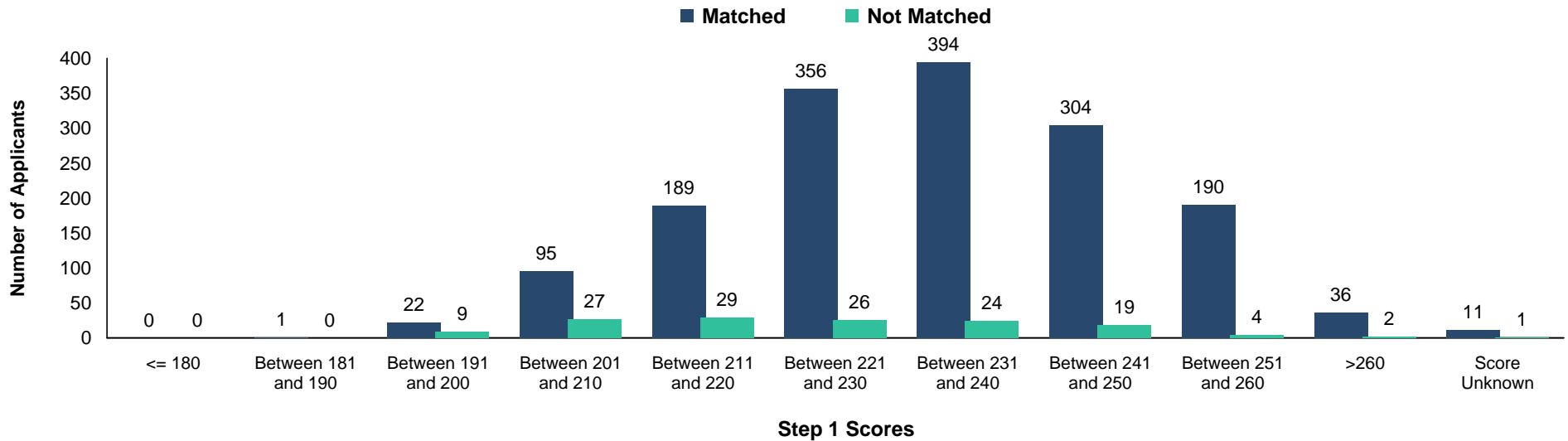
Emergency Medicine



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

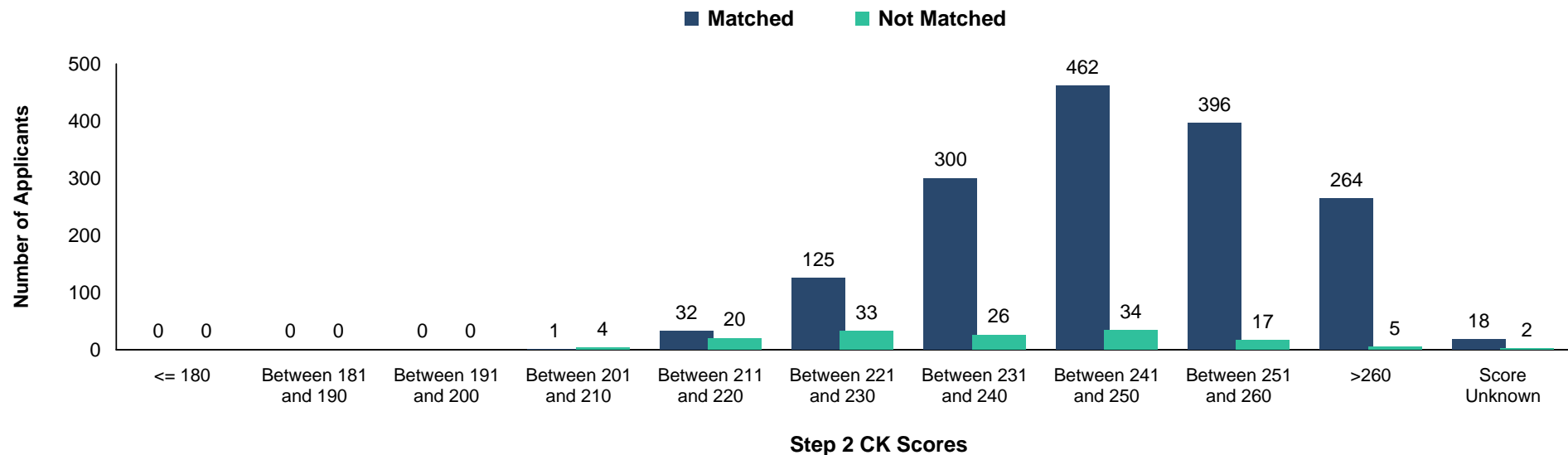
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Emergency Medicine**

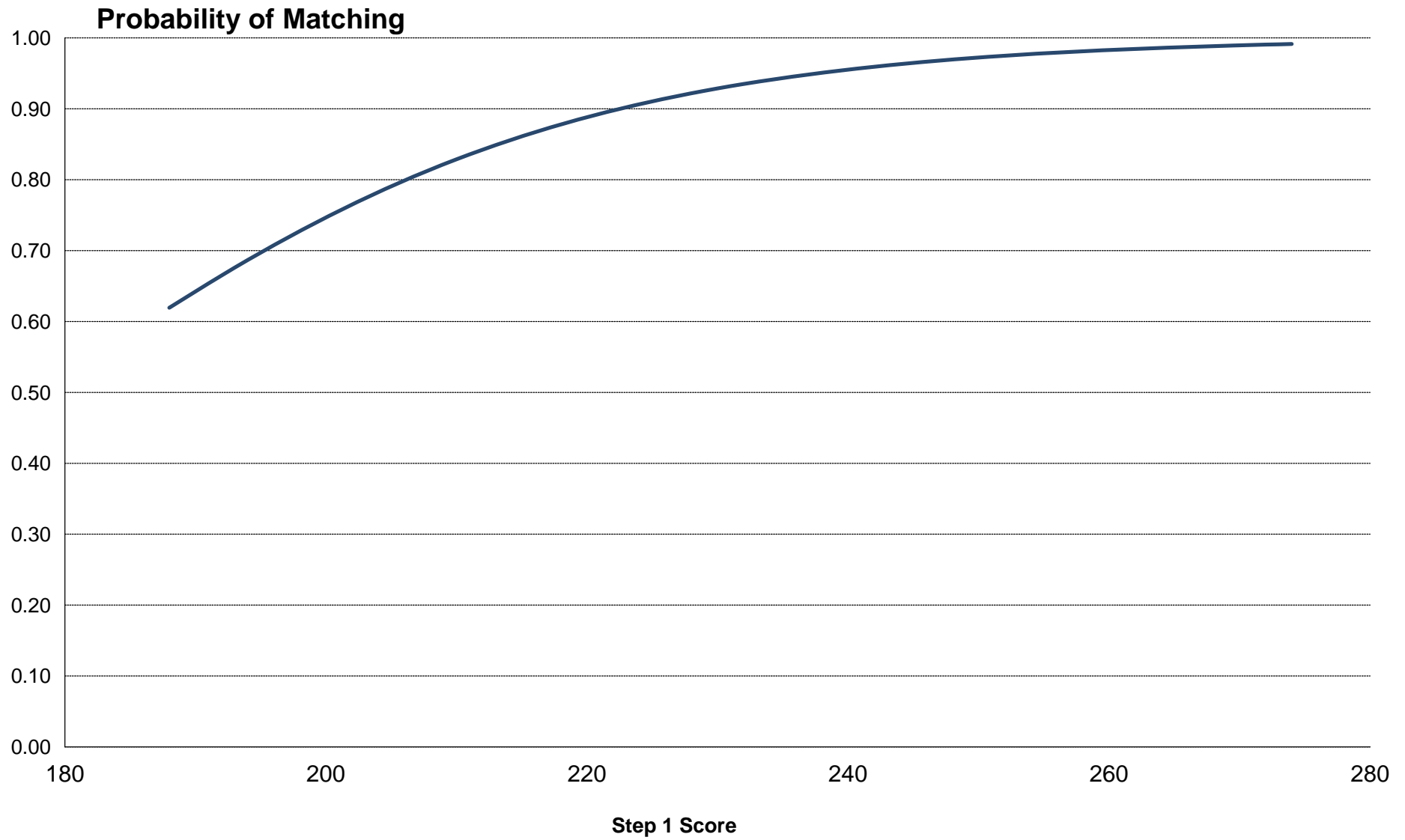


**Chart
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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Emergency Medicine**



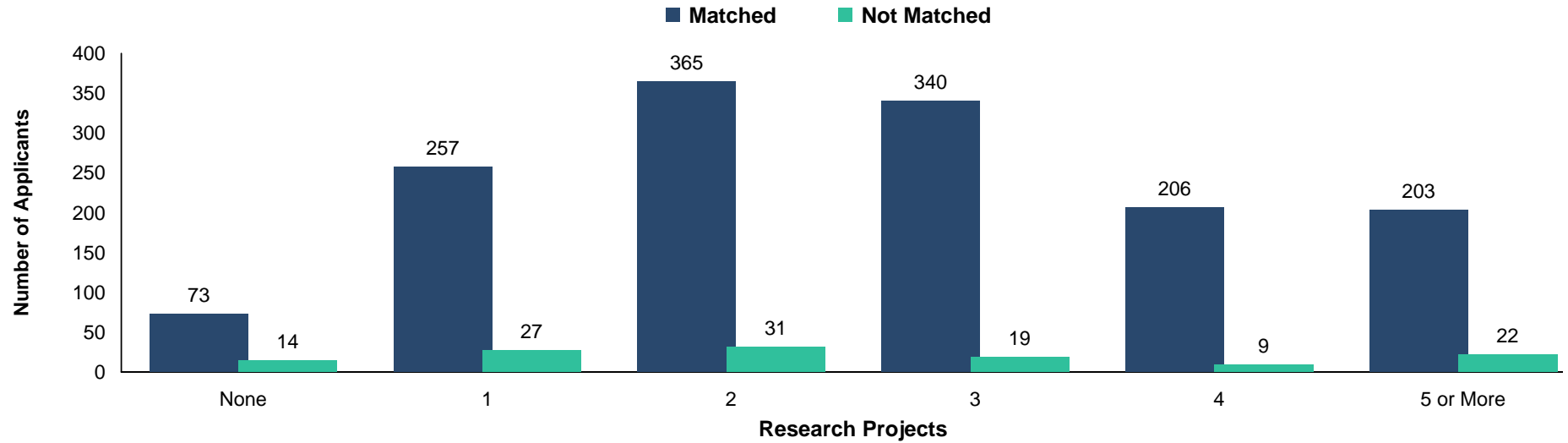
Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score *Emergency Medicine*



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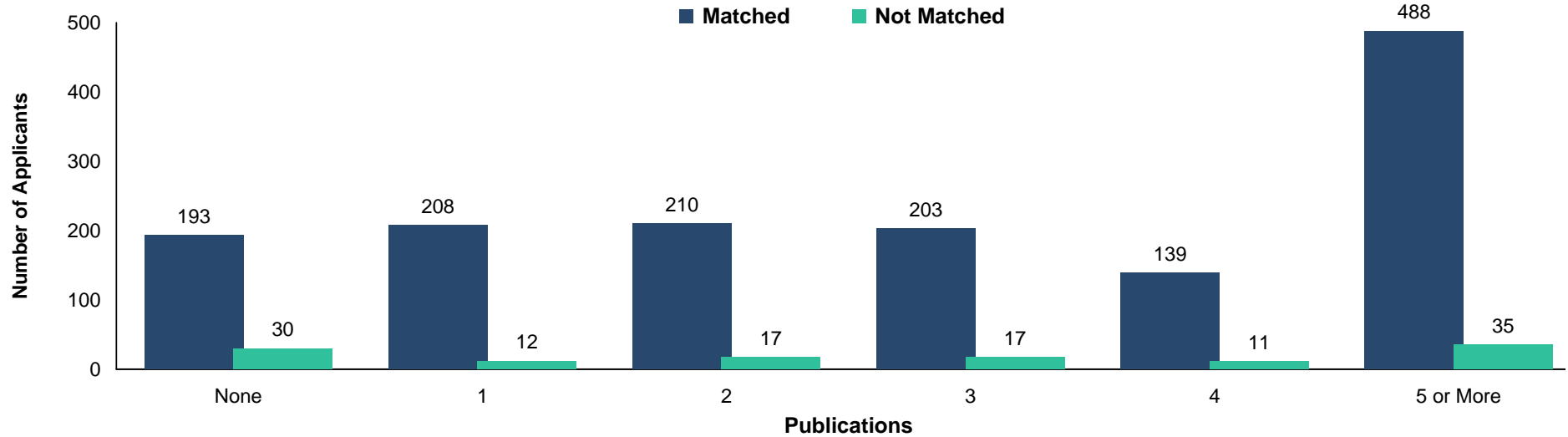
**Chart
EM-5**

**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
Emergency Medicine**



**Chart
EM-6**

**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
Emergency Medicine**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Chart EM-7 Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Emergency Medicine

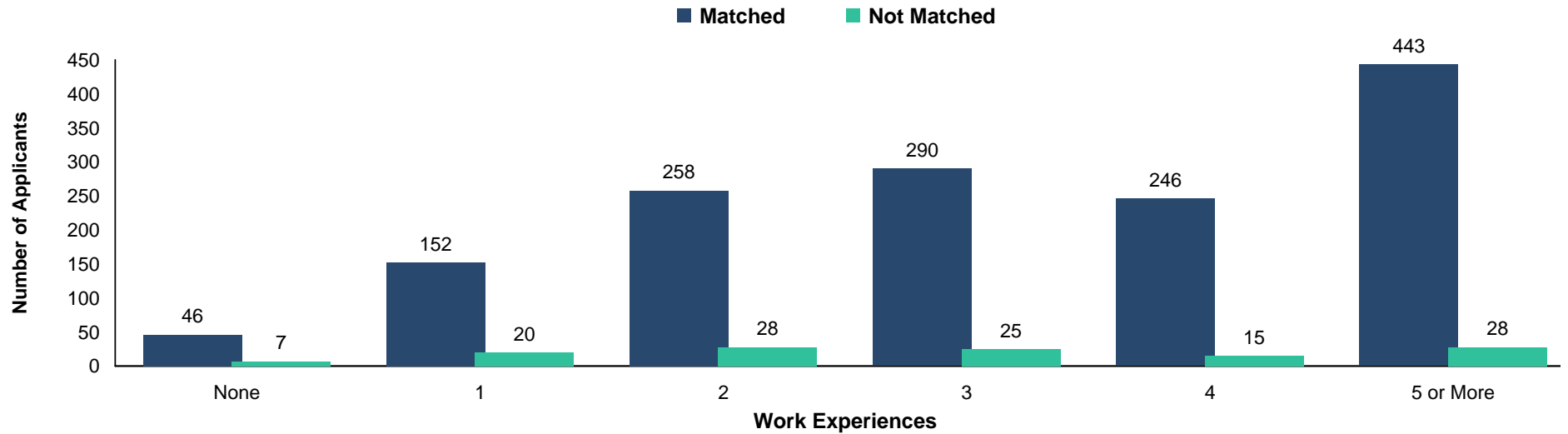
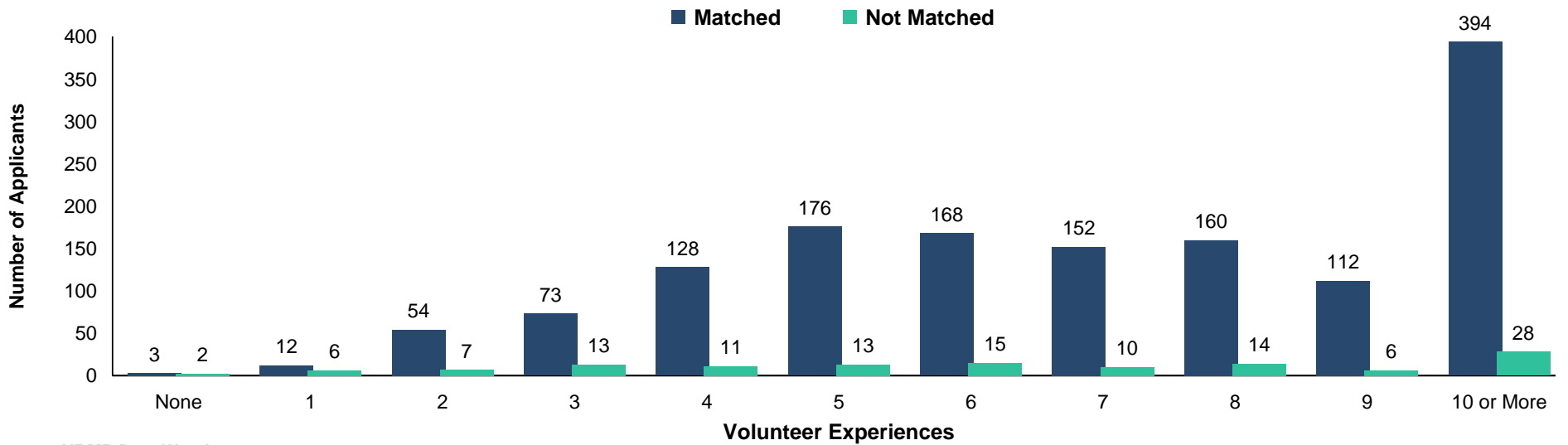


Chart EM-8 Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Emergency Medicine

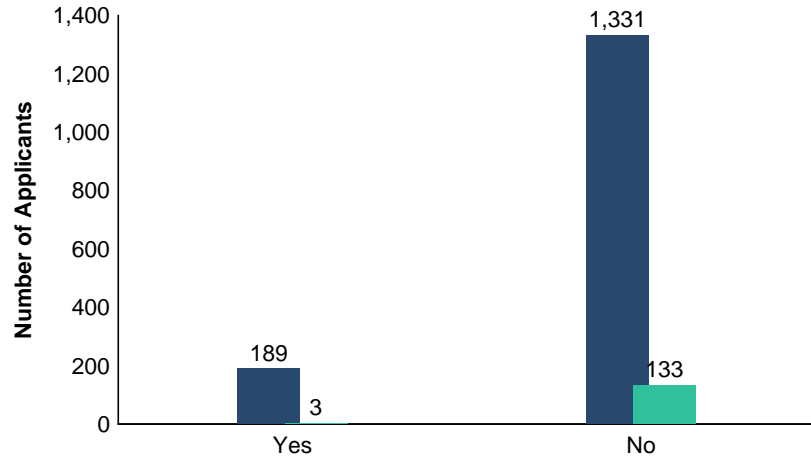


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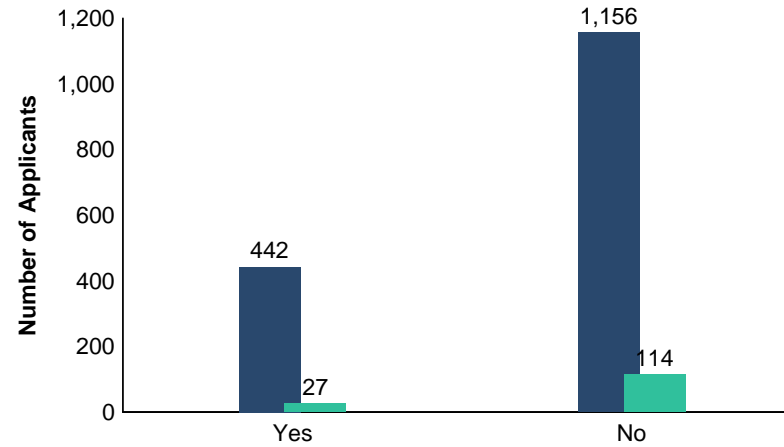
**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Emergency Medicine**

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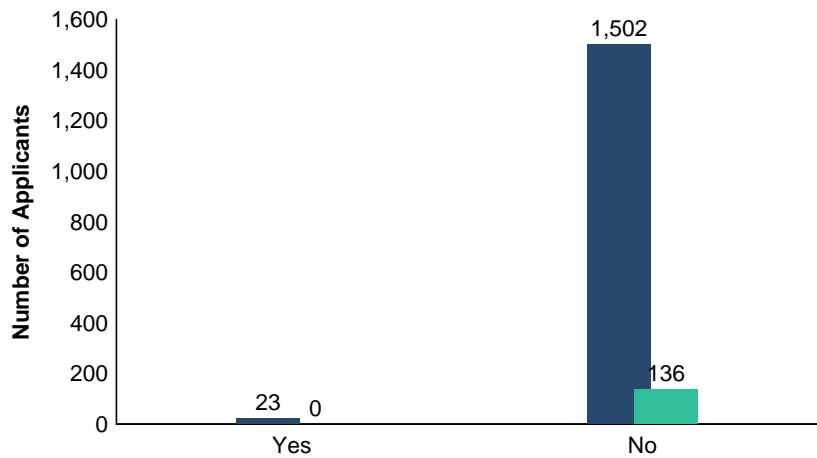
AOA Membership



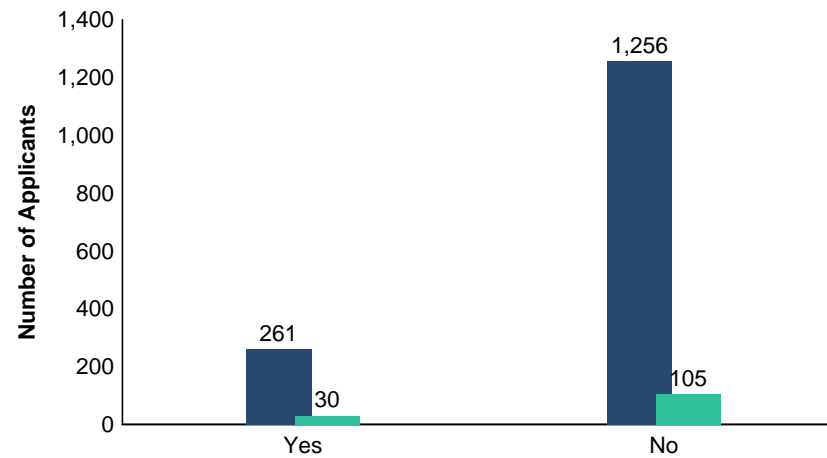
Graduate of One of the 40 U.S. Medical Schools with the Highest NIH Funding



Ph.D. Degree



Other Graduate Degree



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

FM Family Medicine

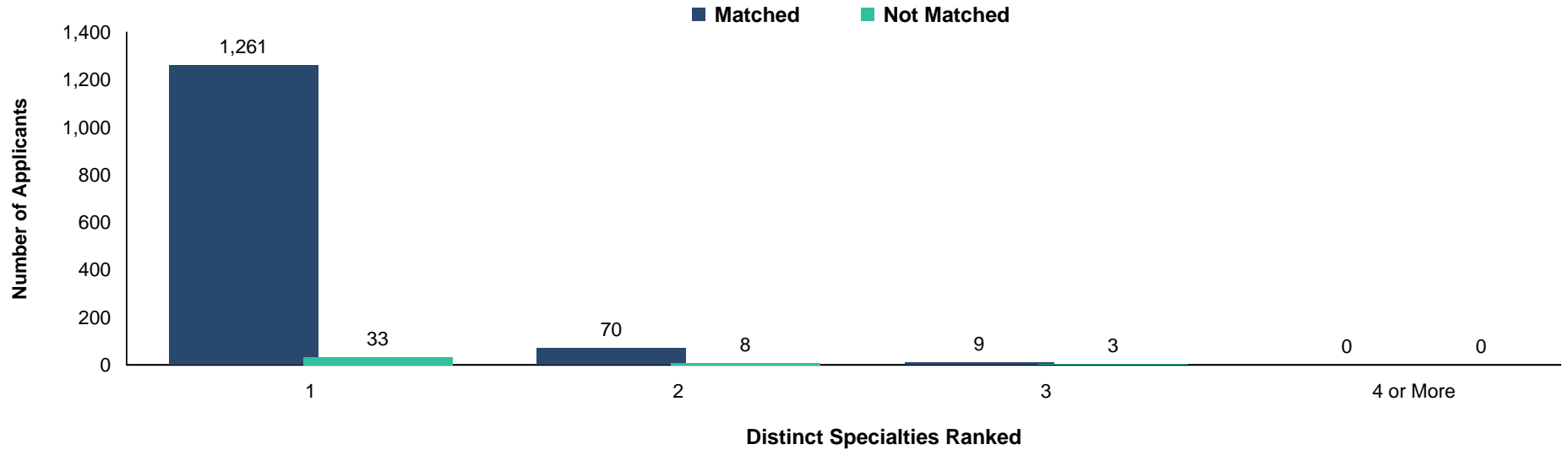
| Measure | Matched (n=1,341) | Unmatched (n=44) |
|---|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 12.1 | 4.8 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.1 | 1.3 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 221 | 209 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 238 | 222 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 2.2 | 2.1 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 3.3 | 2.5 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.5 | 3.4 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 8.0 | 5.1 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 6.4 | 4.5 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 26.7 | 15.9 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 0.7 | 0.0 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 17.5 | 18.4 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

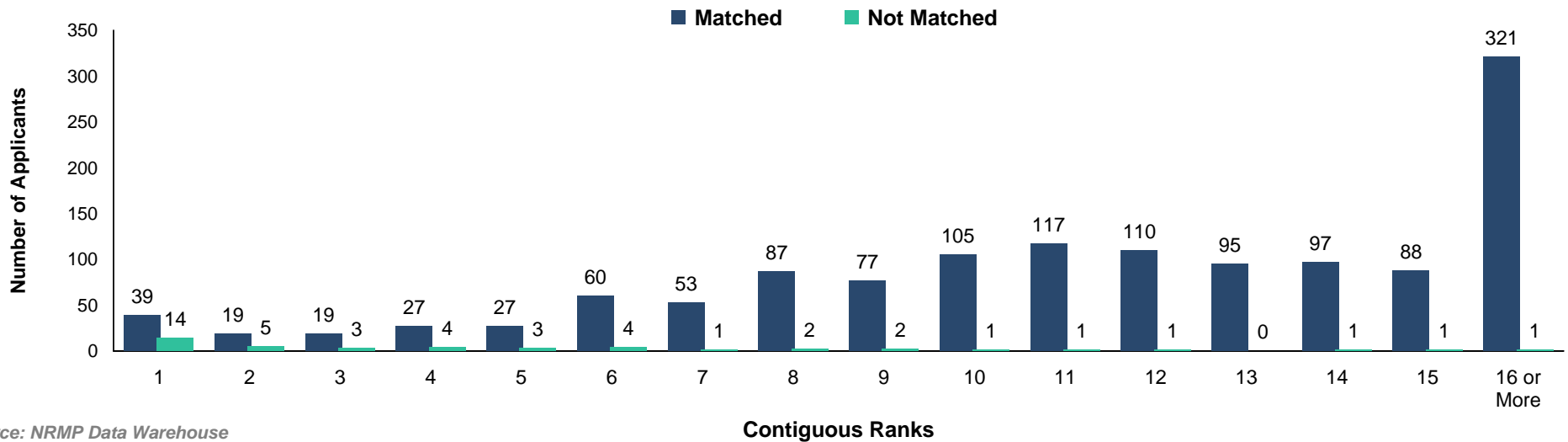
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**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
Family Medicine**



**Chart
FM-2**

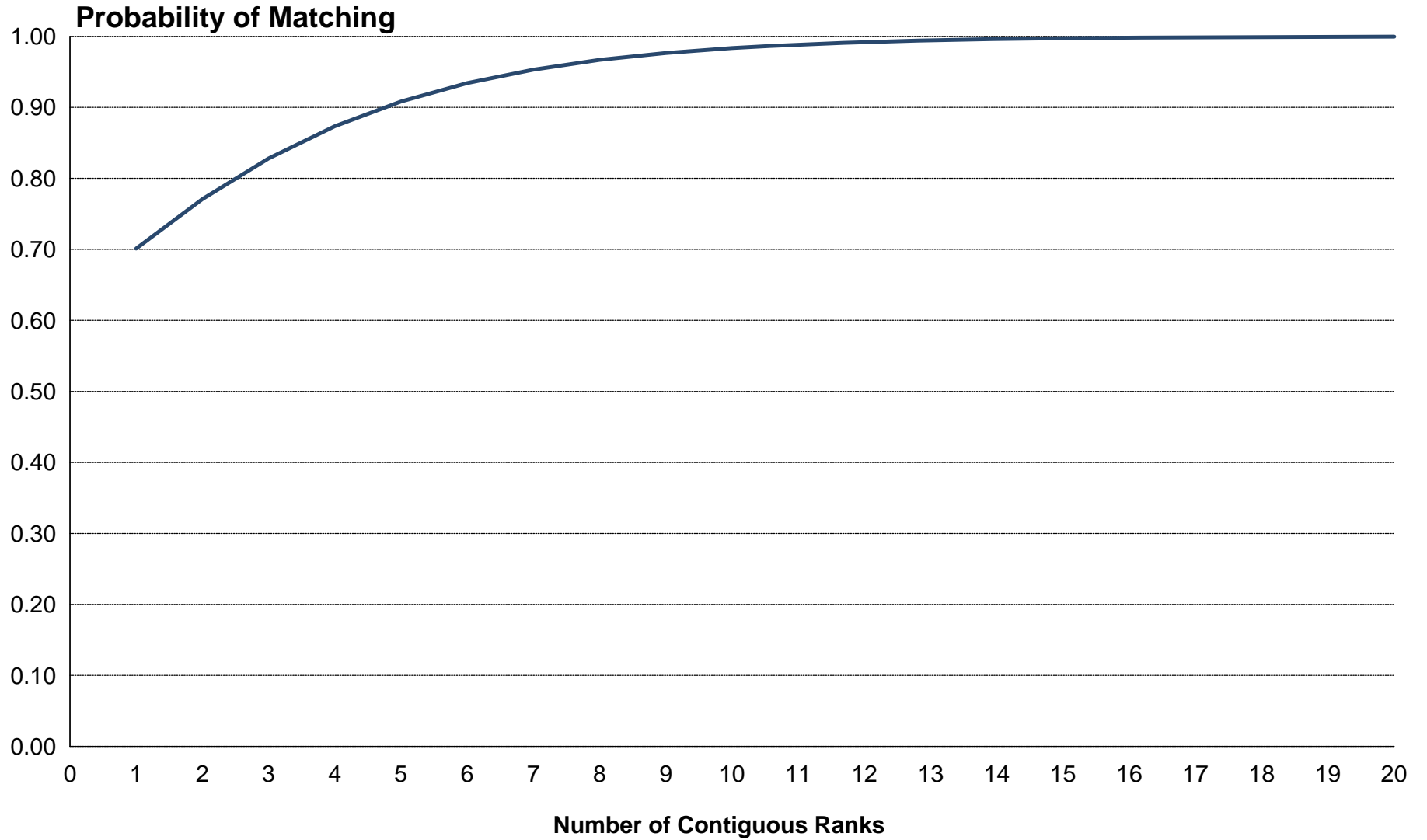
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
Family Medicine**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

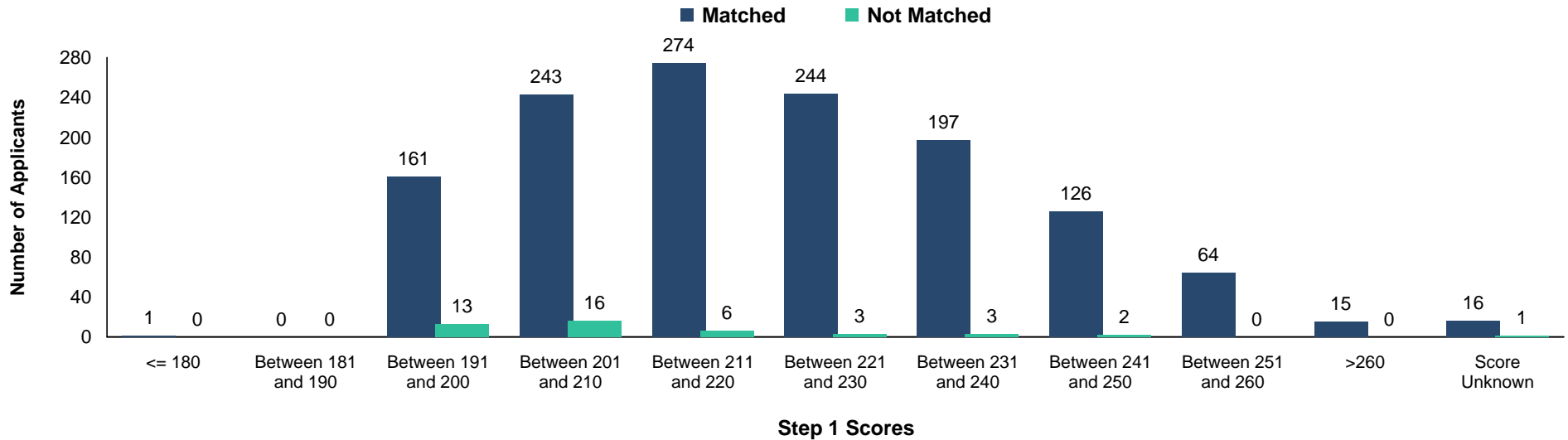
Family Medicine



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

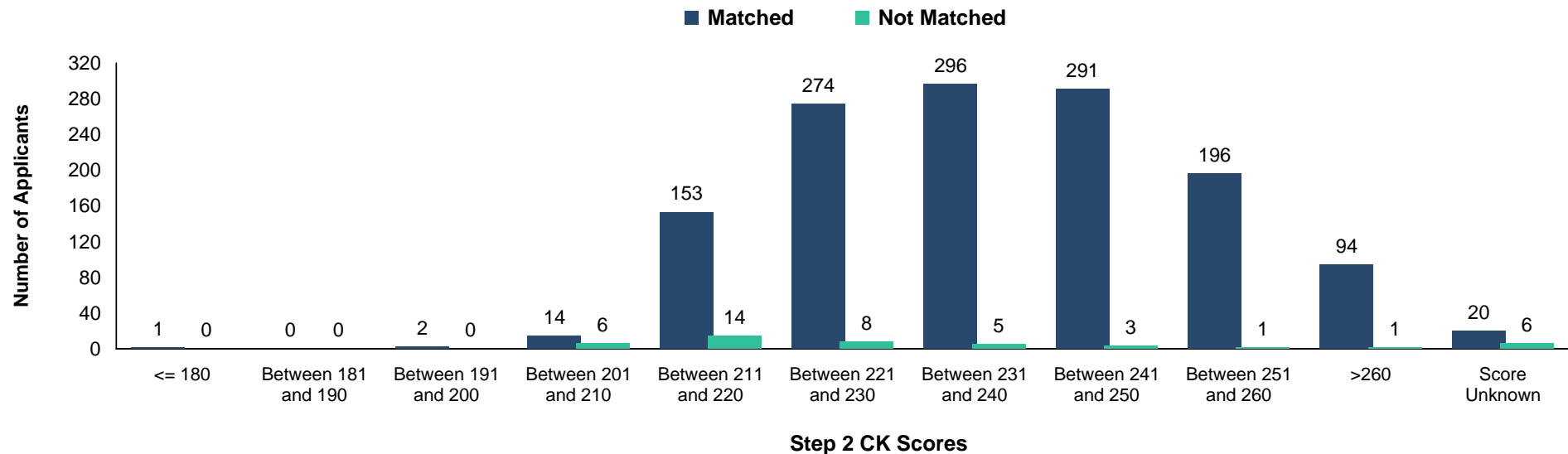
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Family Medicine**

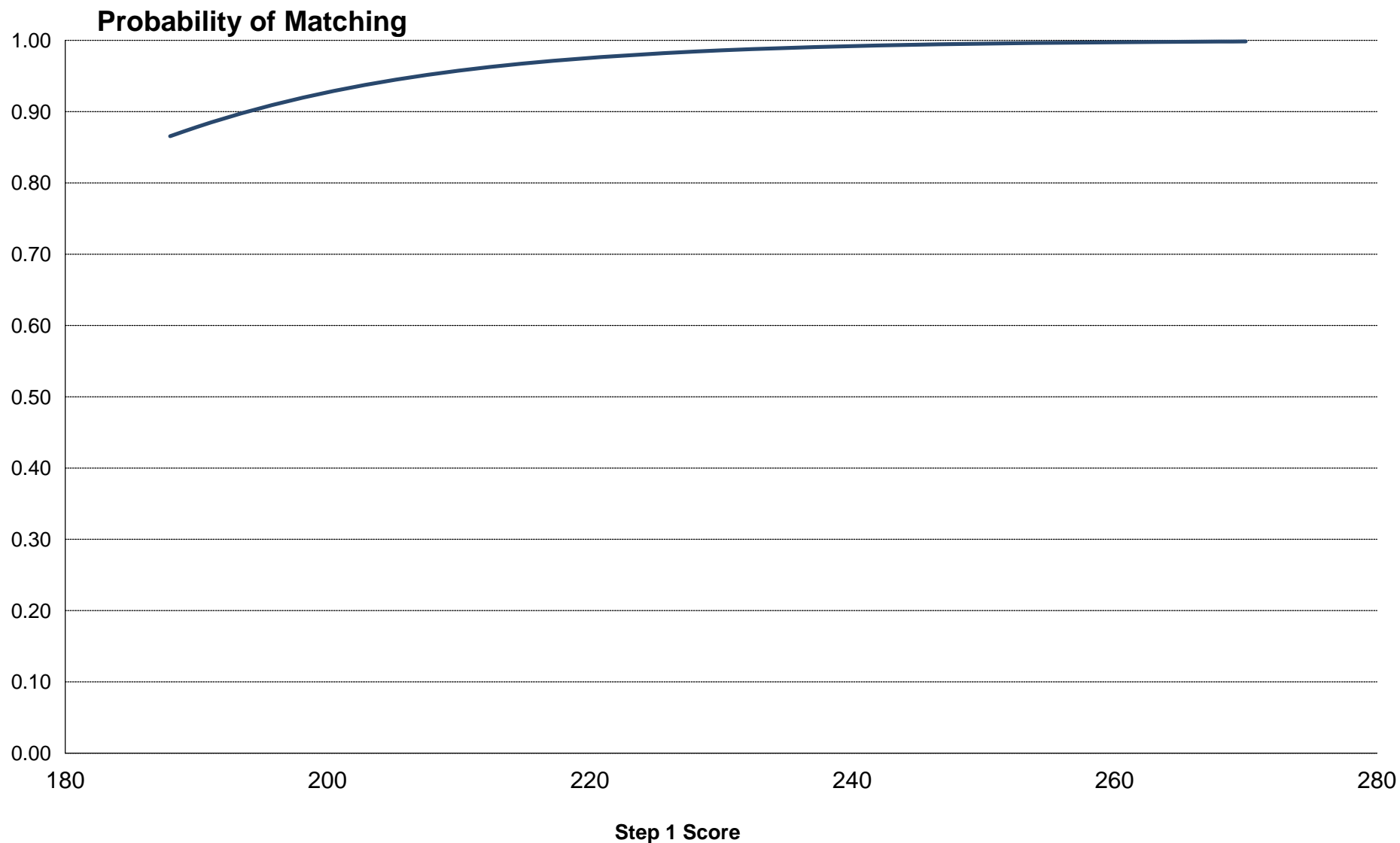


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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Family Medicine**



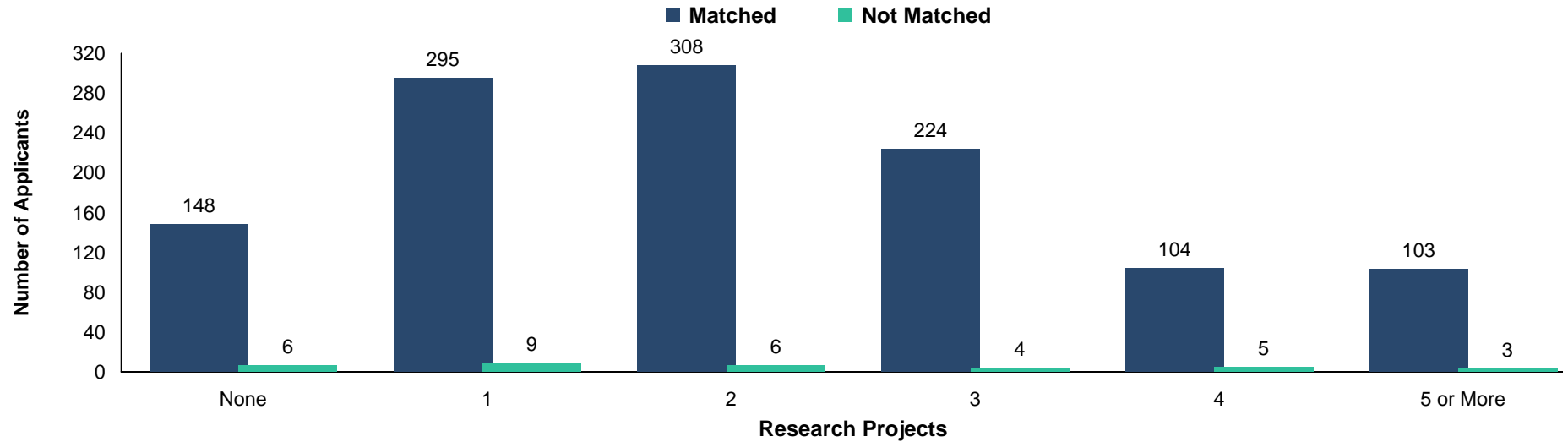
Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score *Family Medicine*



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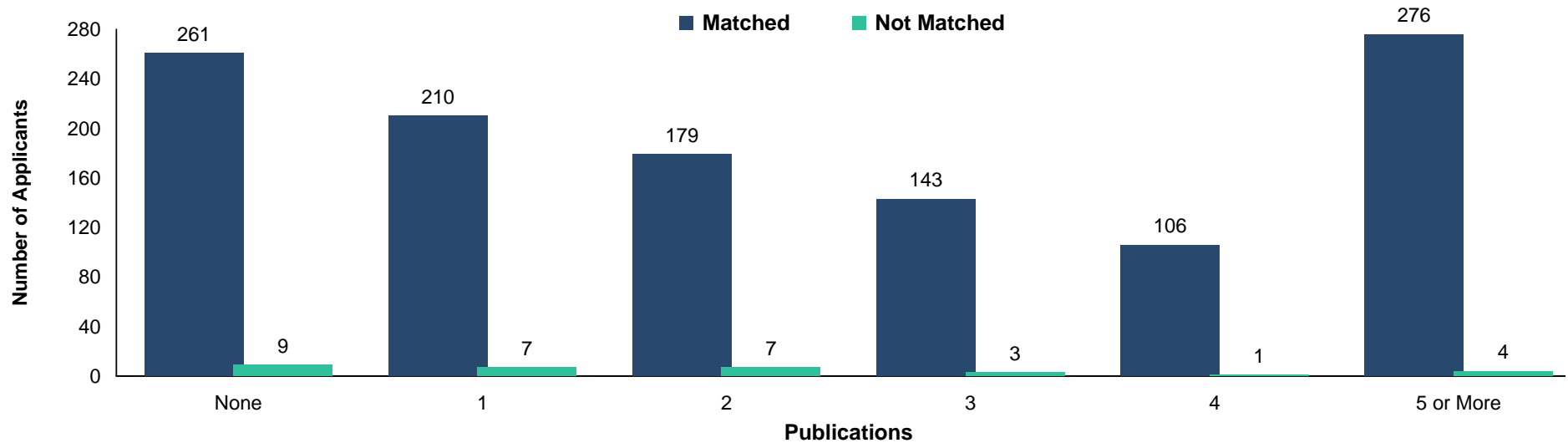
**Chart
FM-5**

**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
Family Medicine**



**Chart
FM-6**

**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
Family Medicine**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Chart FM-7 Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Family Medicine

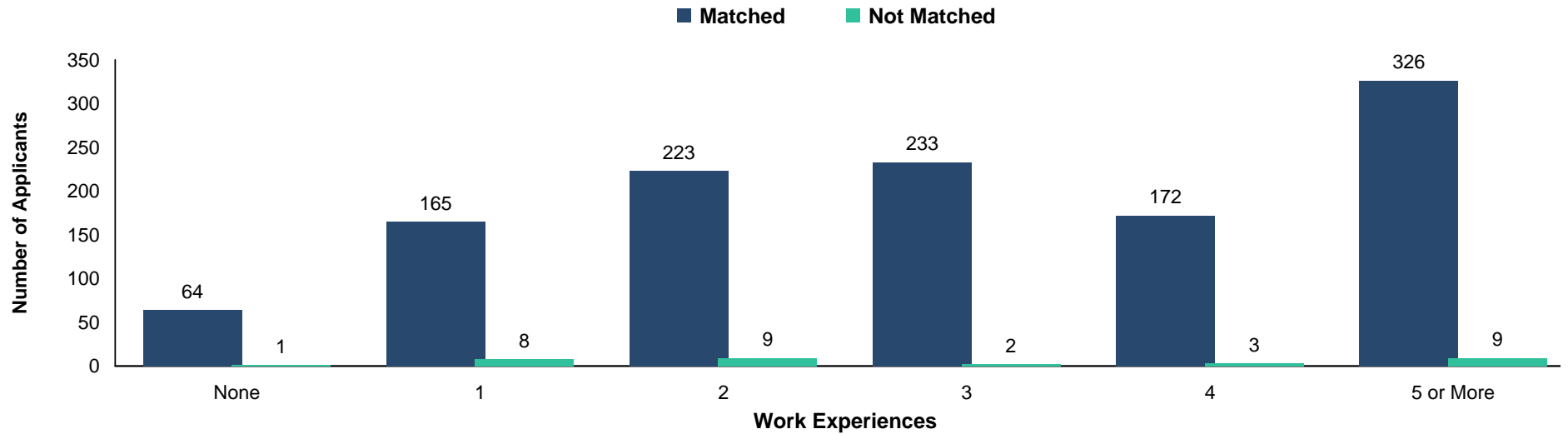
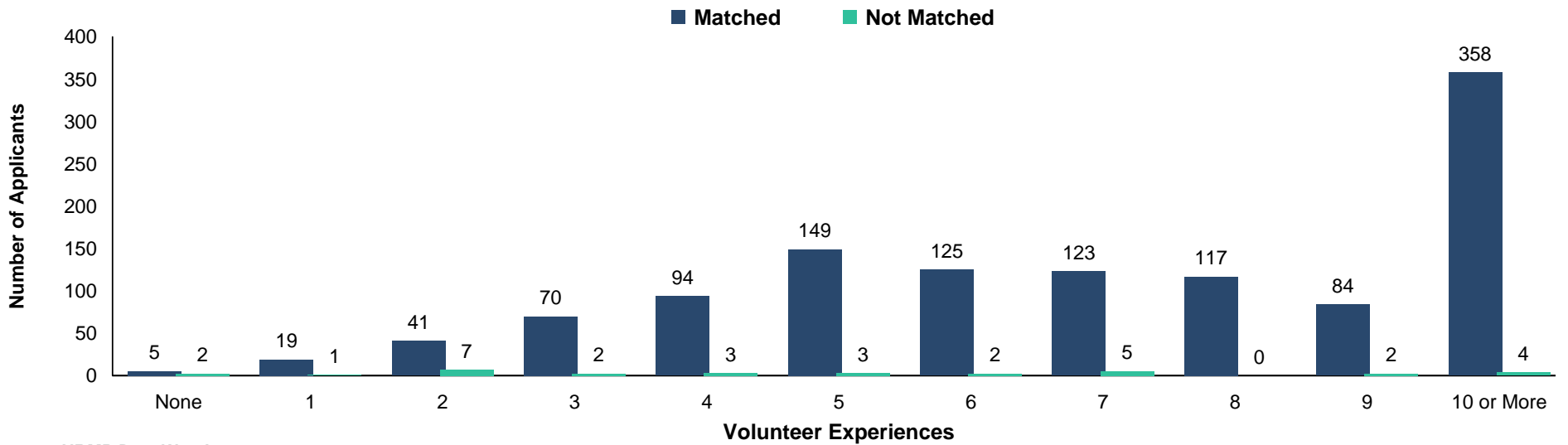
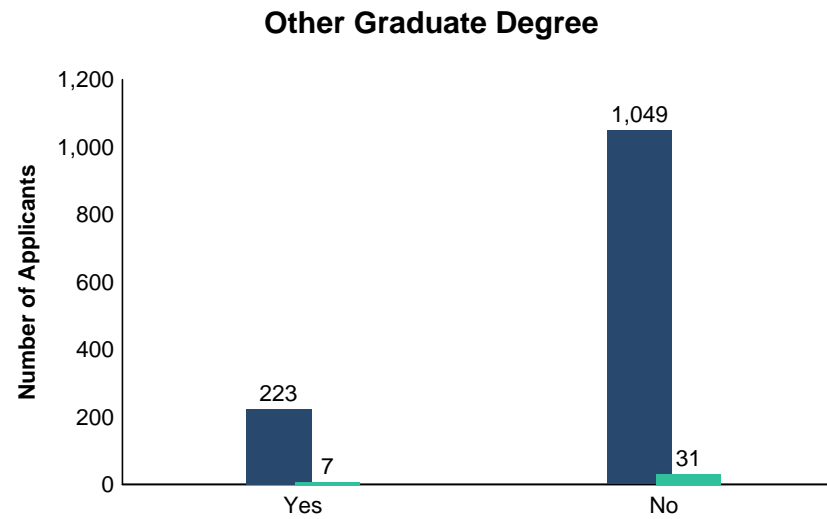
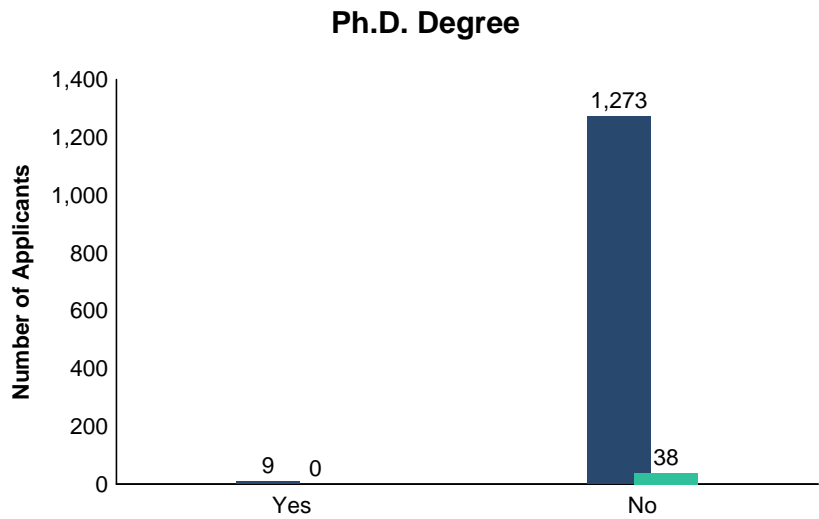
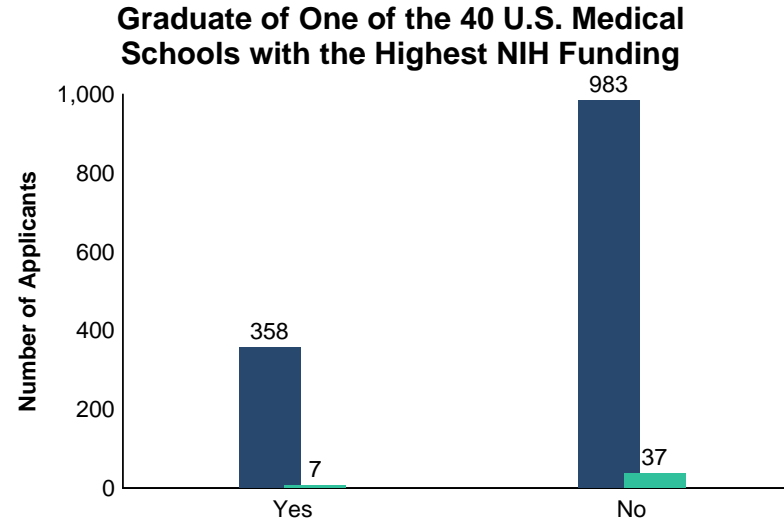
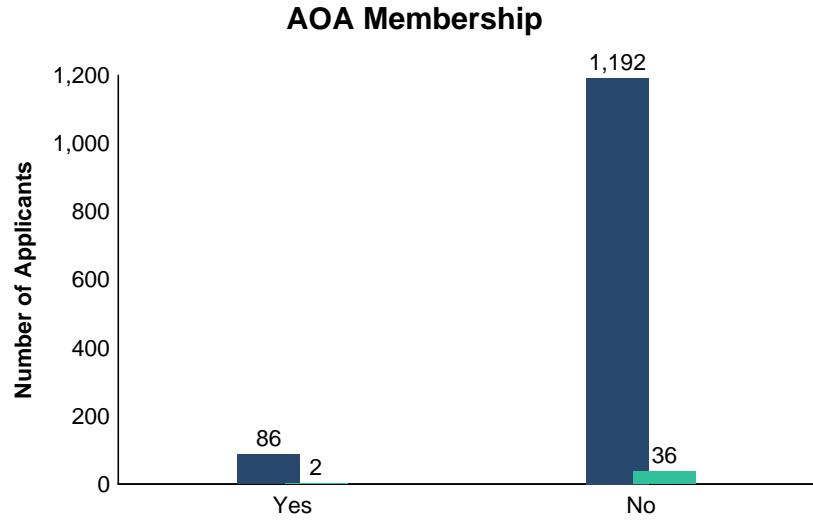


Chart FM-8 Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Family Medicine



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

■ Matched ■ Not Matched



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

GS **General Surgery**

**Table
GS-1****Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors
General Surgery**

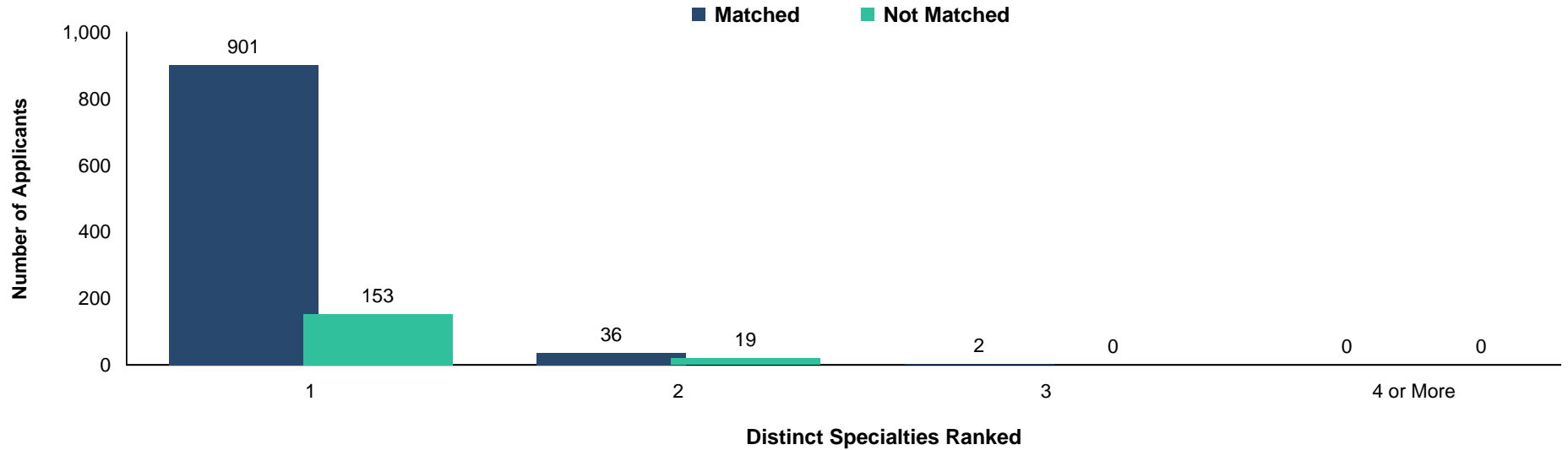
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|---|--------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 13.2 | 6.1 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.0 | 1.1 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 237 | 219 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 249 | 234 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 4.0 | 3.4 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 7.1 | 4.8 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.6 | 3.6 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 8.3 | 8.2 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 18.5 | 1.7 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 29.9 | 17.4 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 1.7 | 1.9 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 22.3 | 24.4 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

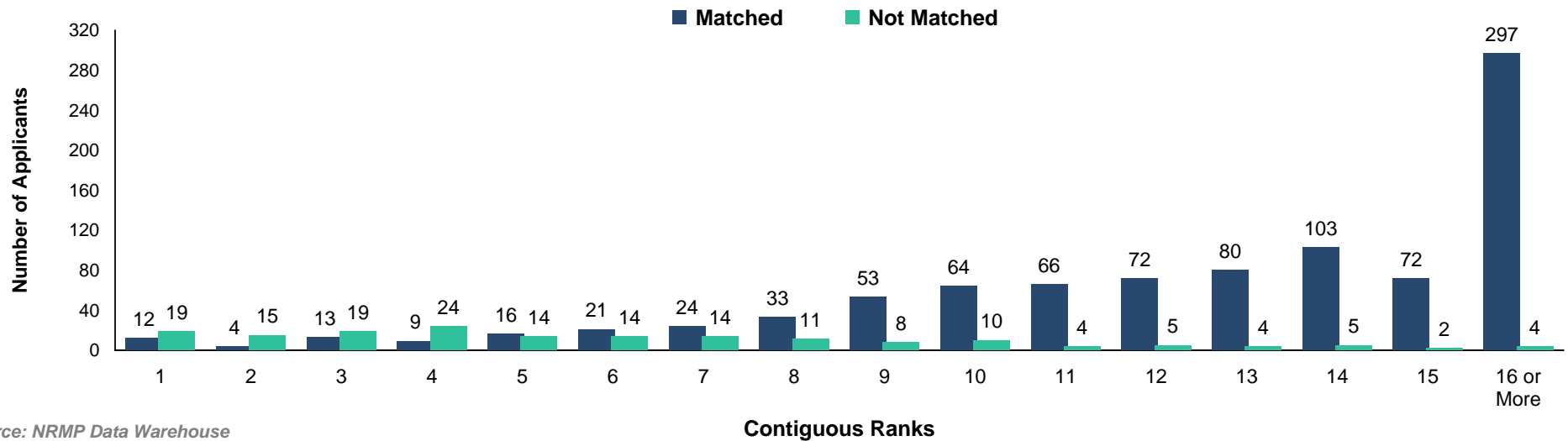
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**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
General Surgery**



**Chart
GS-2**

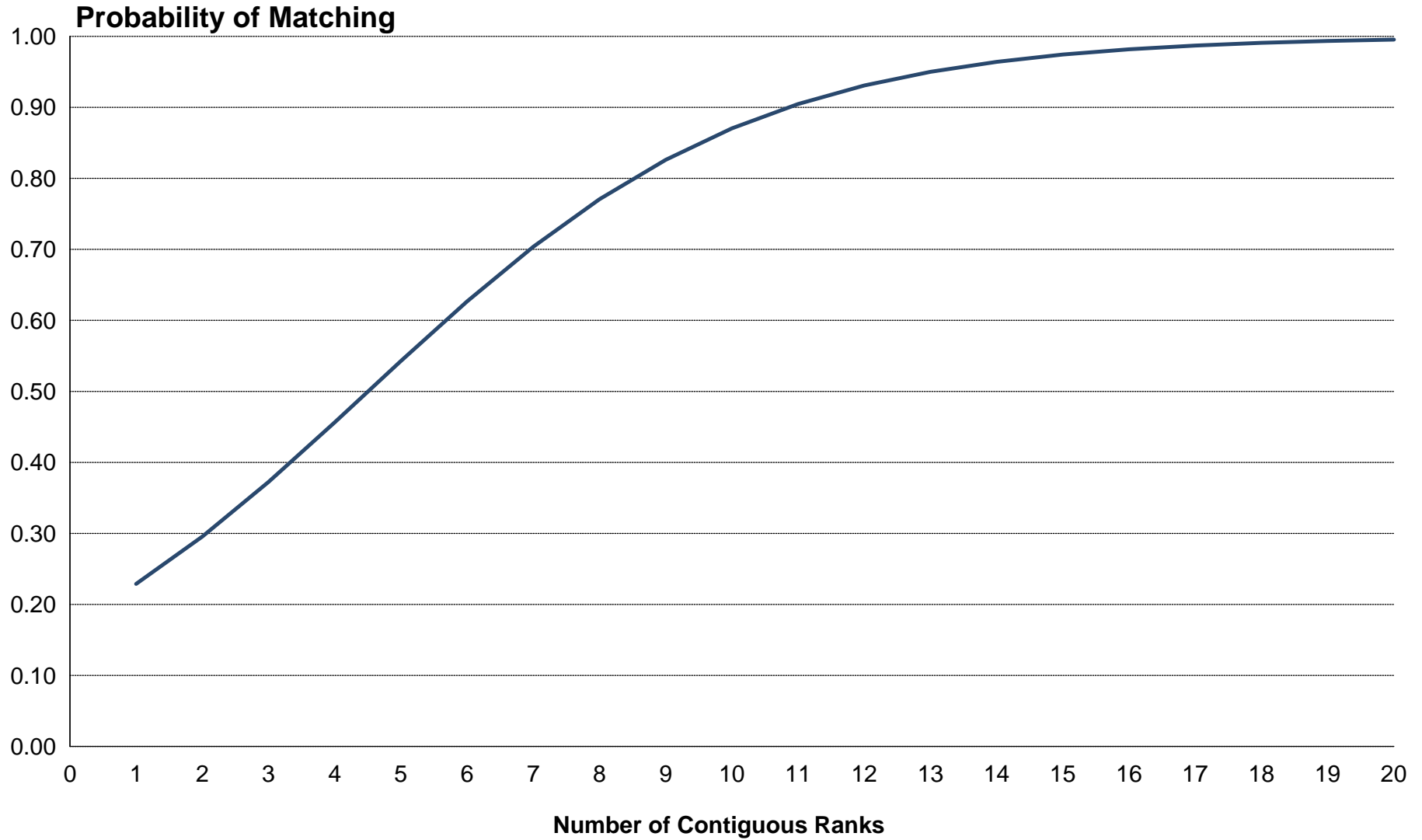
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
General Surgery**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

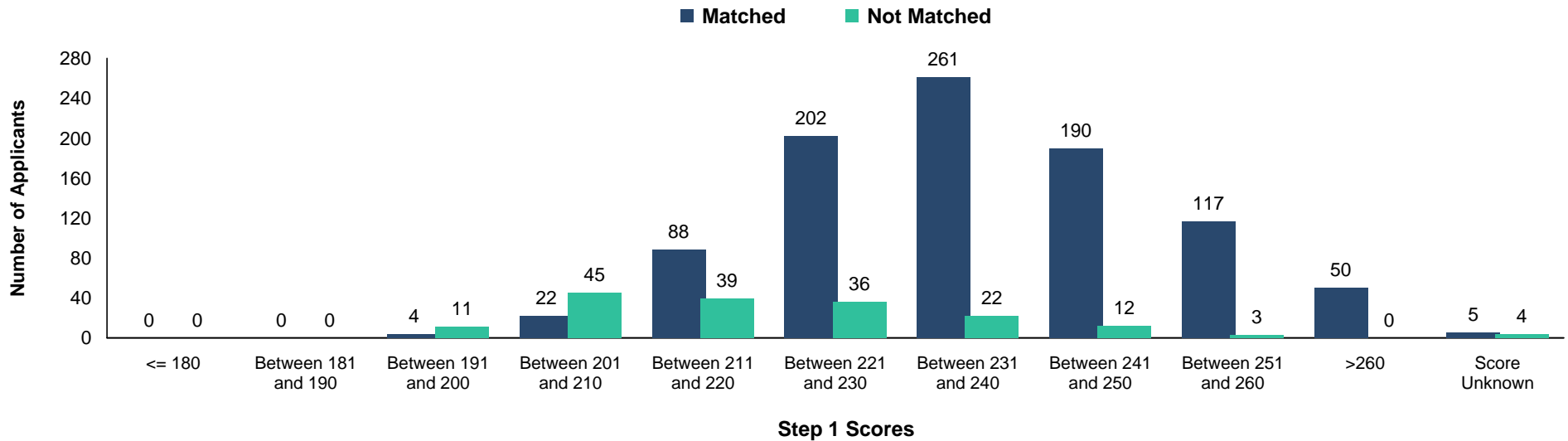
General Surgery



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

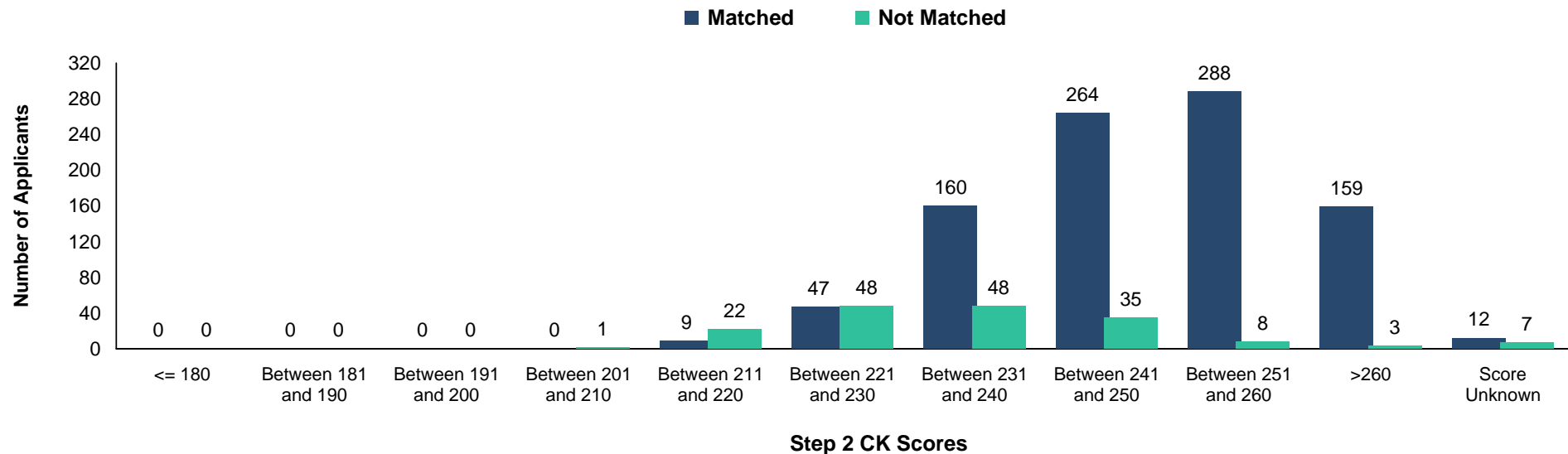
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
General Surgery**



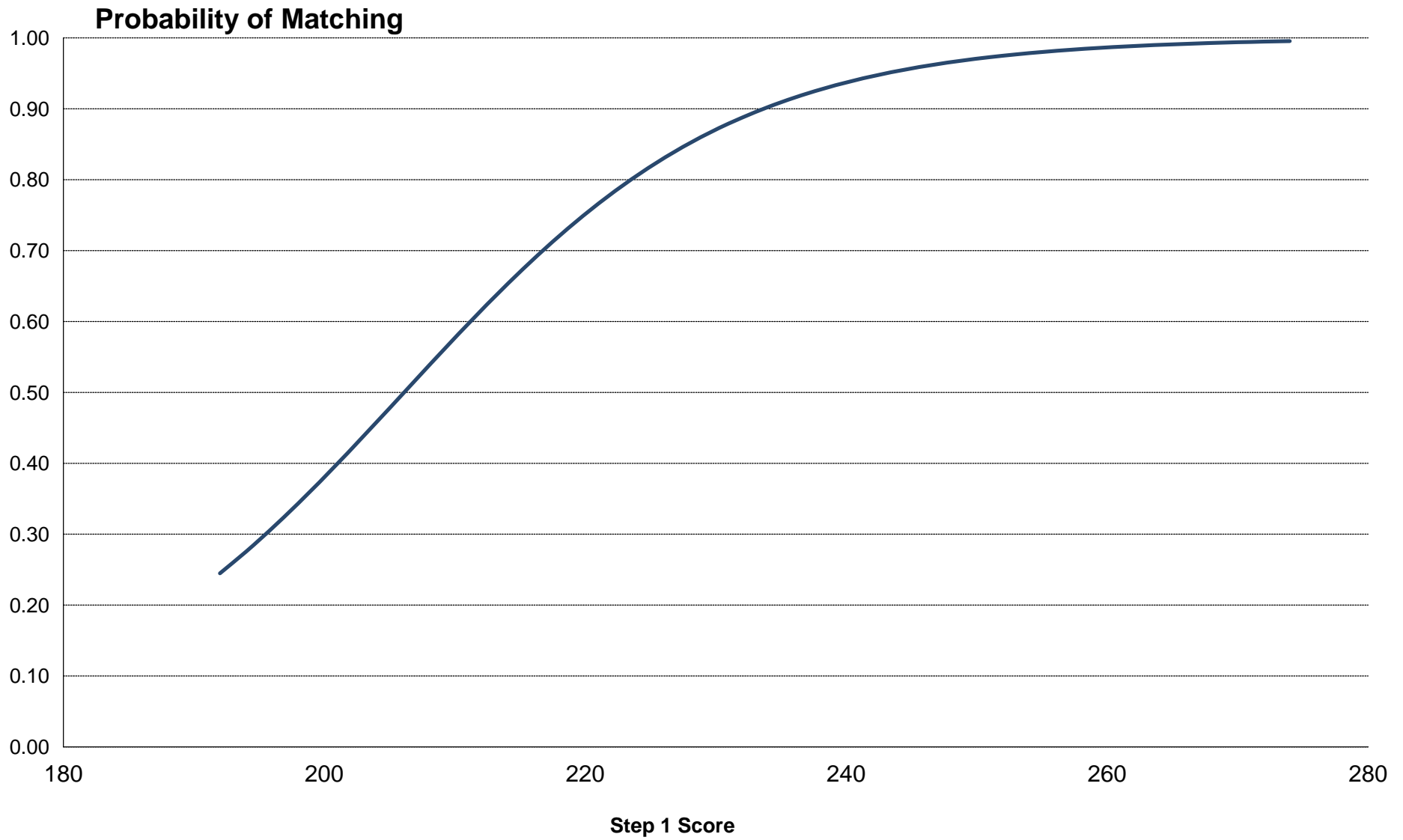
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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
General Surgery**



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

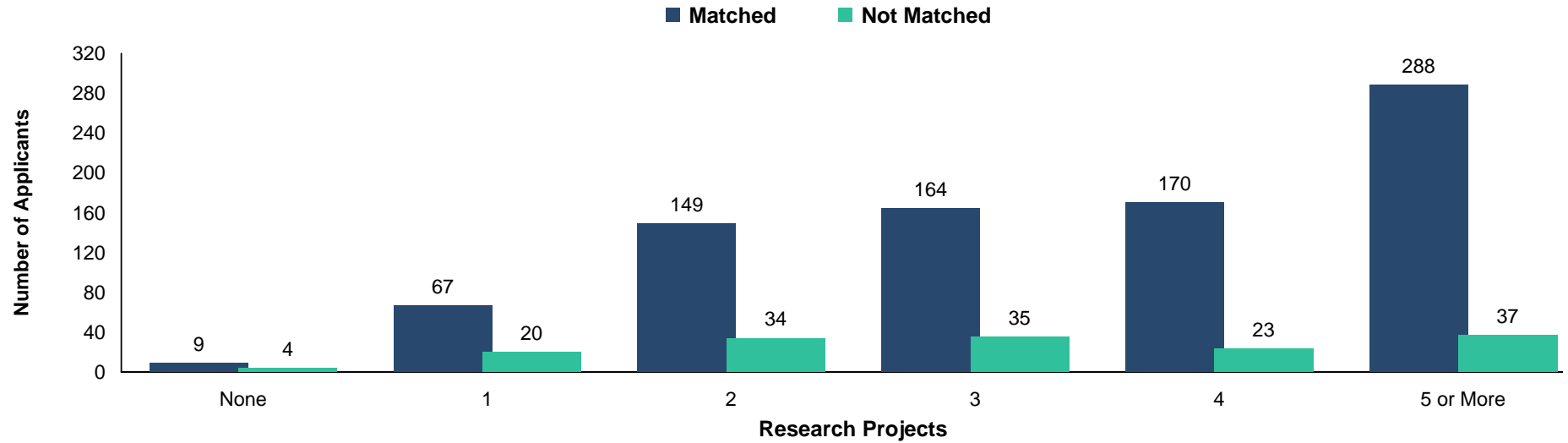
General Surgery



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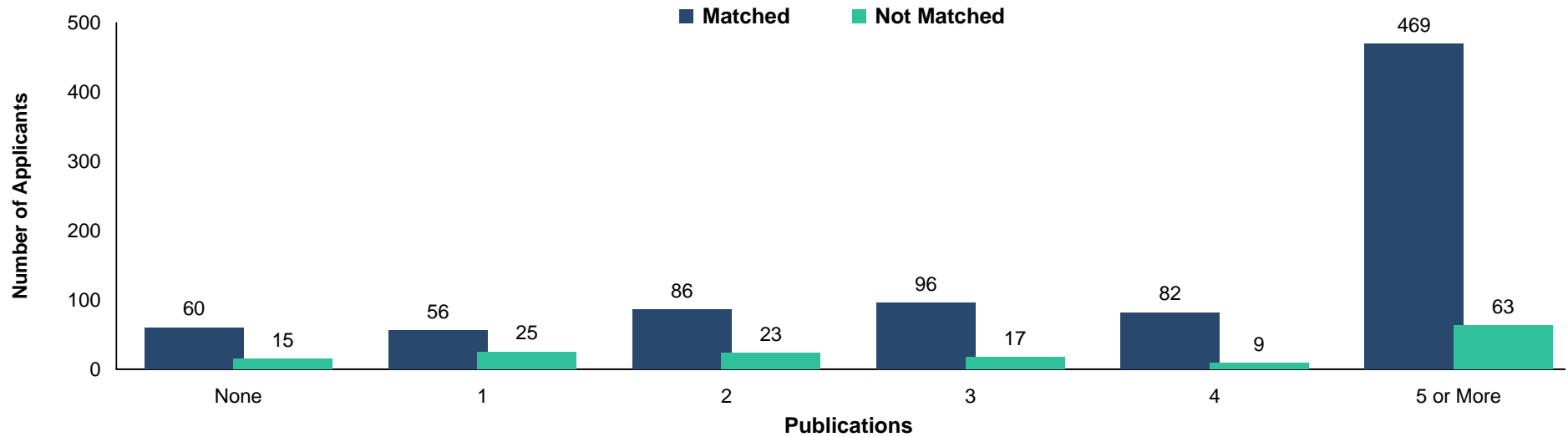
**Chart
GS-5**

**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
General Surgery**



**Chart
GS-6**

**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
General Surgery**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Chart GS-7 Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
General Surgery

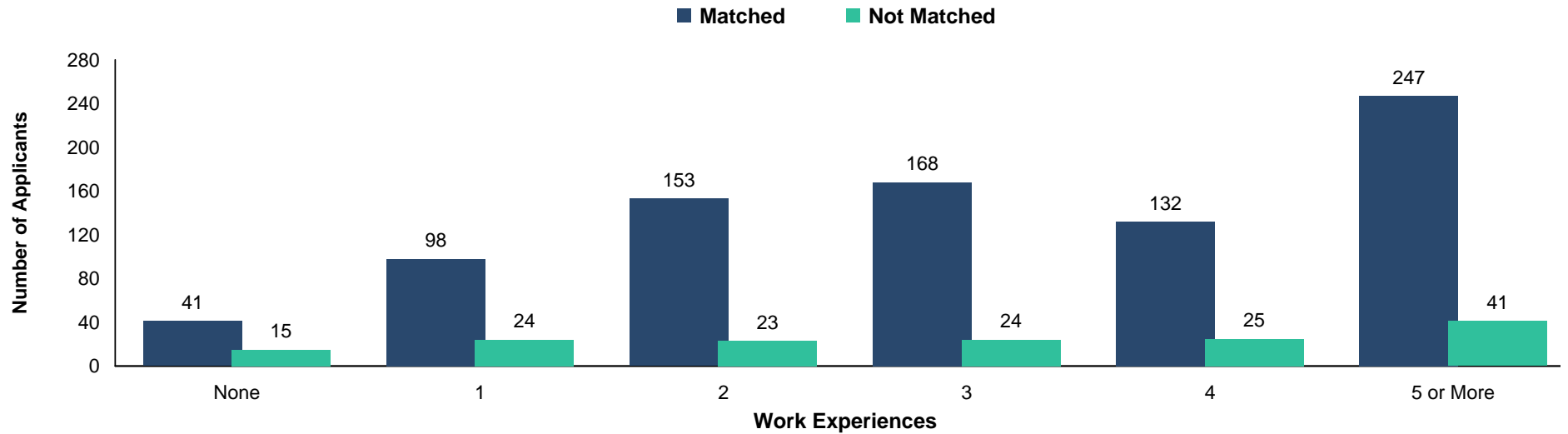
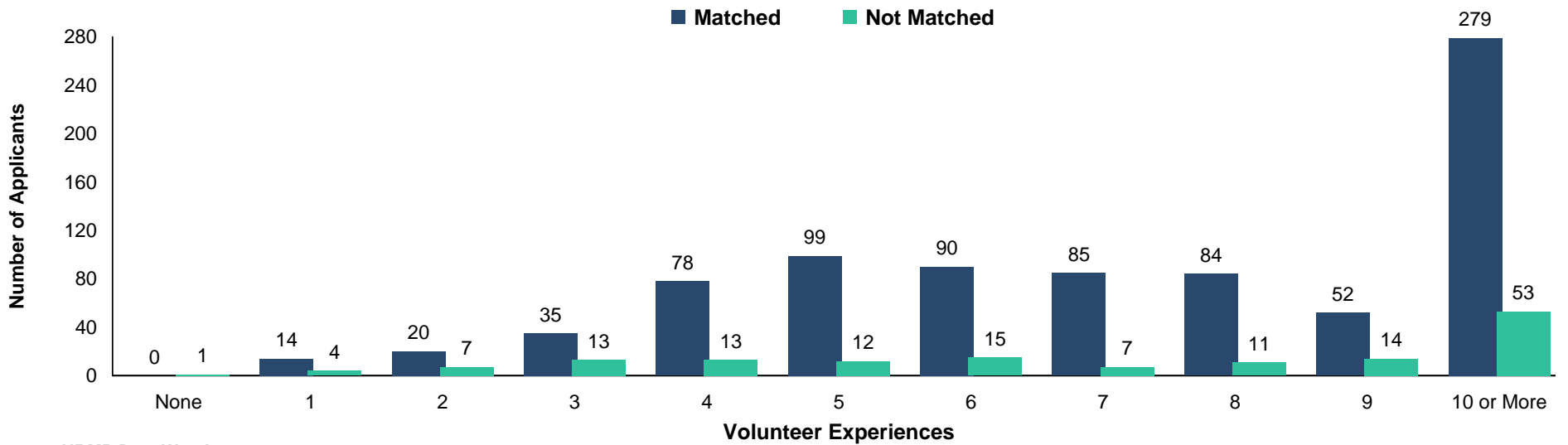


Chart GS-8 Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
General Surgery



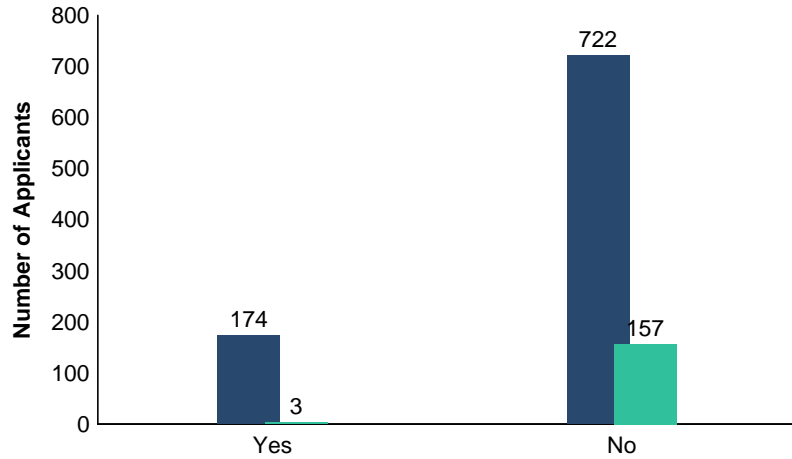
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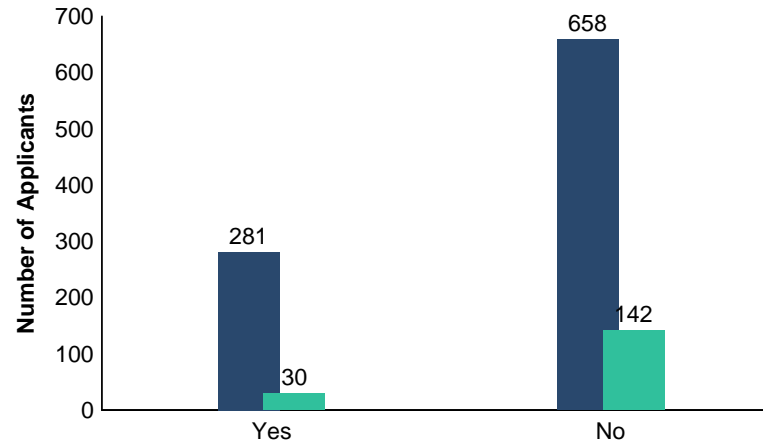
**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
General Surgery**

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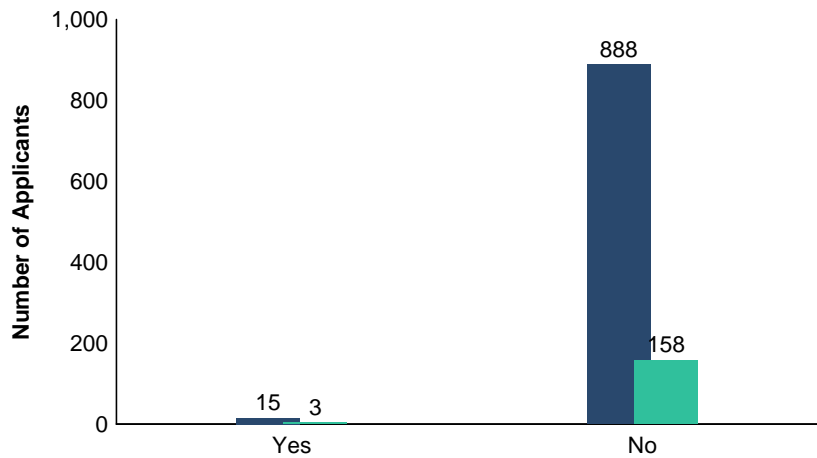
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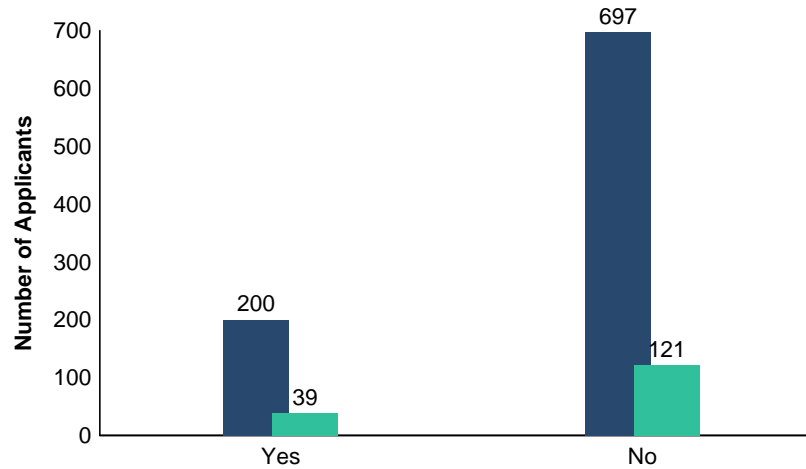
Graduate of One of the 40 U.S. Medical Schools with the Highest NIH Funding



Ph.D. Degree



Other Graduate Degree



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

IM Internal Medicine

**Table
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Internal Medicine**

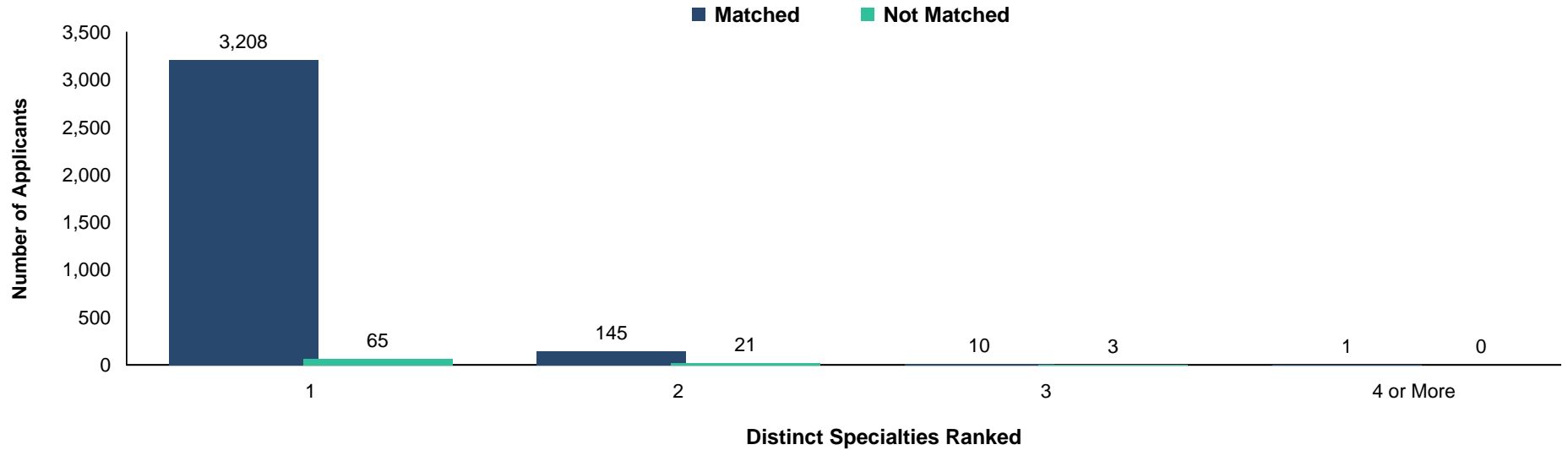
| Measure | Matched (n=3,364) | Unmatched (n=89) |
|---|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 12.4 | 3.9 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.0 | 1.3 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 235 | 218 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 248 | 230 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 3.3 | 3.0 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 6.2 | 5.1 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.3 | 2.3 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 7.3 | 5.8 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 17.4 | 3.4 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 33.6 | 22.5 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 4.7 | 7.2 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 17.7 | 18.3 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

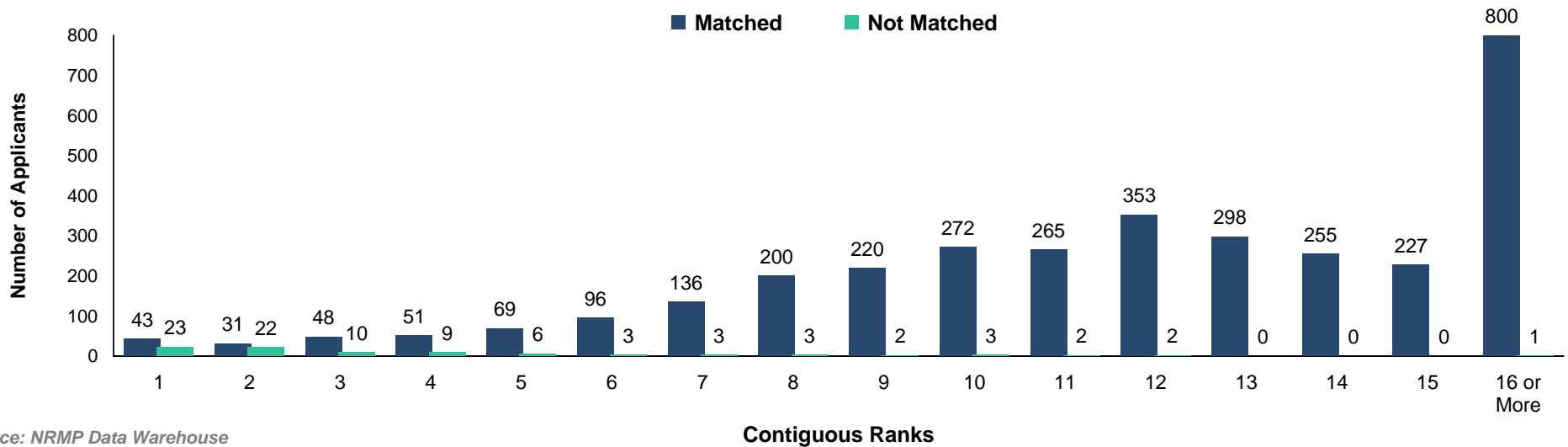
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**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine**



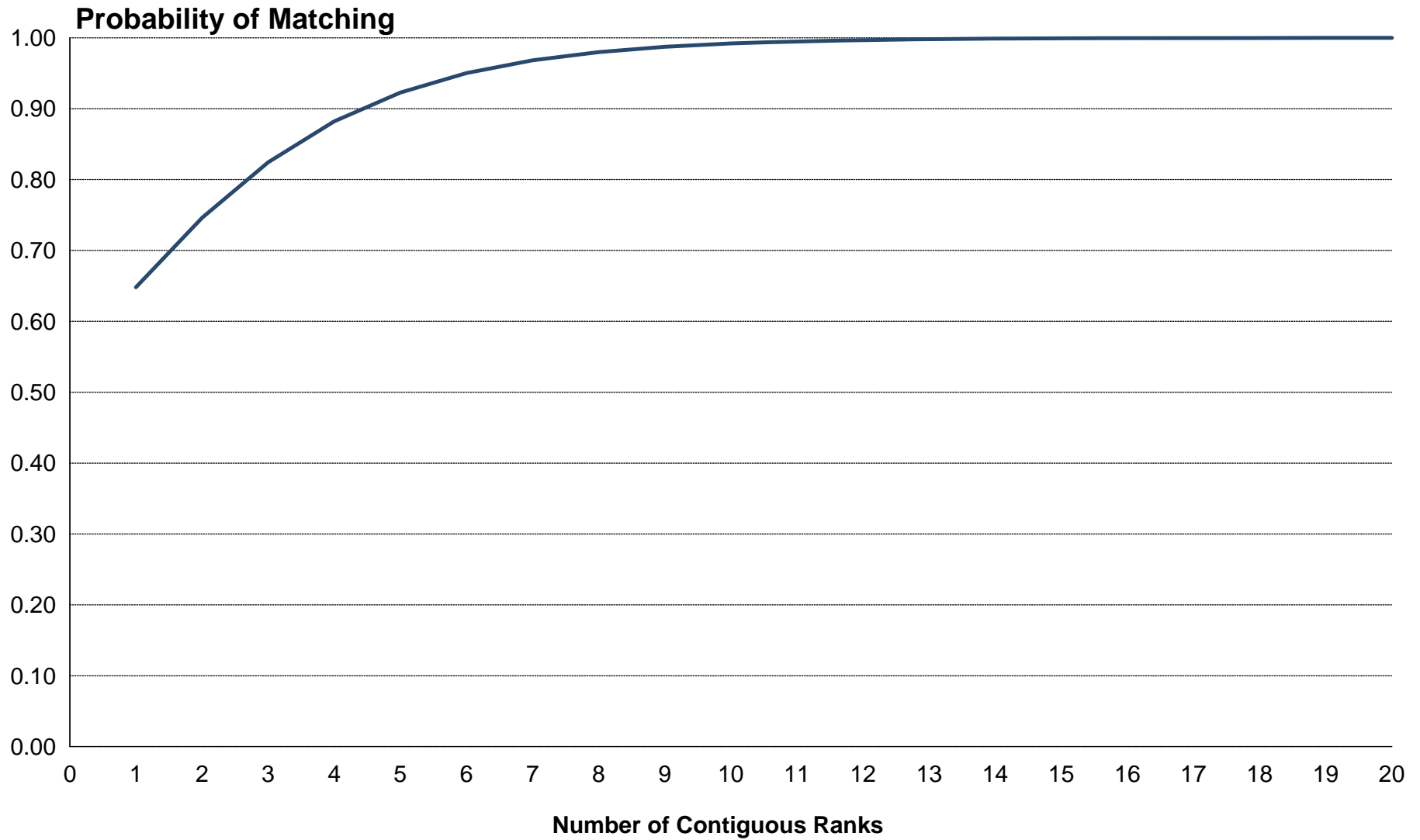
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**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine**



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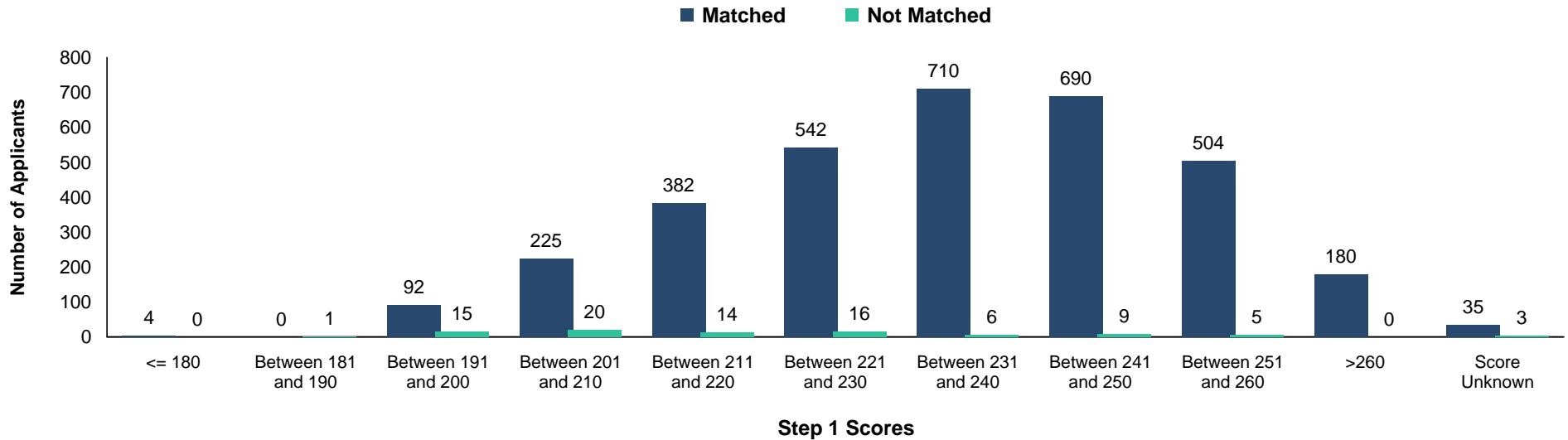
Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks
Internal Medicine



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

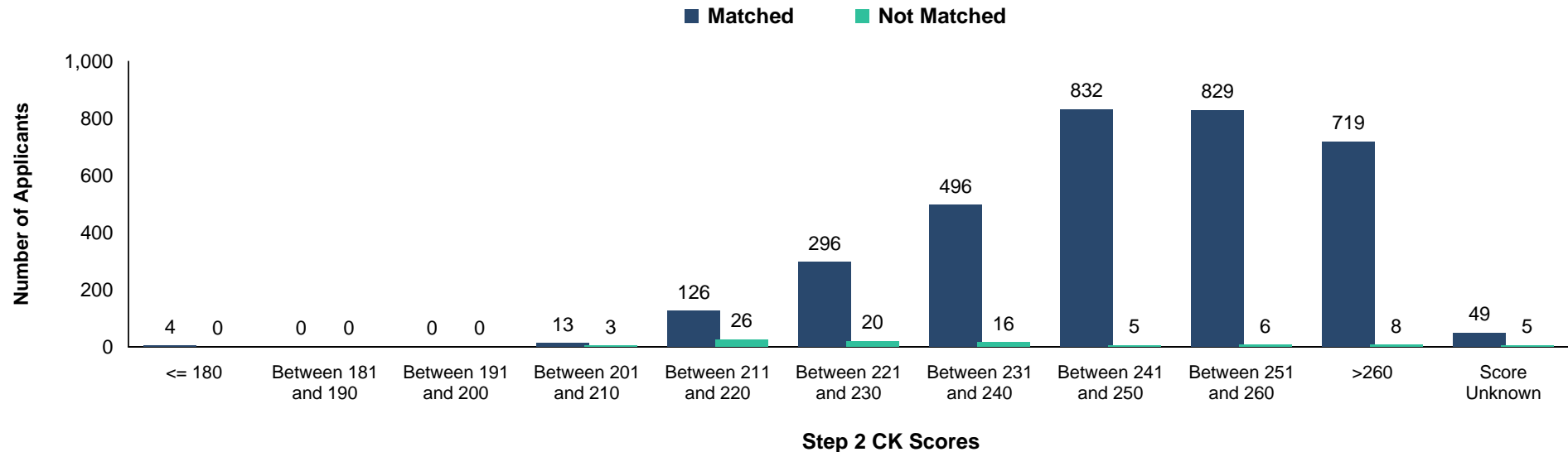
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine**



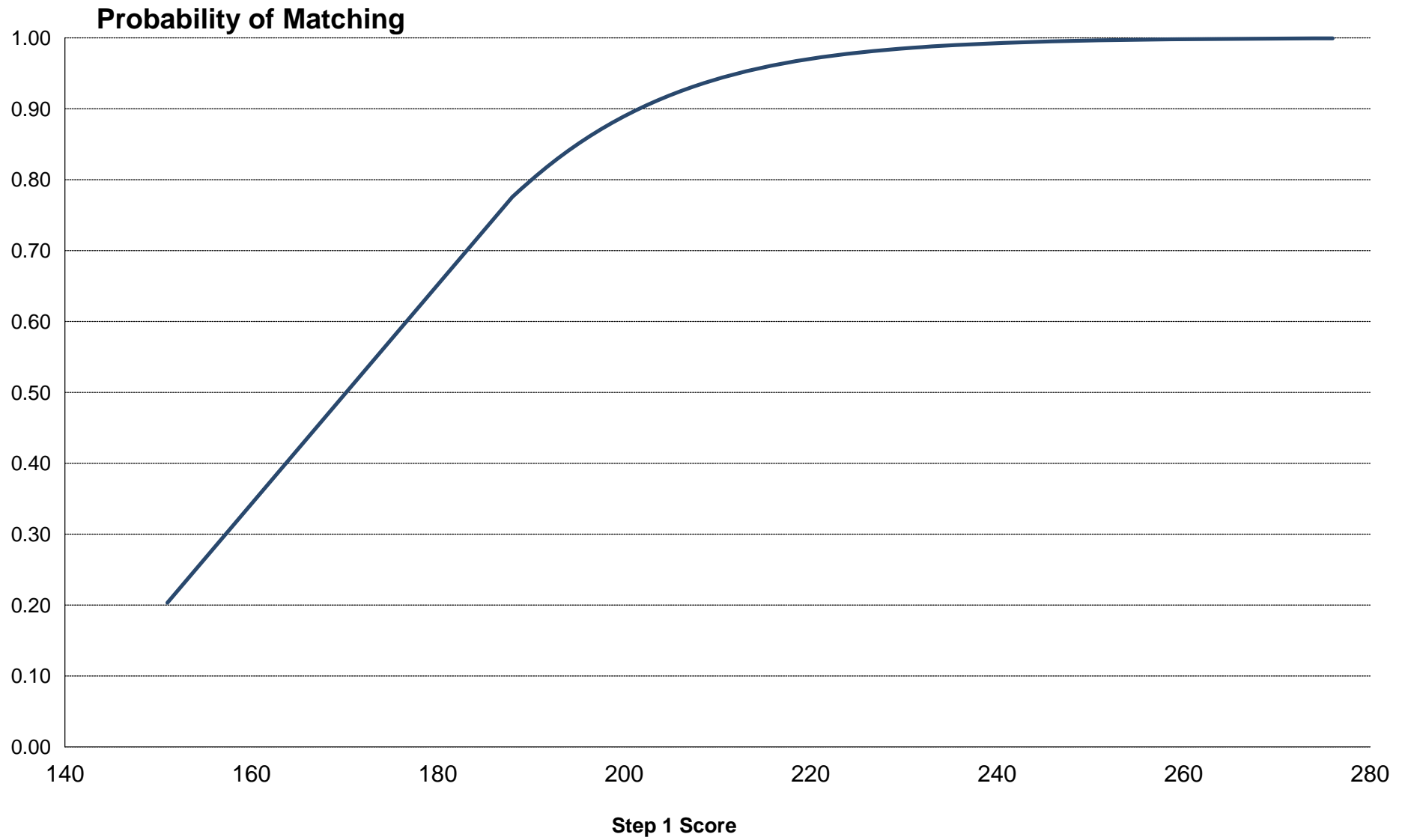
**Chart
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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine**



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

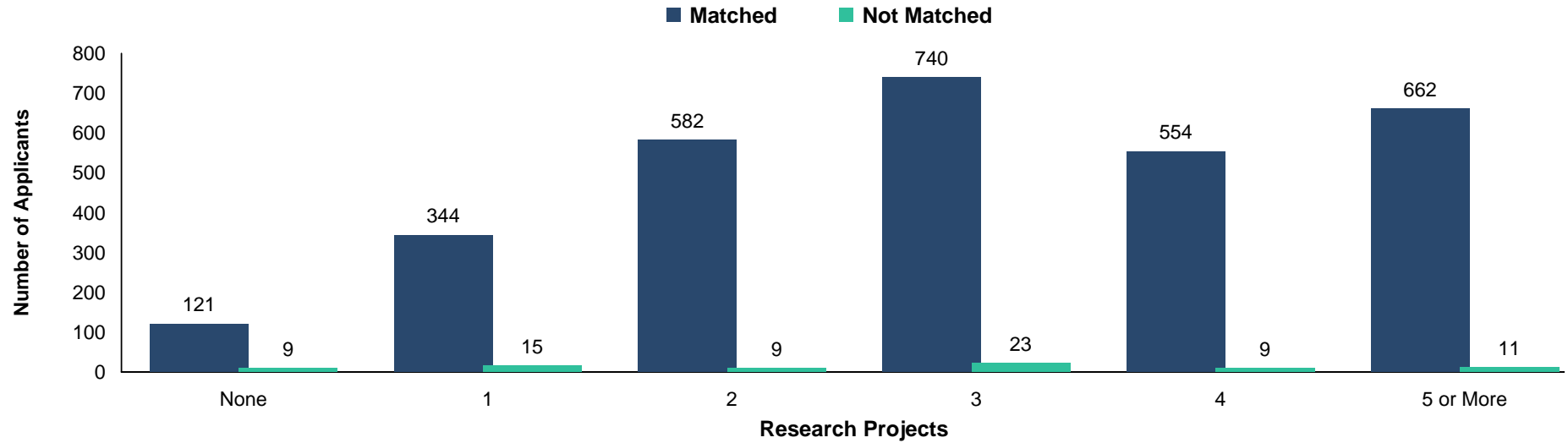
Internal Medicine



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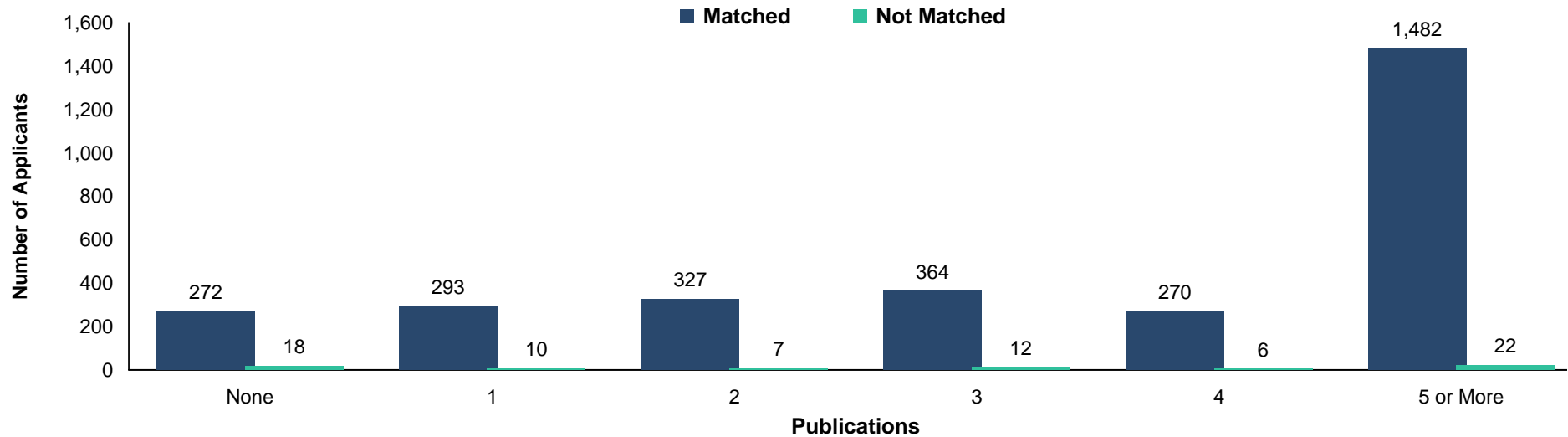
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**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
*Internal Medicine***



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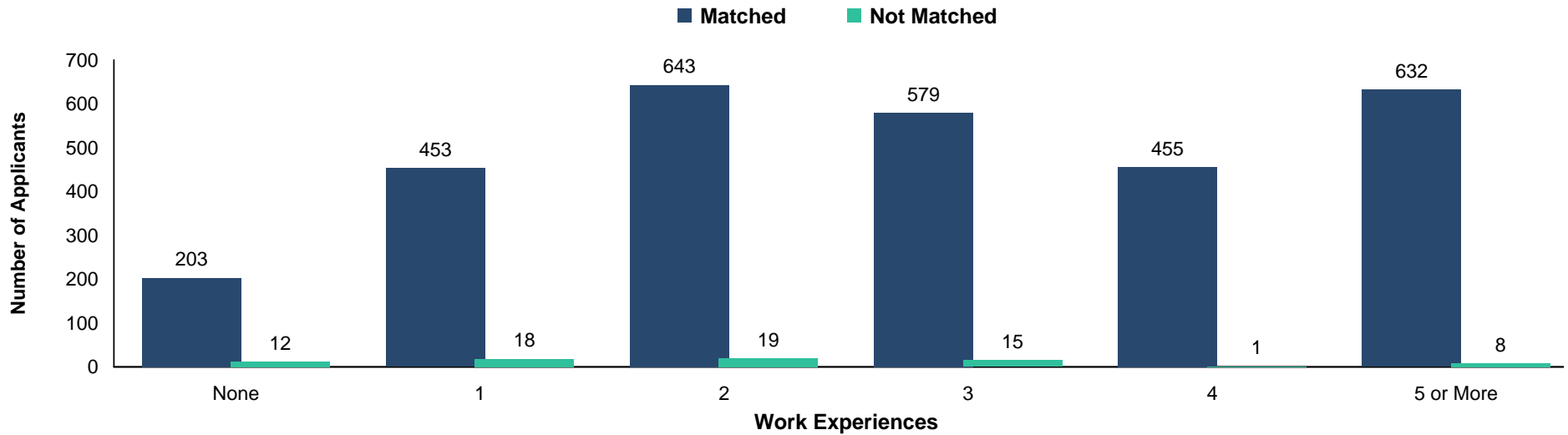
**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
*Internal Medicine***



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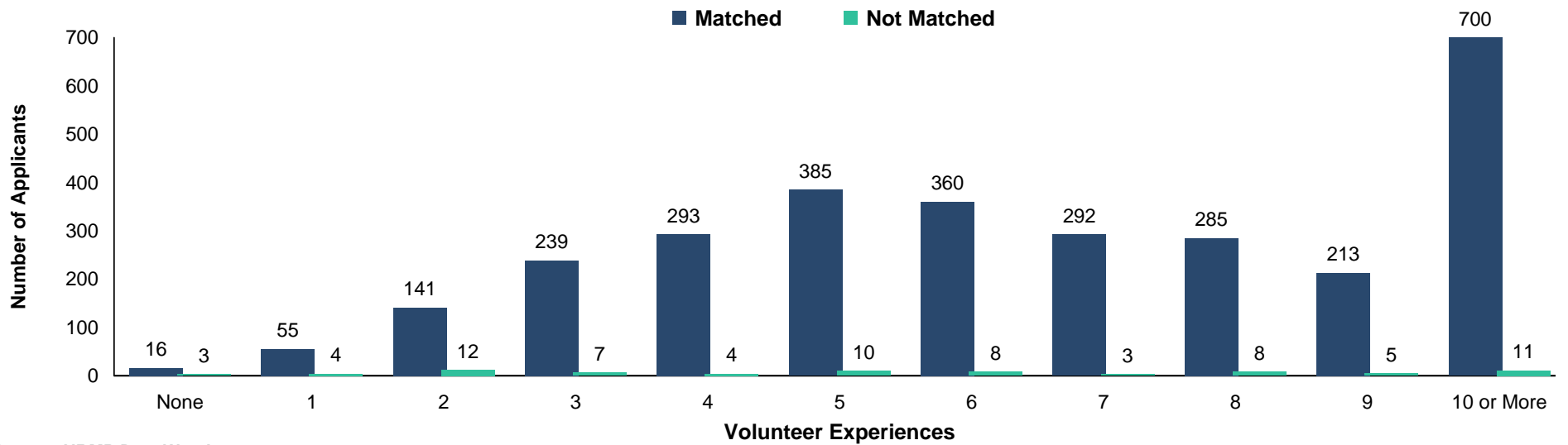
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**Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine**



**Chart
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**Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine**



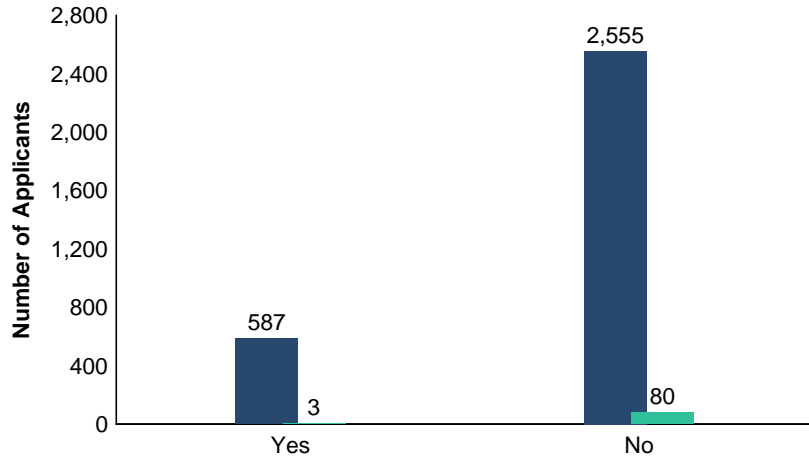
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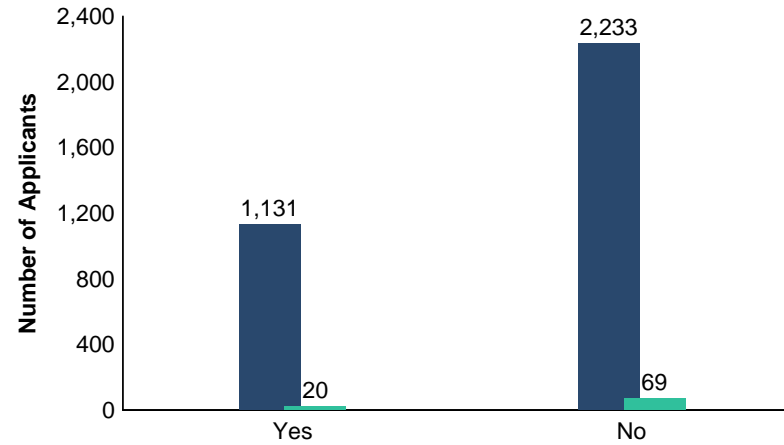
Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine

■ Matched ■ Not Matched

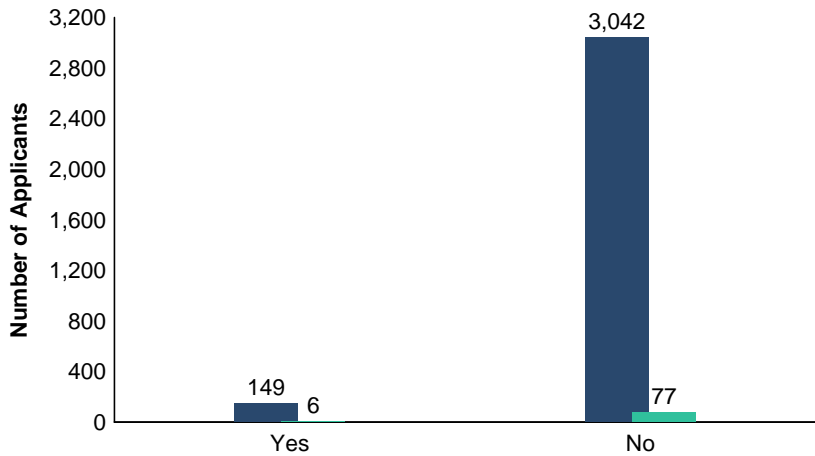
AOA Membership



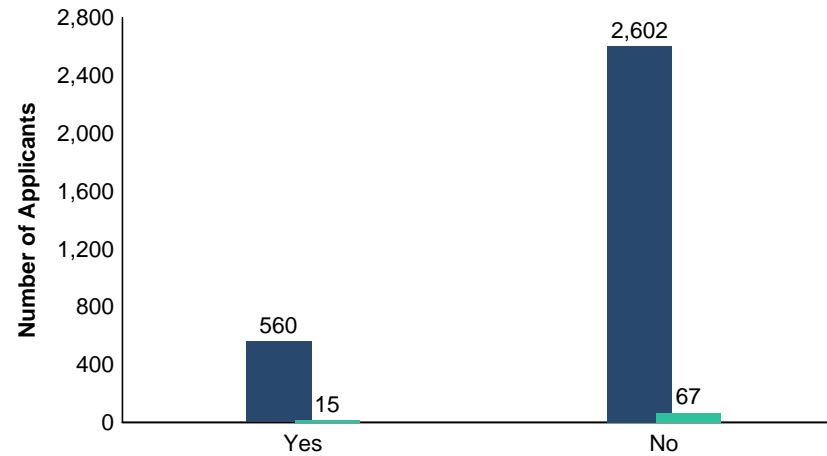
Graduate of One of the 40 U.S. Medical Schools with the Highest NIH Funding



Ph.D. Degree



Other Graduate Degree



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

IP

Internal Medicine/Pediatrics

**Table
IP-1****Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine/Pediatrics**

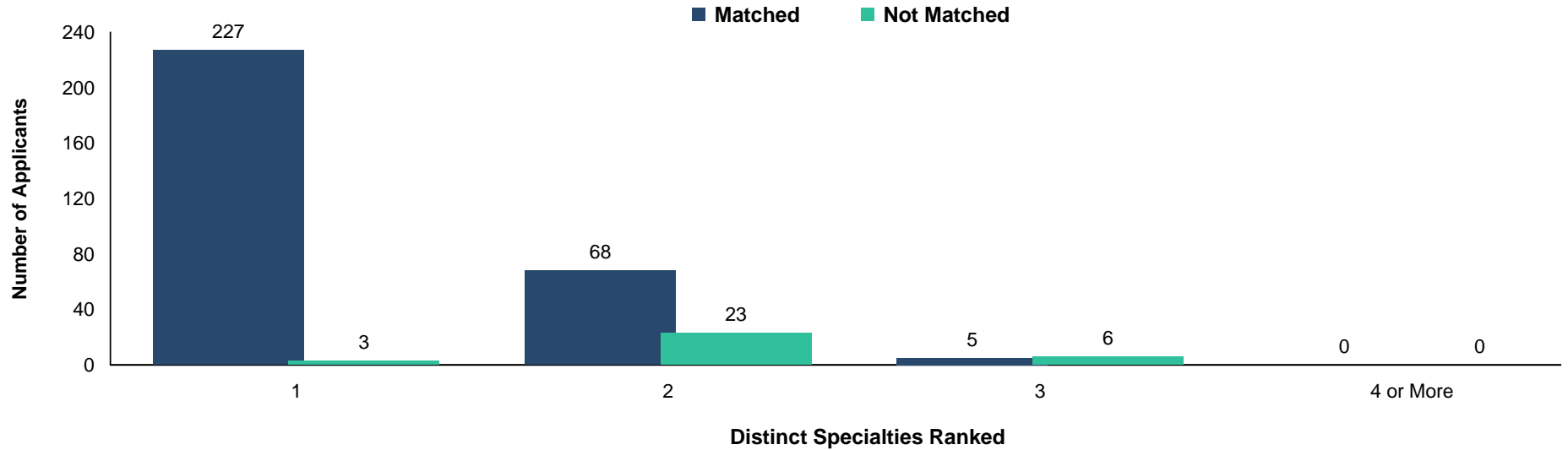
| Measure | Matched (n=300) | Unmatched (n=32) |
|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 11.0 | 2.2 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.3 | 2.1 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 236 | 224 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 250 | 240 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 3.1 | 2.5 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 4.8 | 3.9 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.8 | 3.5 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 9.1 | 8.1 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 24.3 | 12.5 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 35.3 | 21.9 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 1.0 | 6.5 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 17.6 | 35.5 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

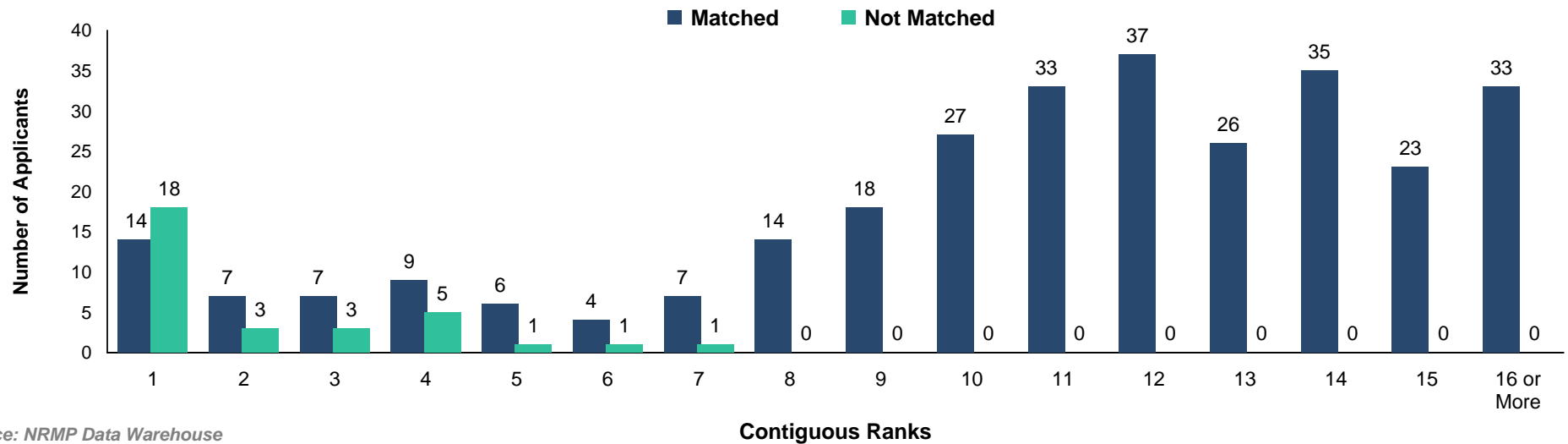
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**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
*Internal Medicine/Pediatrics***



**Chart
IP-2**

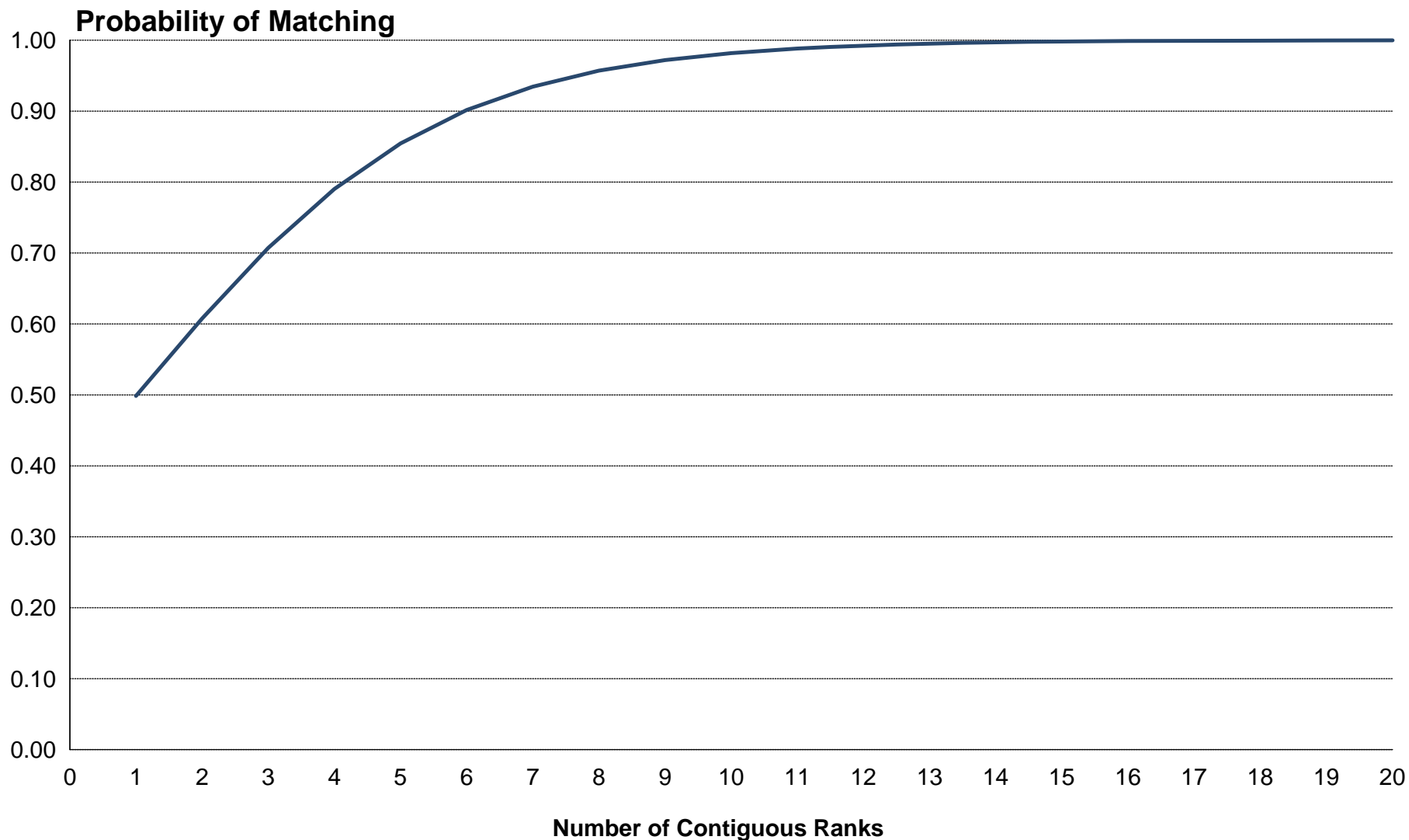
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
*Internal Medicine/Pediatrics***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

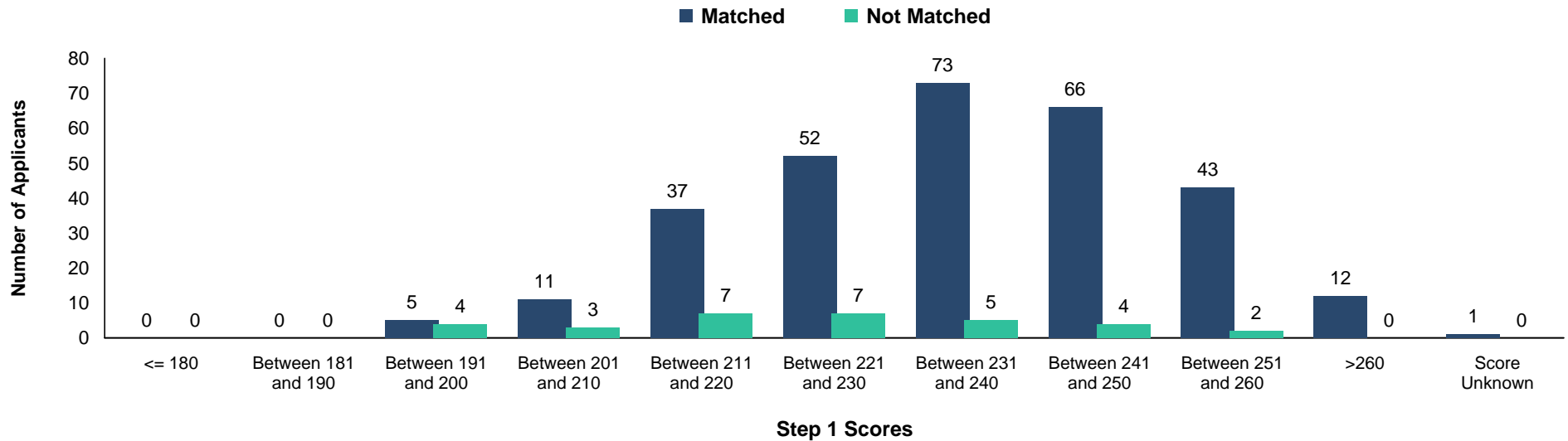
Internal Medicine/Pediatrics



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

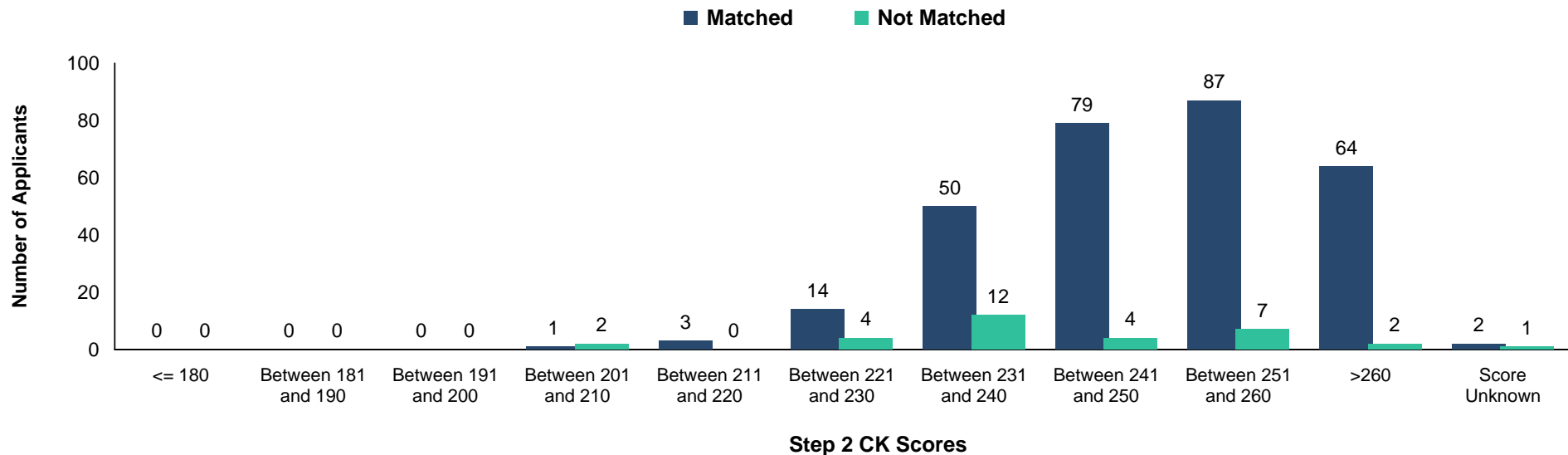
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USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine/Pediatrics



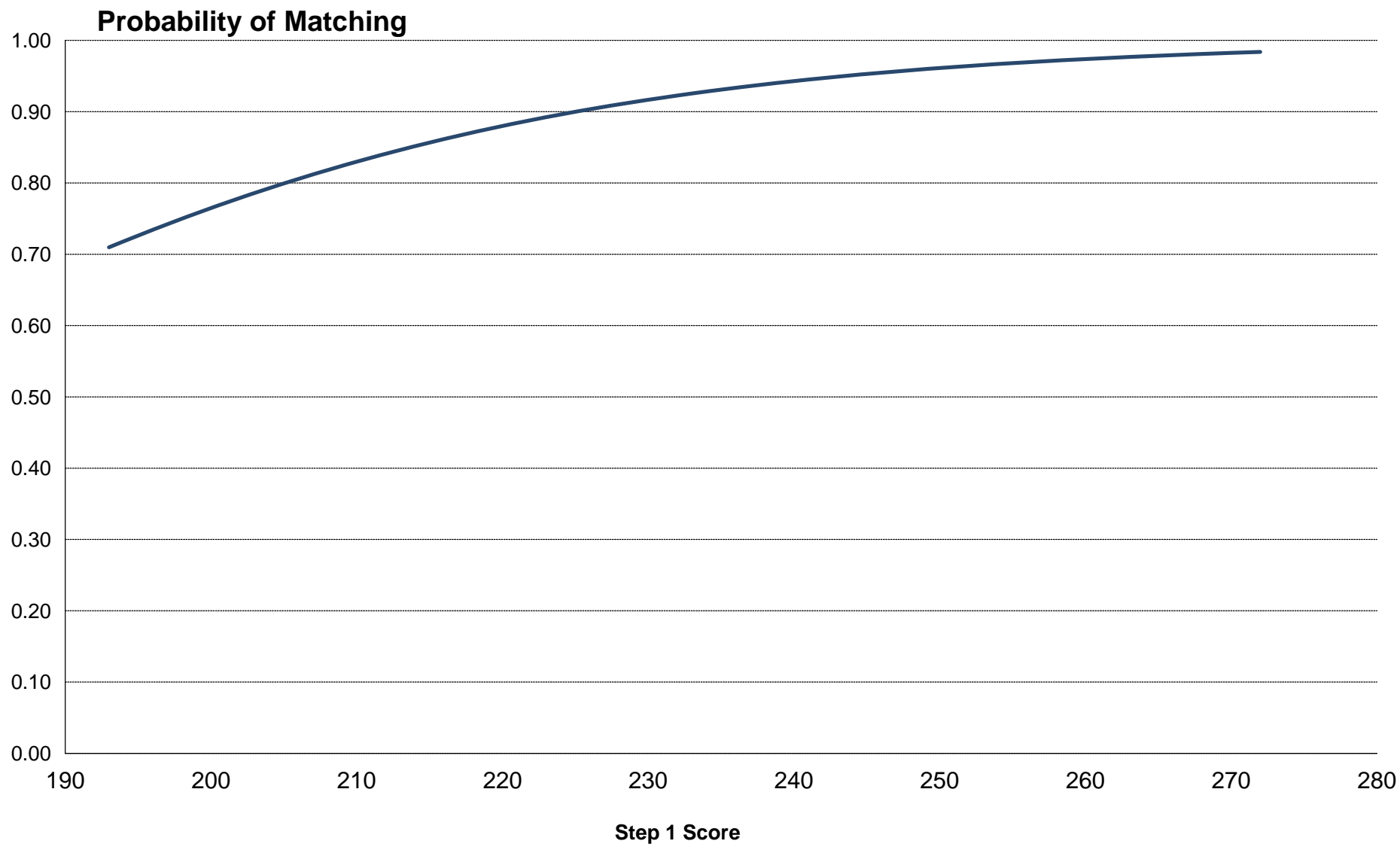
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USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine/Pediatrics



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

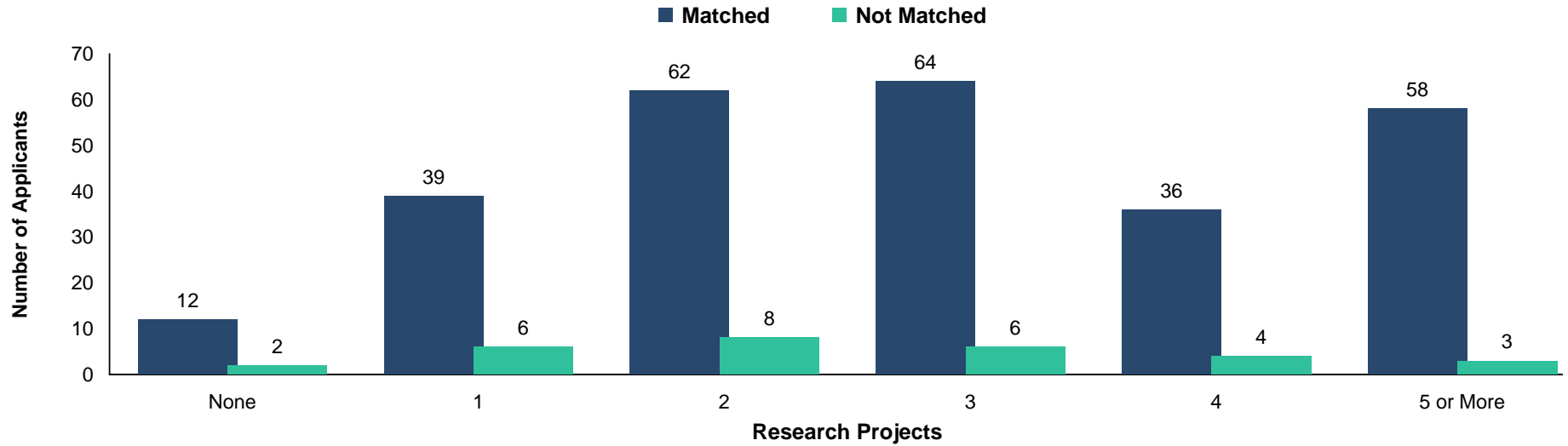
Internal Medicine/Pediatrics



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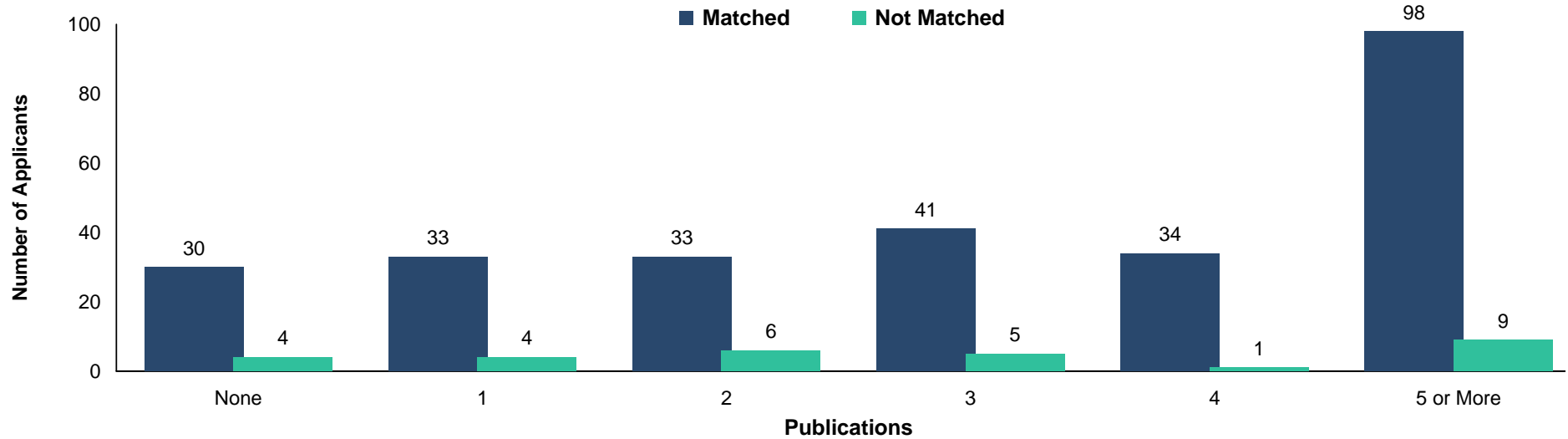
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Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine/Pediatrics



**Chart
IP-6**

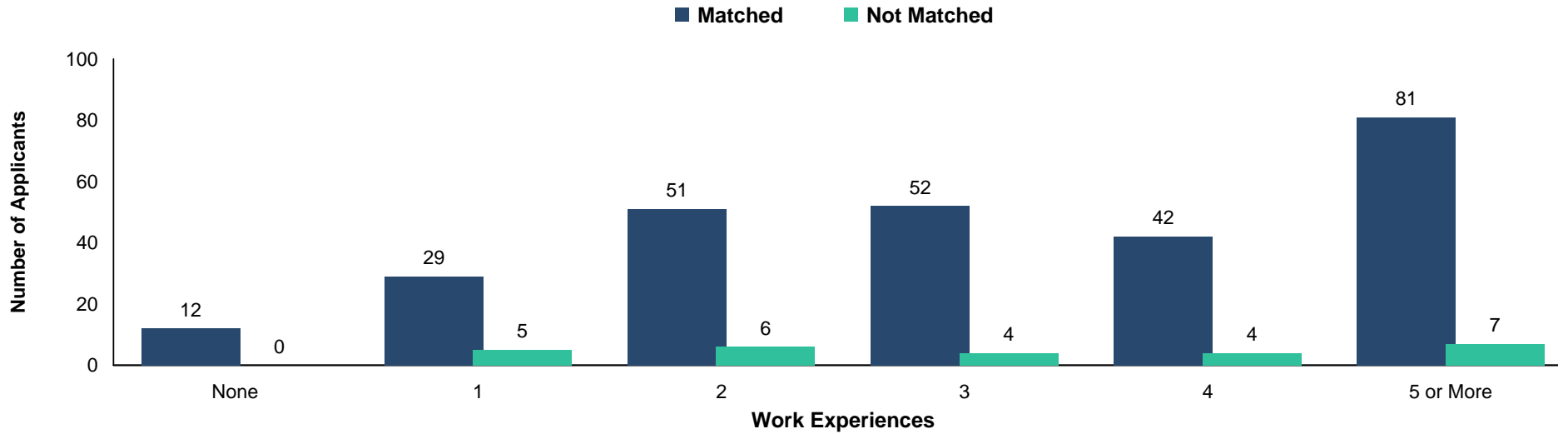
Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine/Pediatrics



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

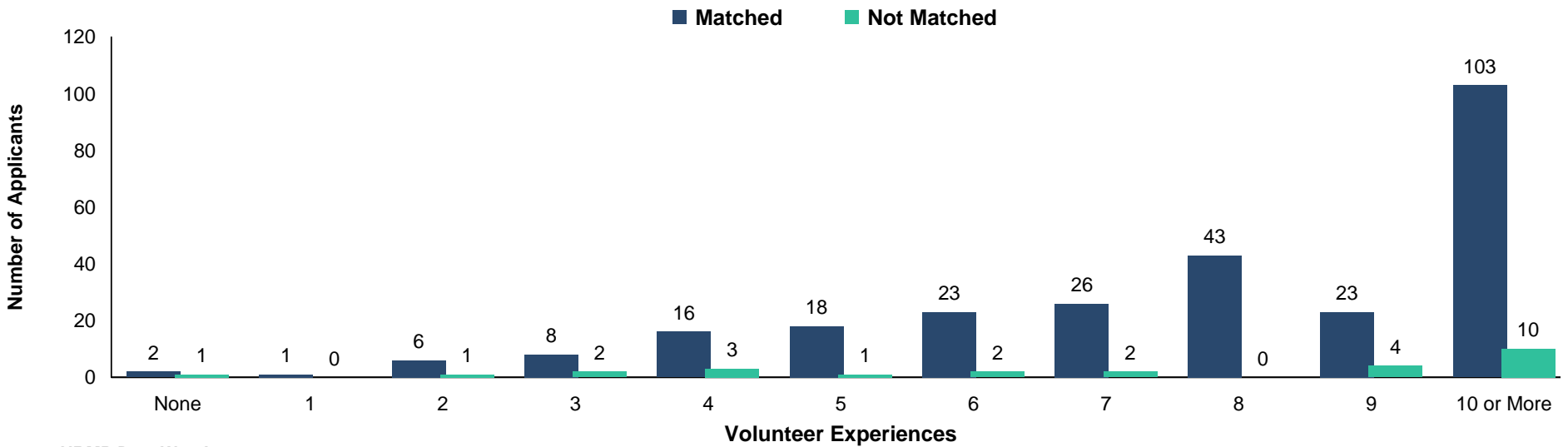
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Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine/Pediatrics



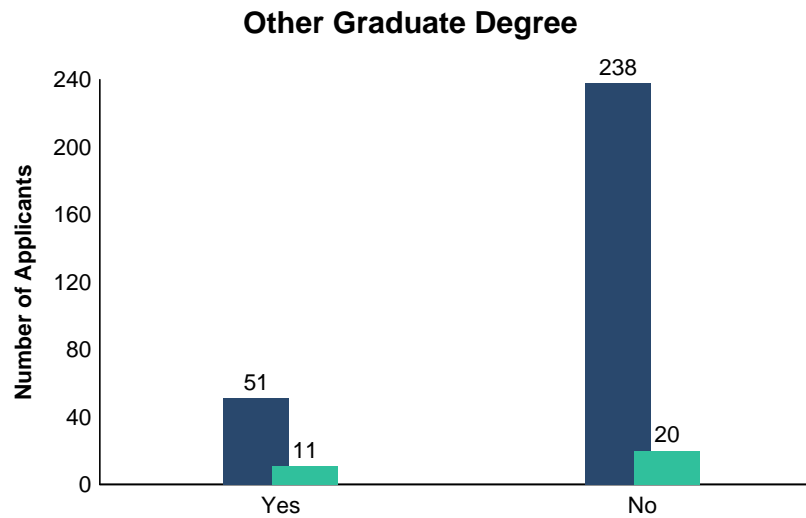
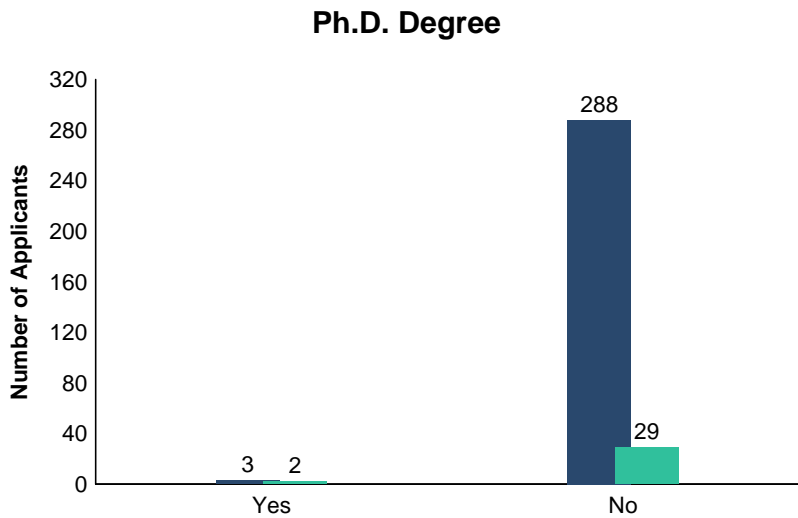
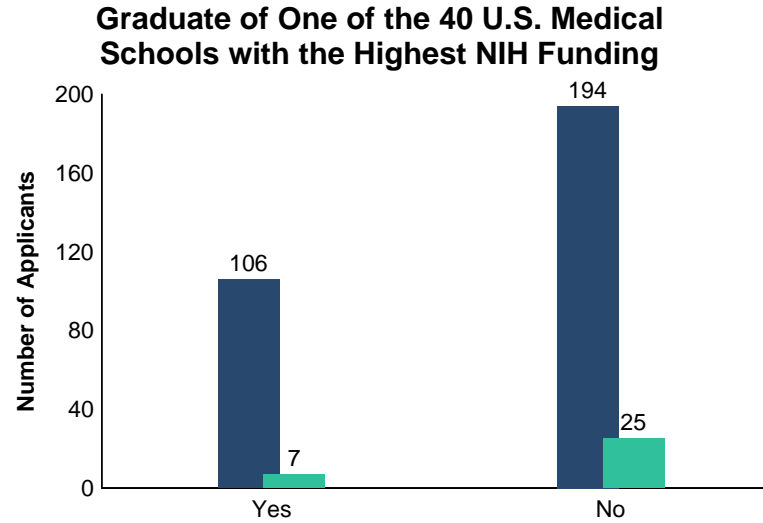
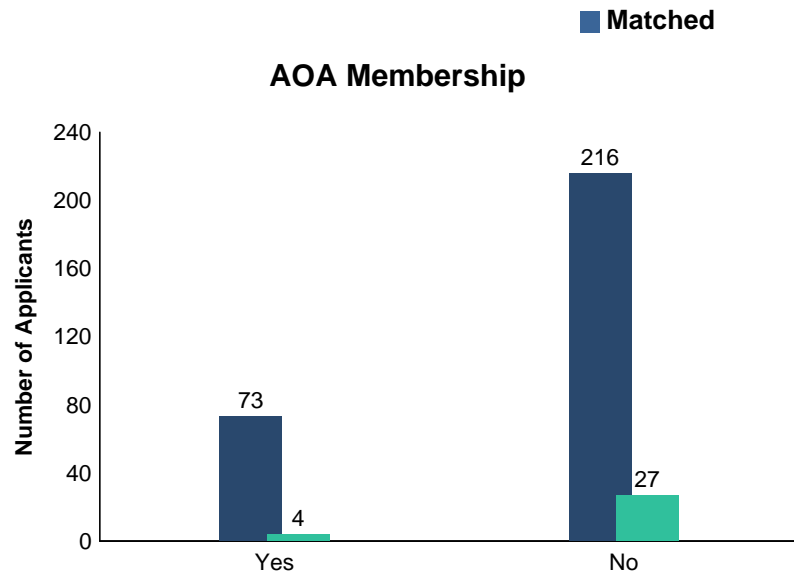
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IP-8**

Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine/Pediatrics



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Internal Medicine/Pediatrics



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

IR **Interventional Radiology**

**Table
IR-1****Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors
Interventional Radiology**

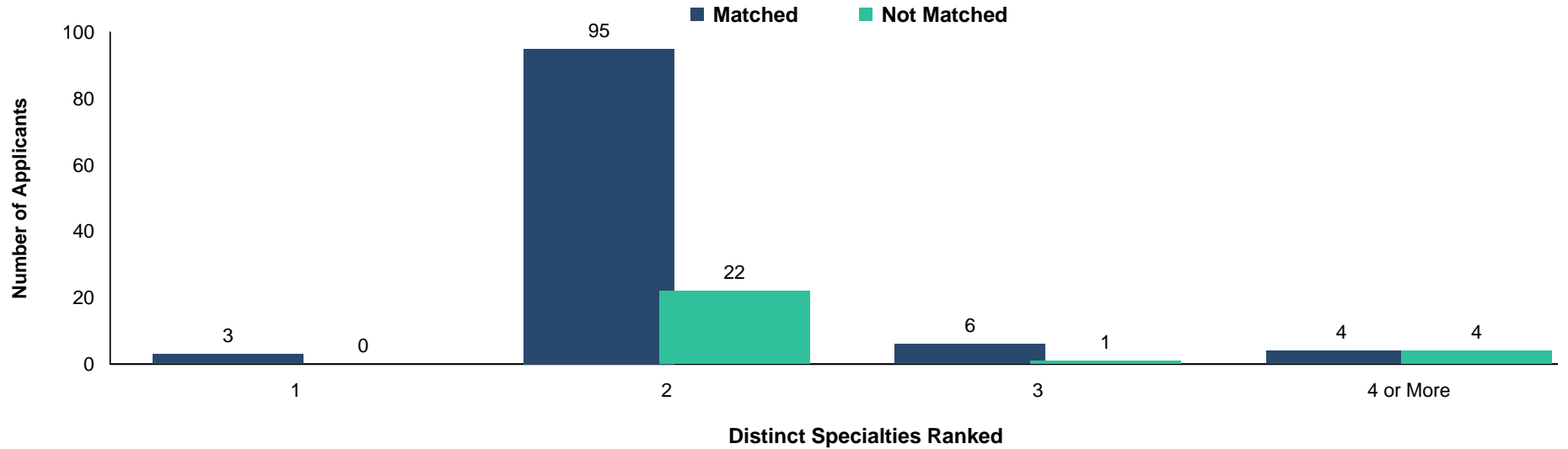
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|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 7.7 | 2.8 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 2.1 | 2.3 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 247 | 240 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 255 | 250 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 5.2 | 4.4 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 10.3 | 8.0 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.5 | 2.7 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 7.2 | 8.3 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 29.4 | 7.4 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 28.4 | 37.0 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 1.9 | 4.0 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 18.6 | 8.0 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

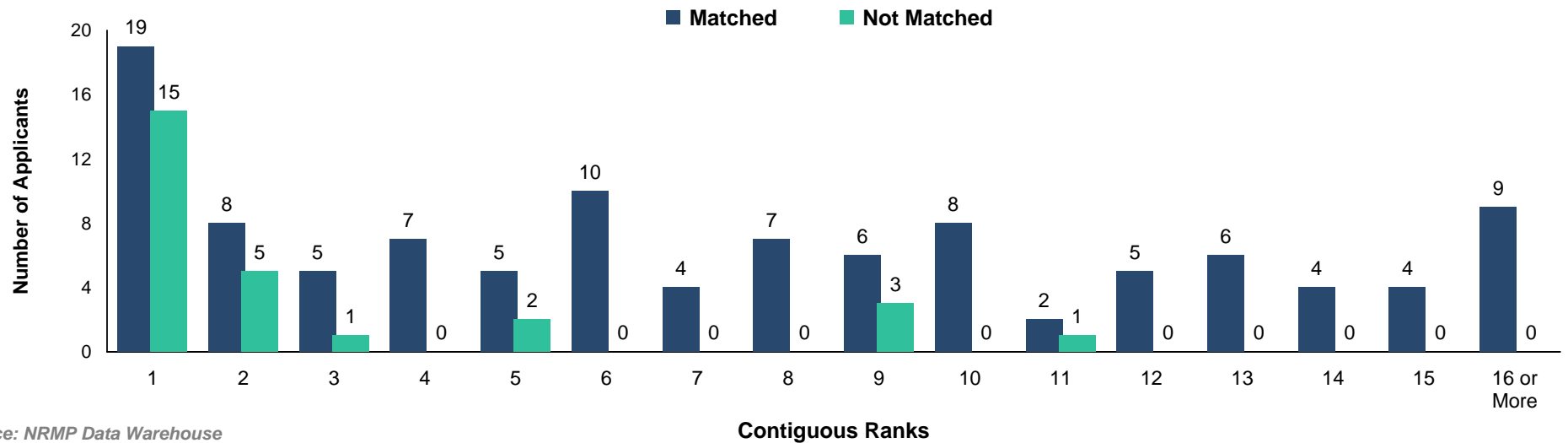
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IR-1**

**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
*Interventional Radiology***



**Chart
IR-2**

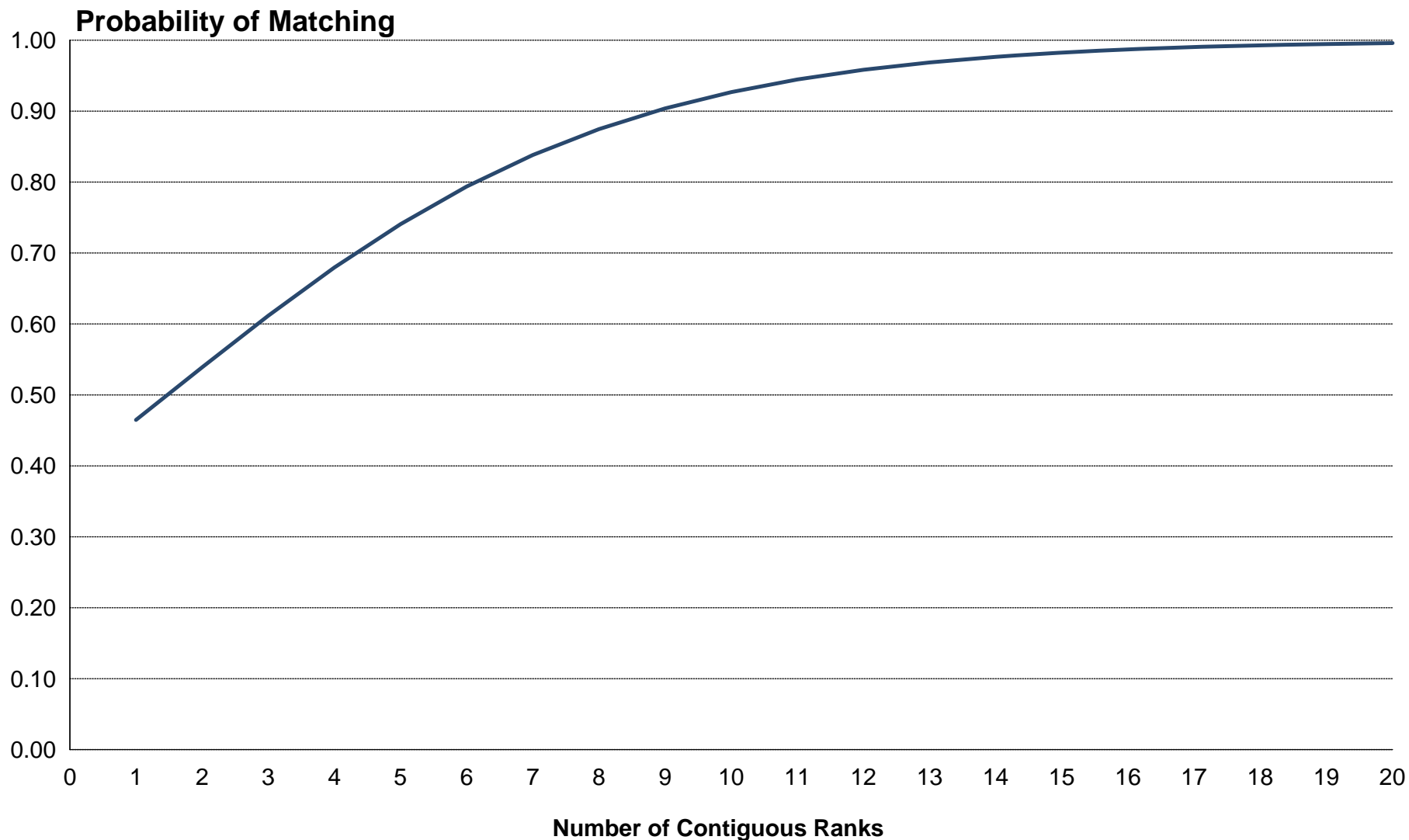
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
*Interventional Radiology***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

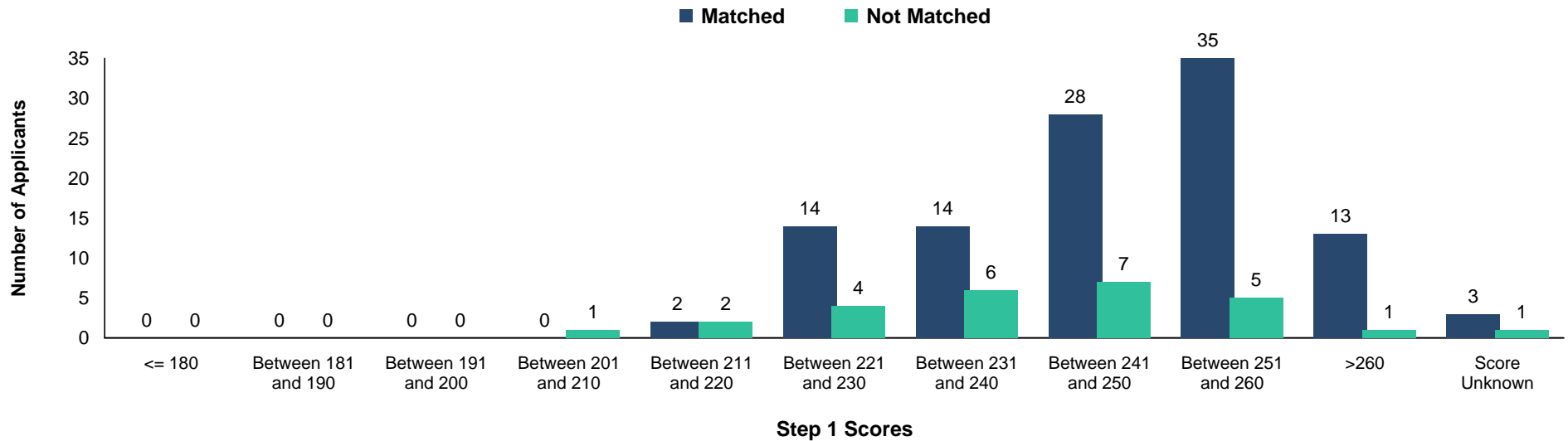
Interventional Radiology



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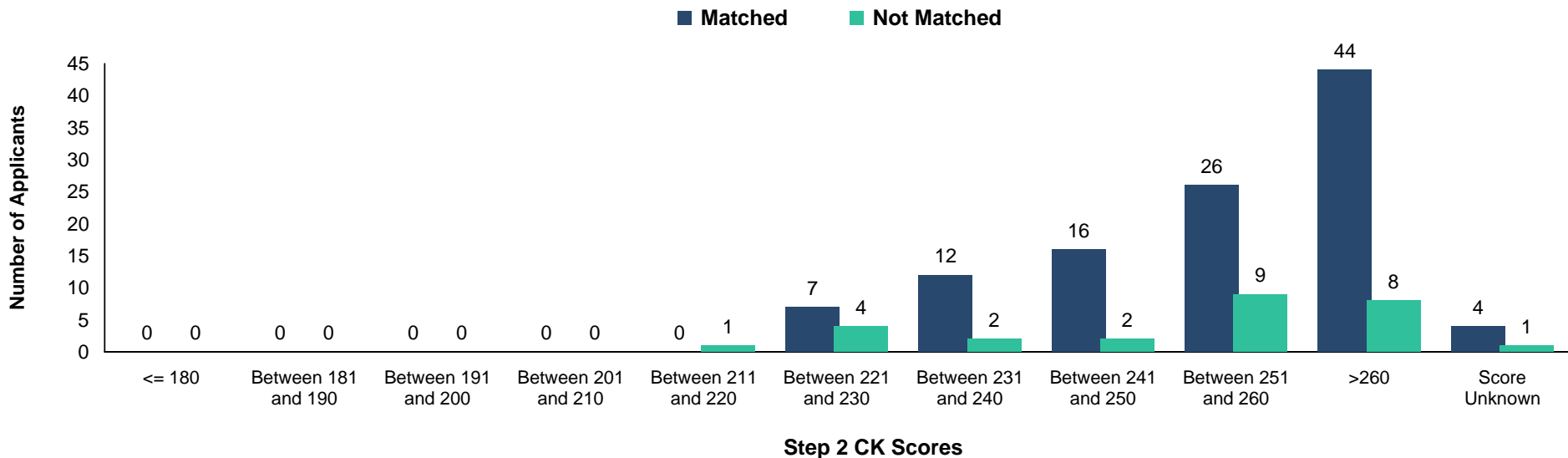
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Interventional Radiology**



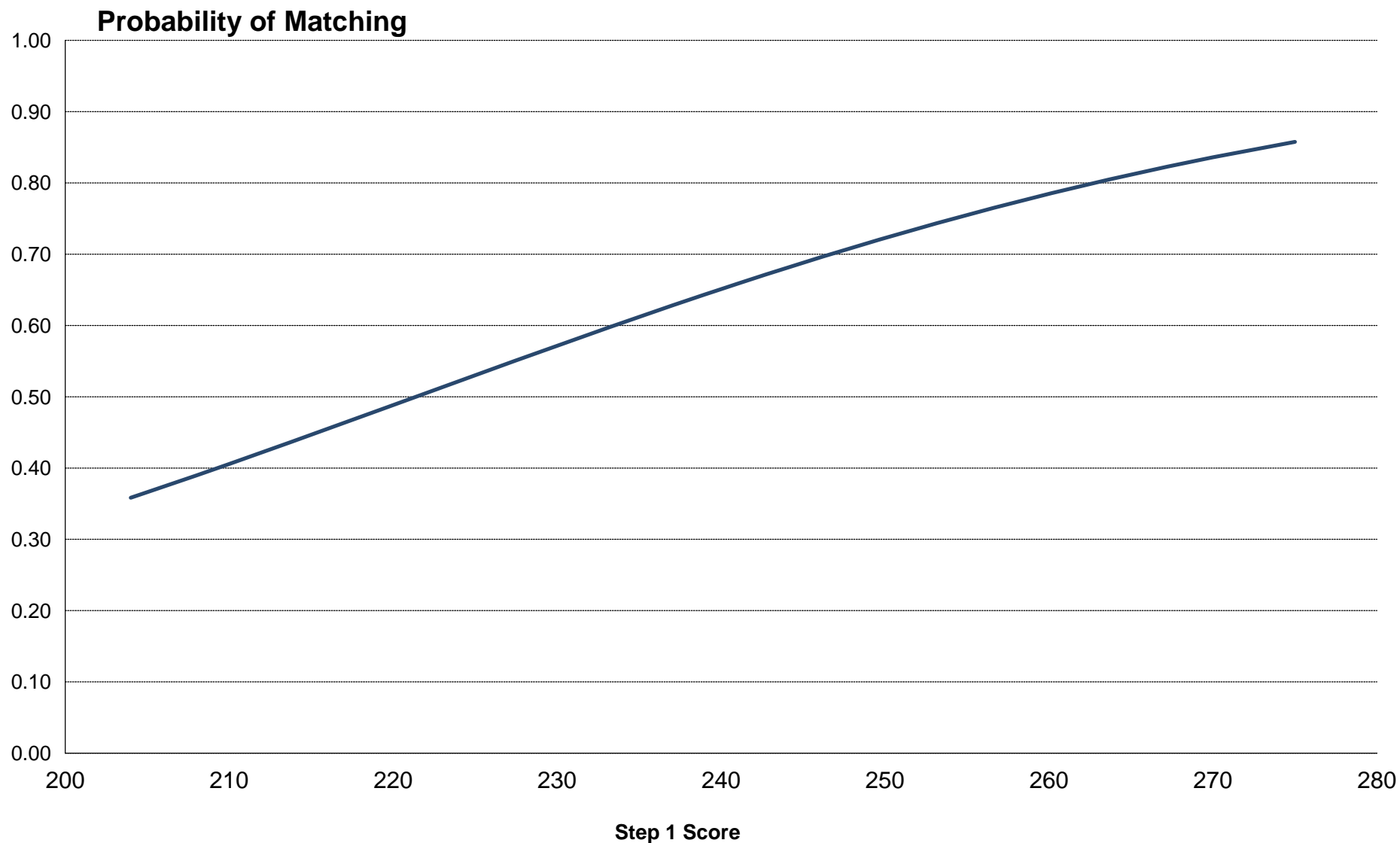
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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Interventional Radiology**



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

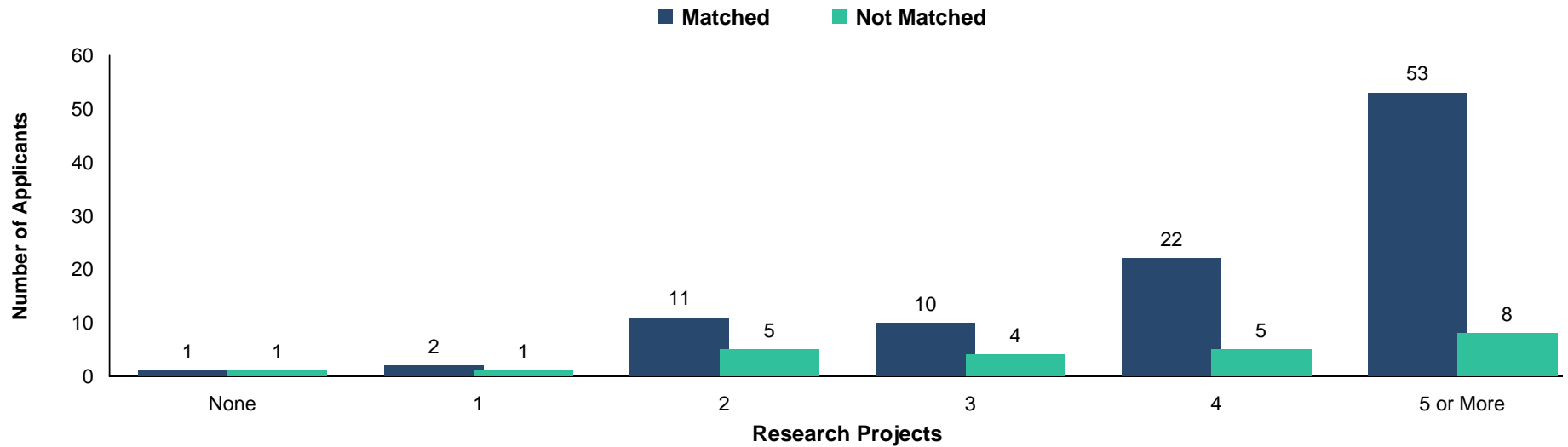
Interventional Radiology



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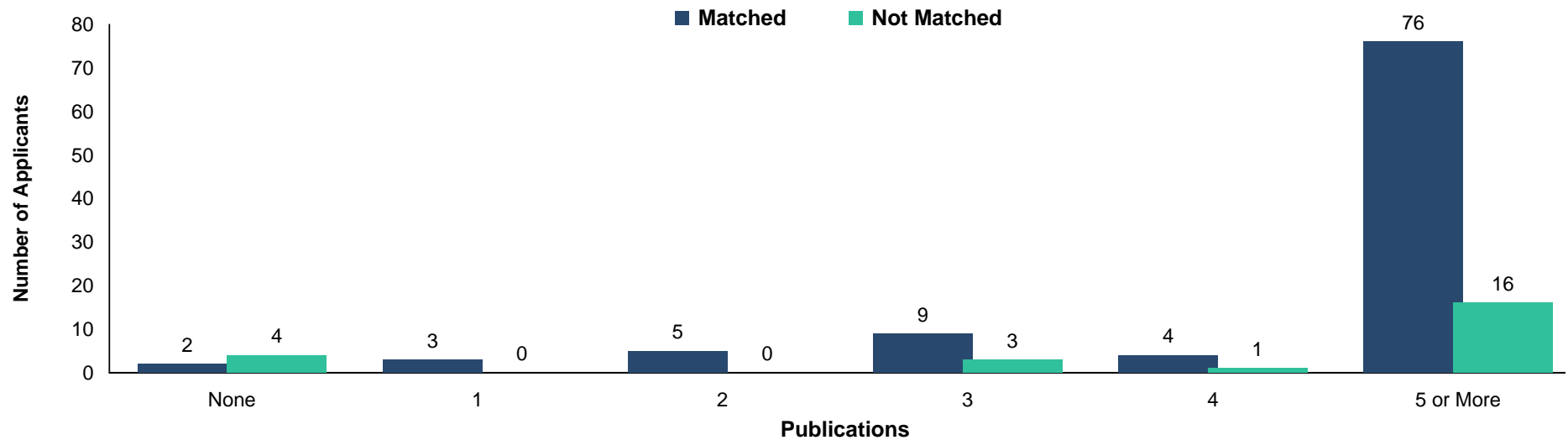
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**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
*Interventional Radiology***



**Chart
IR-6**

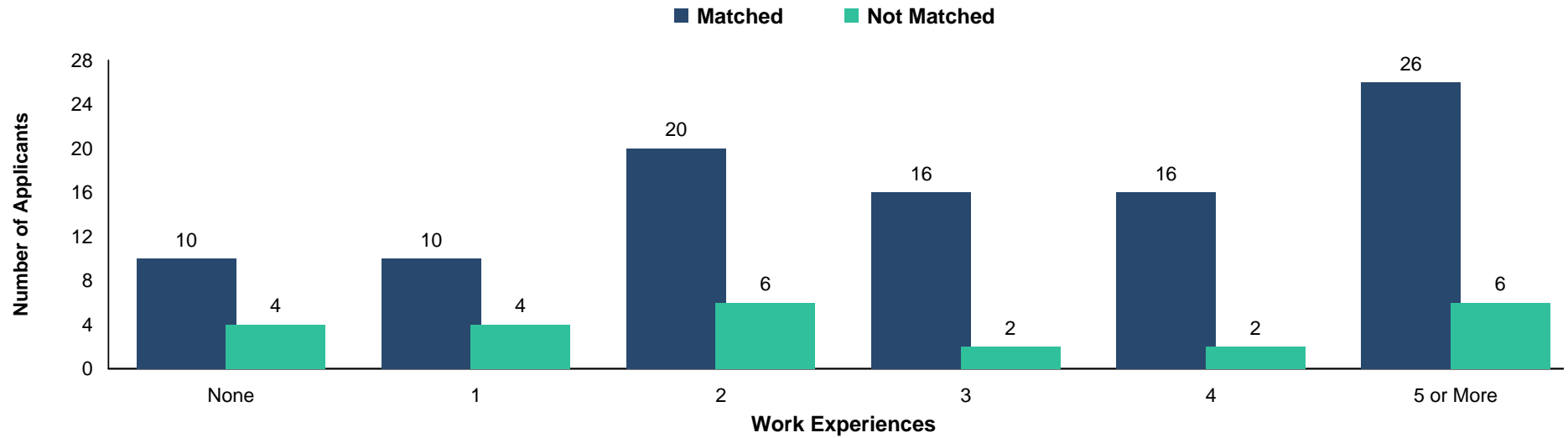
**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
*Interventional Radiology***



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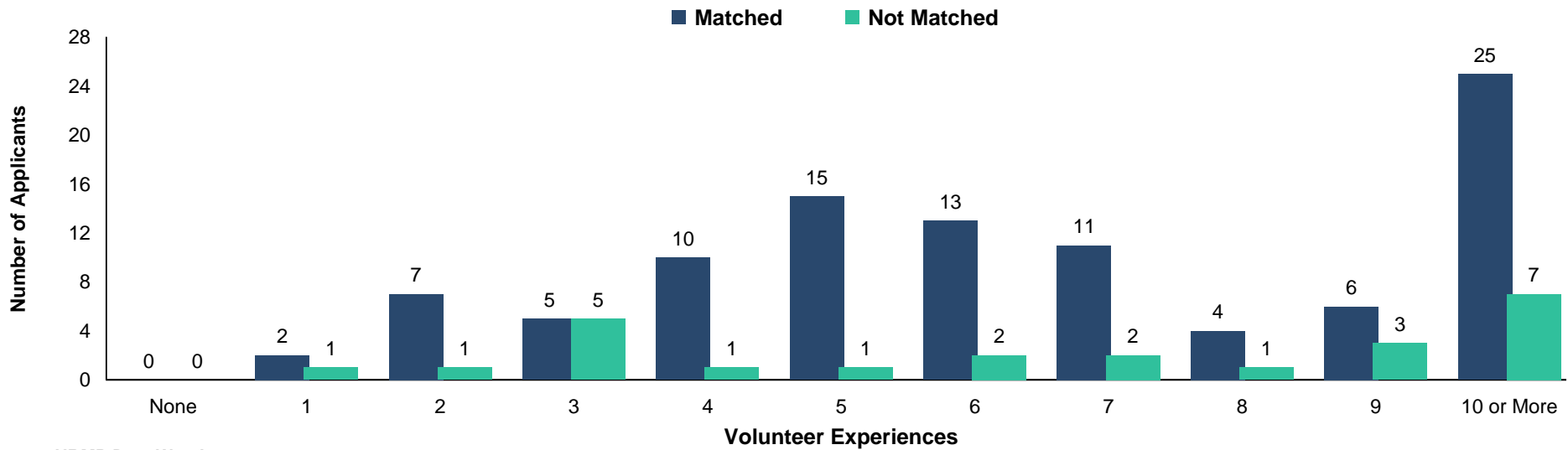
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**Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Interventional Radiology**



**Chart
IR-8**

**Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Interventional Radiology**

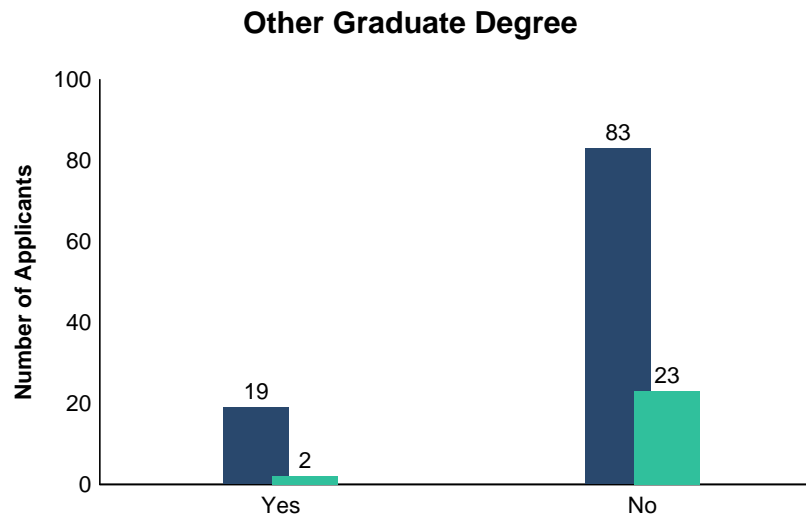
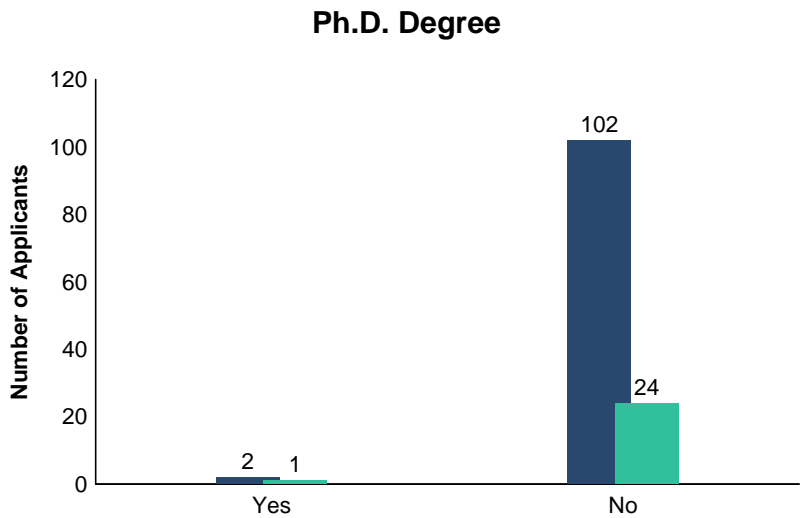
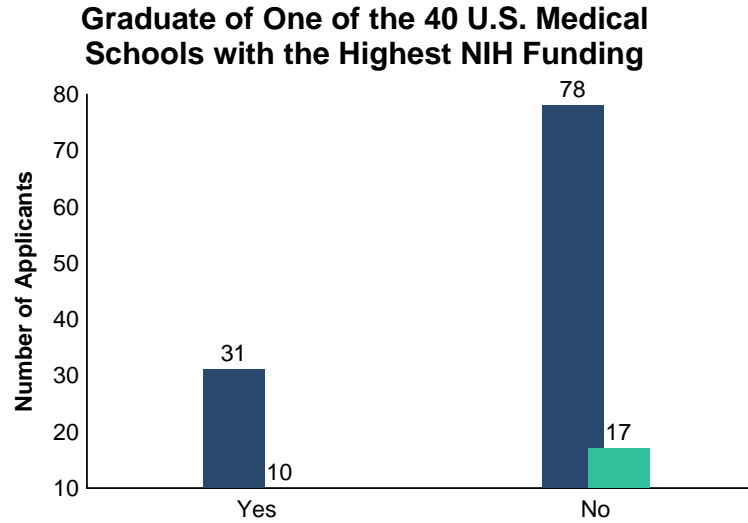
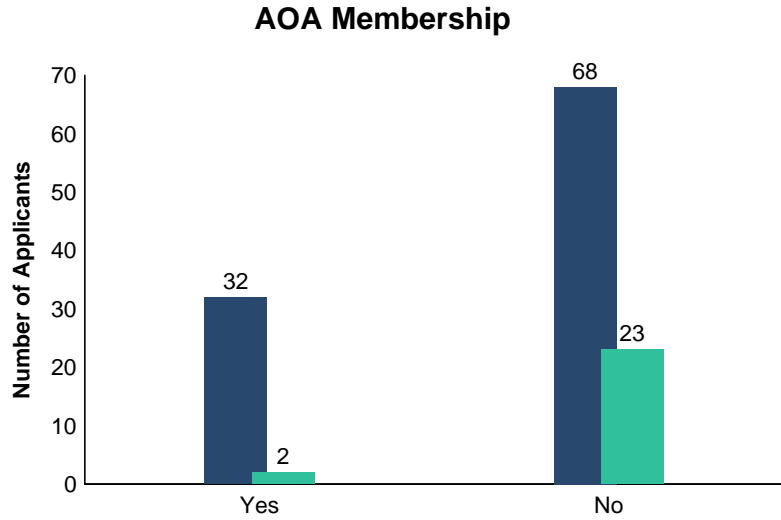


Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

**Chart
IR-9**

**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Interventional Radiology**

■ Matched ■ Not Matched



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

NS Neurological Surgery

**Table
NS-1****Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors
Neurological Surgery**

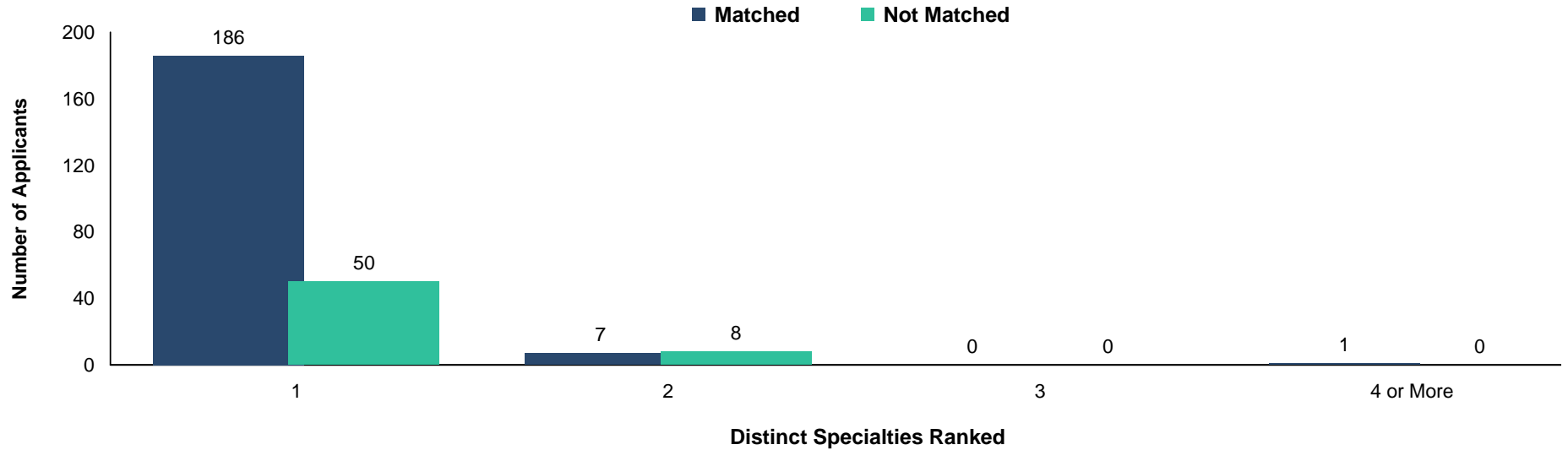
| Measure | Matched (n=195) | Unmatched (n=58) |
|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 15.8 | 10.0 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.1 | 1.1 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 248 | 241 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 252 | 248 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 6.1 | 5.2 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 23.4 | 11.8 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.6 | 4.0 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 7.8 | 7.2 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 39.0 | 19.0 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 39.0 | 27.6 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 9.5 | 10.9 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 24.1 | 29.6 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources: NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

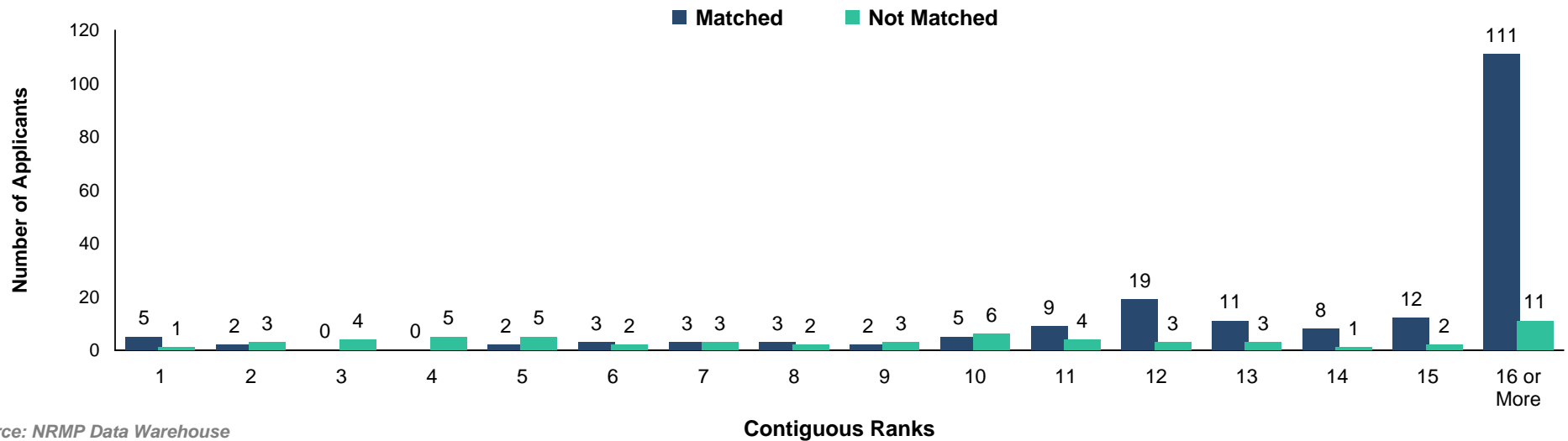
**Chart
NS-1**

**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
*Neurological Surgery***



**Chart
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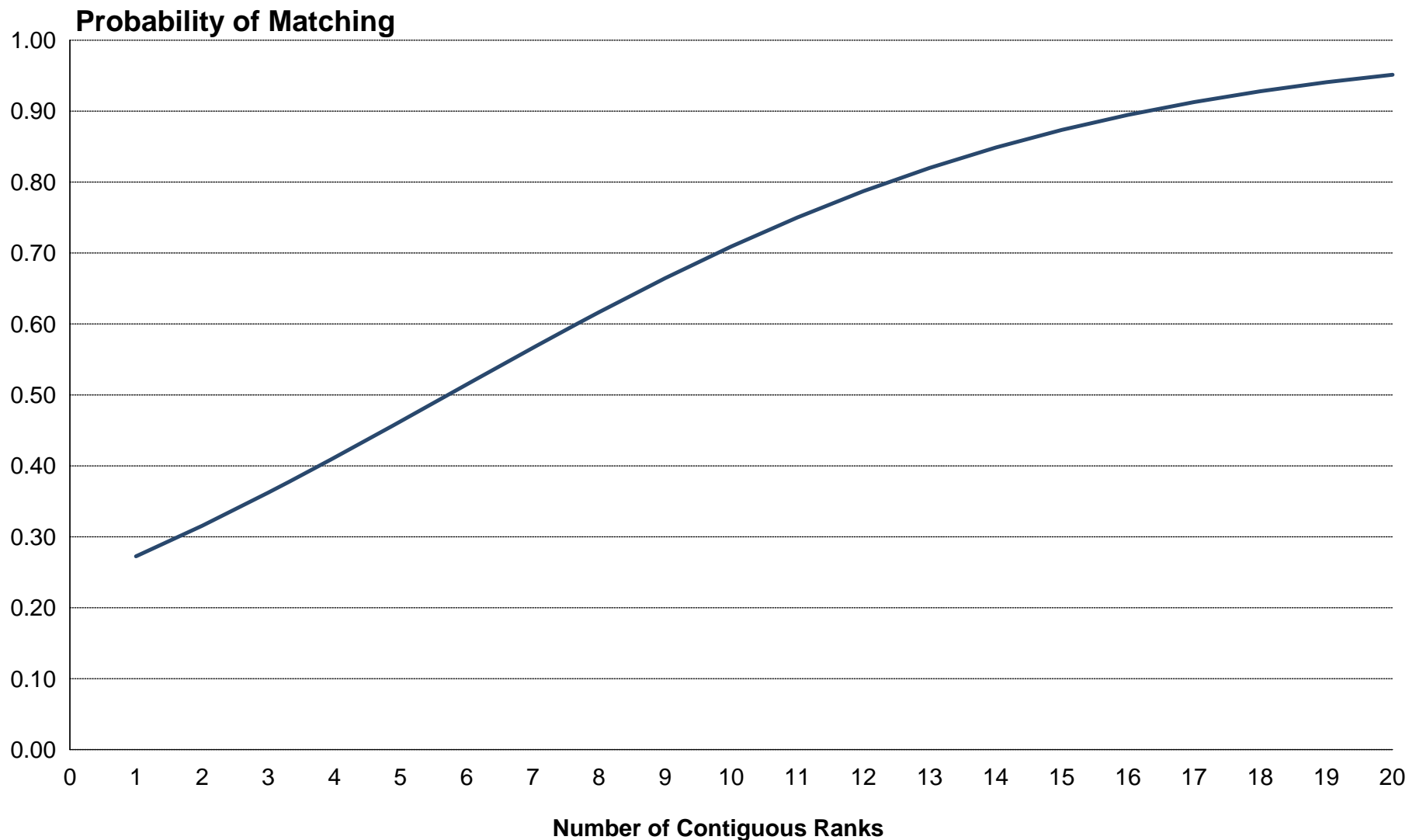
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
*Neurological Surgery***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

Neurological Surgery



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

Chart NS-3

USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Neurological Surgery

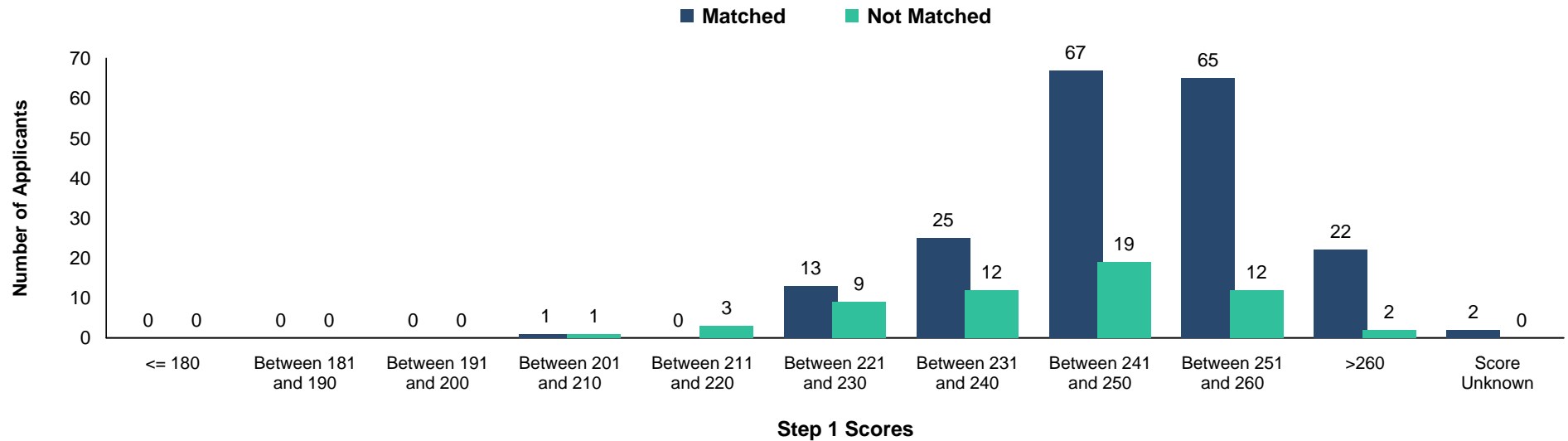
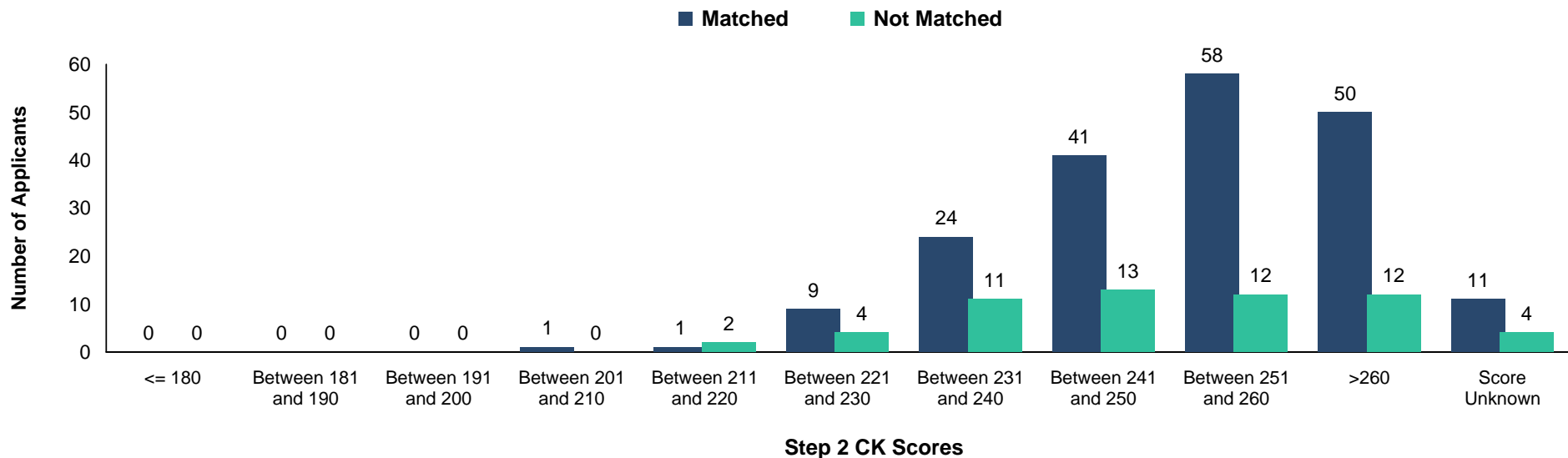


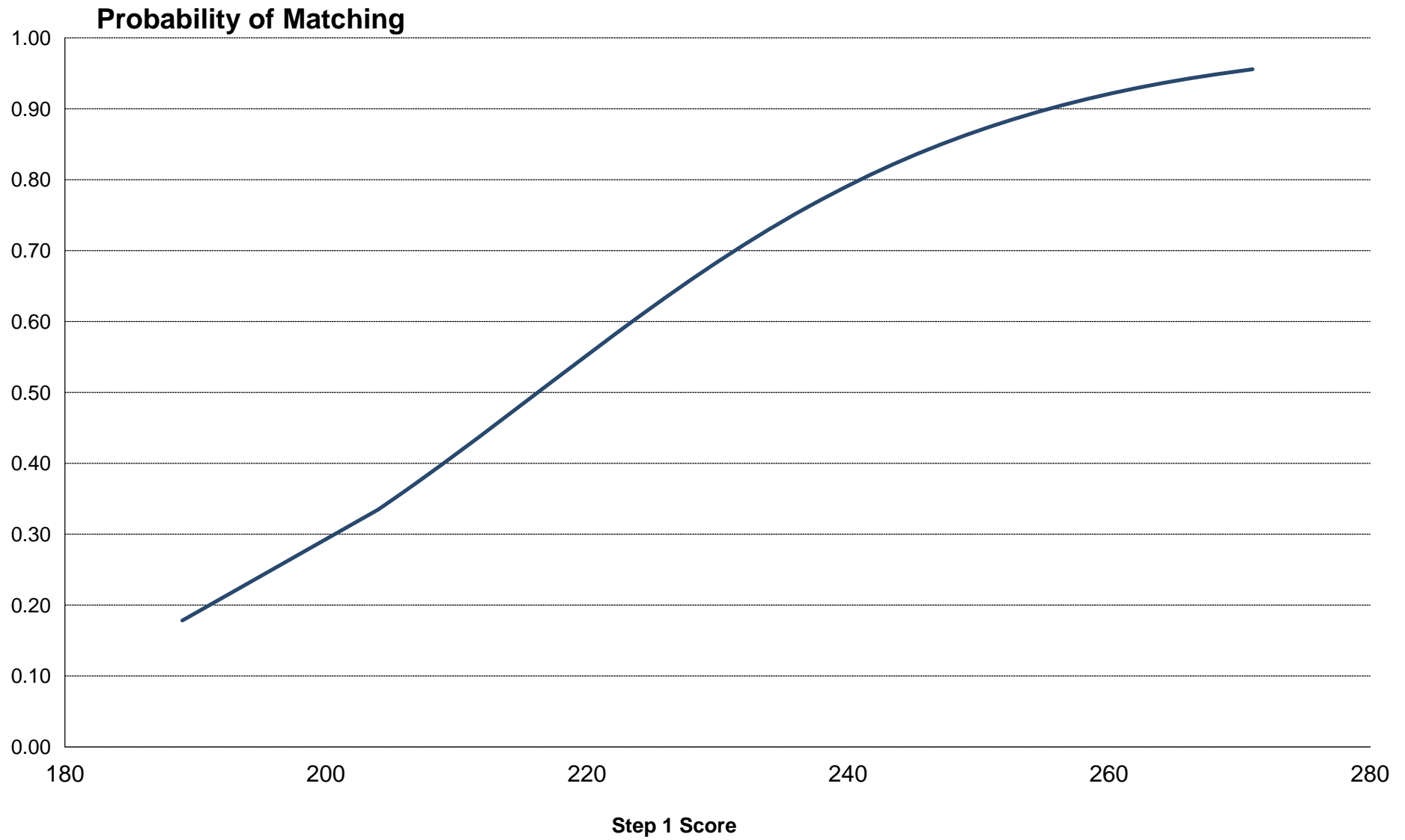
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USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Neurological Surgery



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

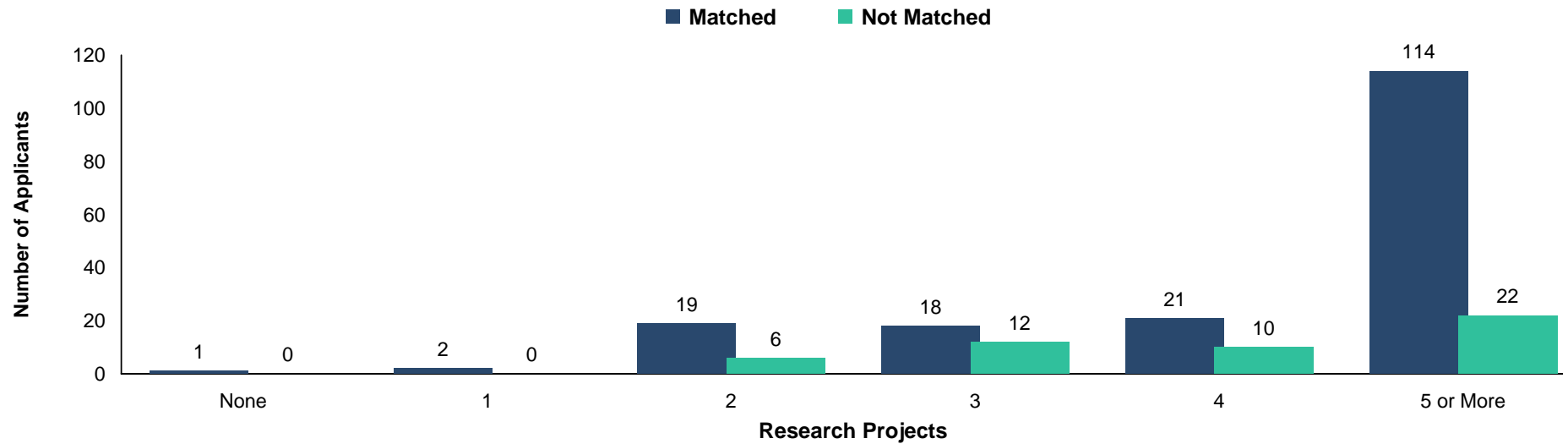
Neurological Surgery



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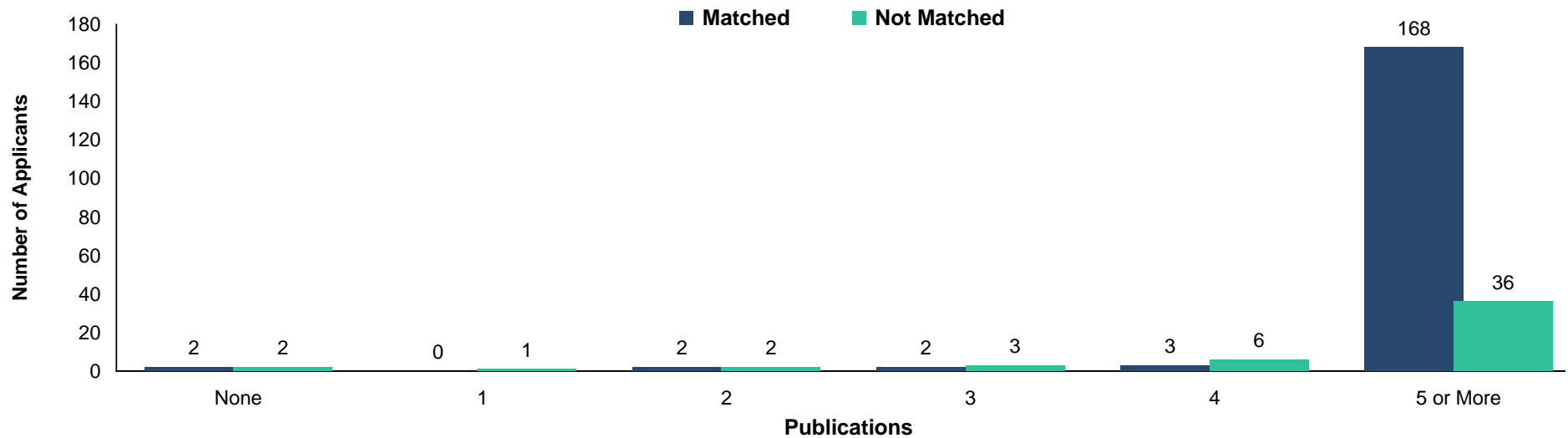
**Chart
NS-5**

**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
*Neurological Surgery***



**Chart
NS-6**

**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
*Neurological Surgery***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Chart NS-7 Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Neurological Surgery

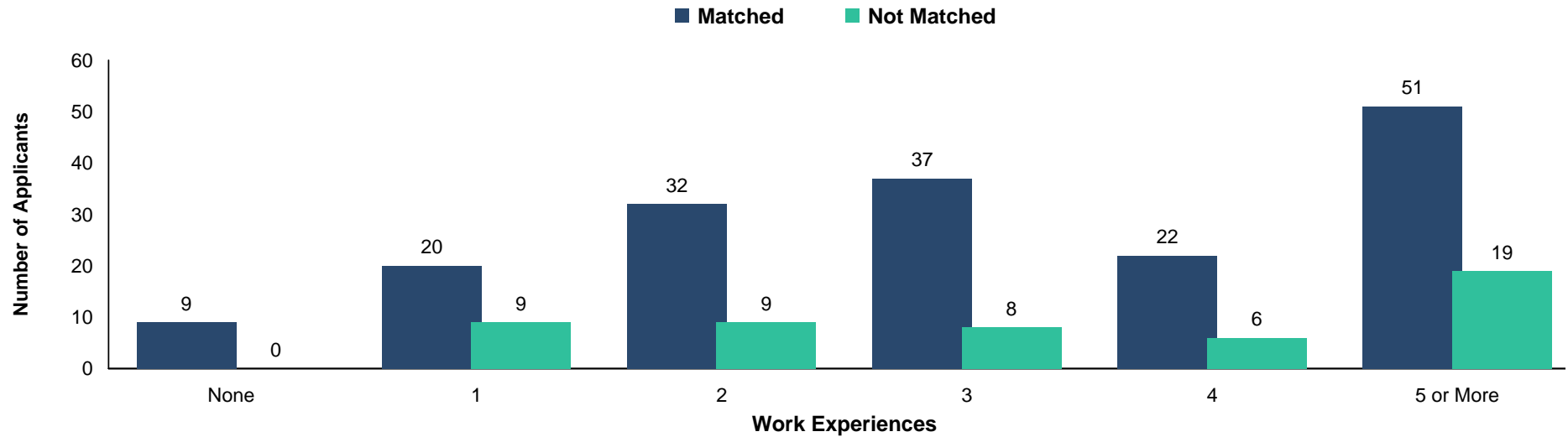
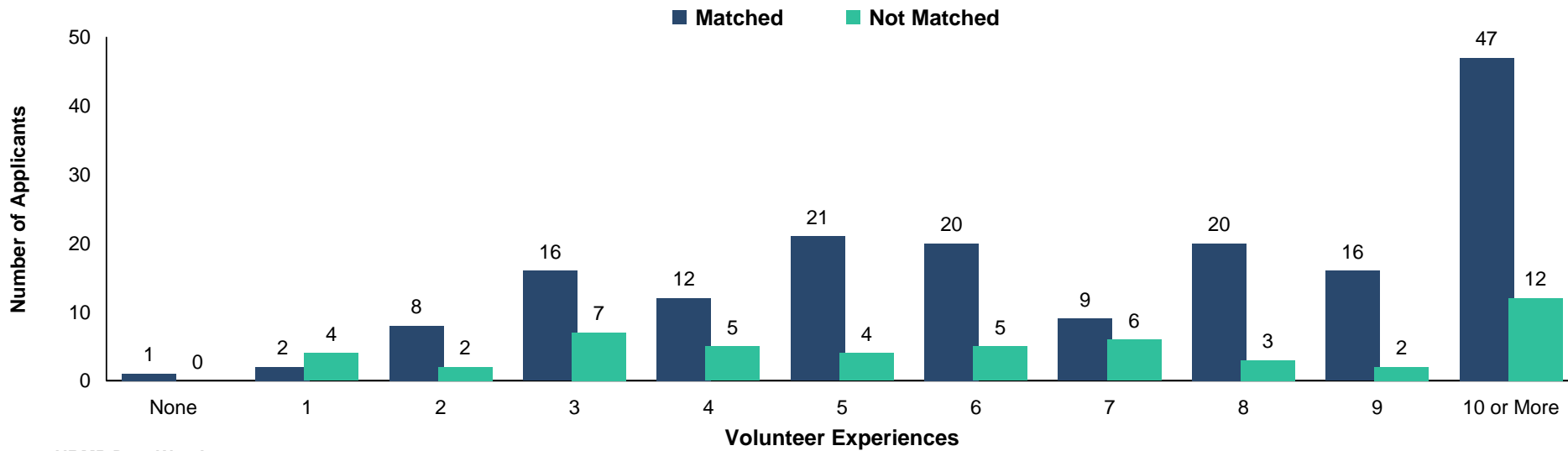
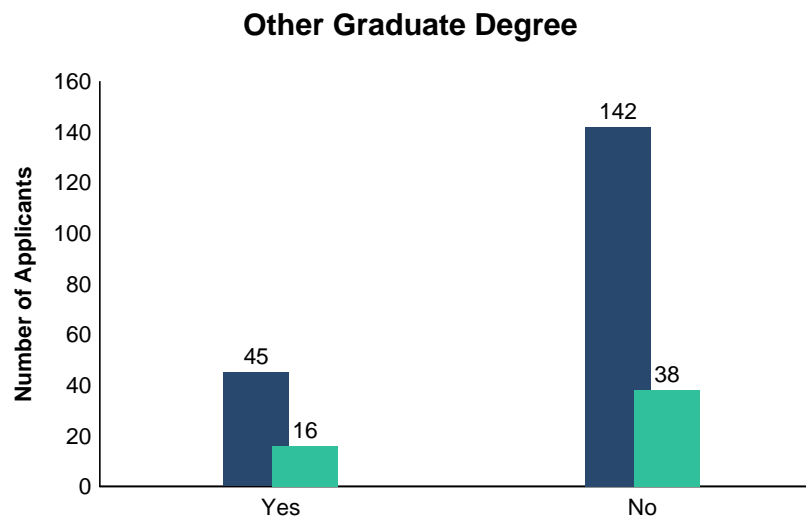
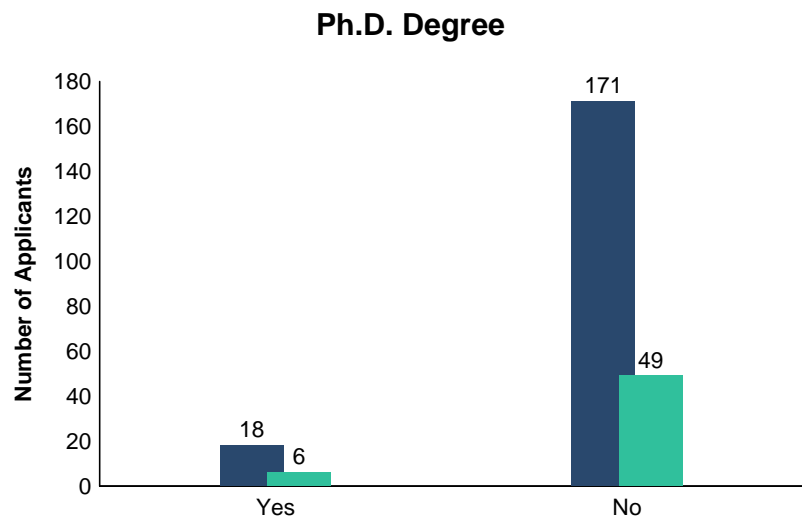
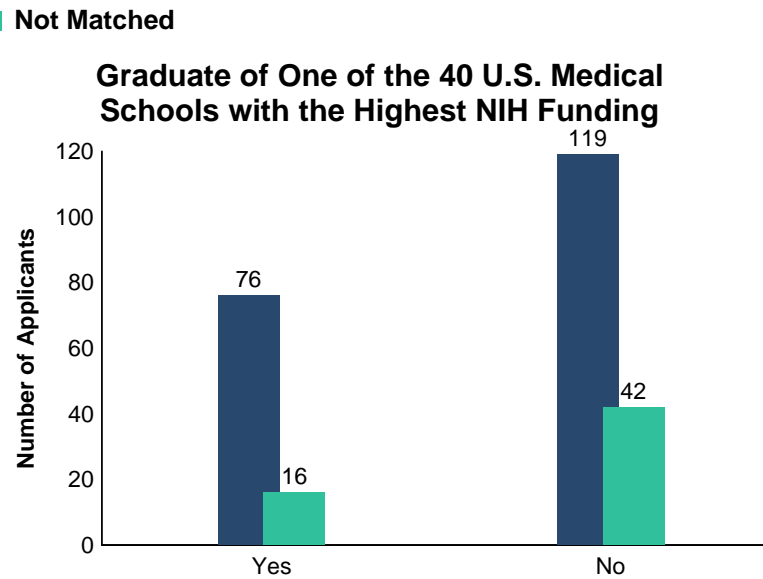
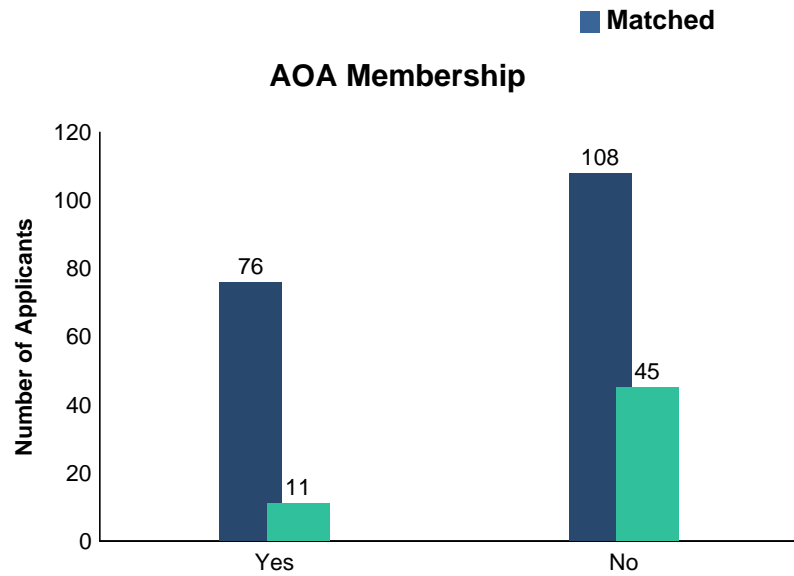


Chart NS-8 Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Neurological Surgery



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Neurological Surgery**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

N **Neurology**

**Table
N-1****Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors
Neurology**

| Measure | Matched (n=421) | Unmatched (n=10) |
|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 12.8 | 5.5 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.1 | 1.5 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 232 | 223 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 245 | 234 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 3.6 | 3.6 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 7.2 | 7.0 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.1 | 2.7 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 7.6 | 6.1 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 14.3 | 0.0 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 35.2 | 20.0 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 11.1 | 11.1 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 16.6 | 11.1 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

Chart N-1

Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
Neurology

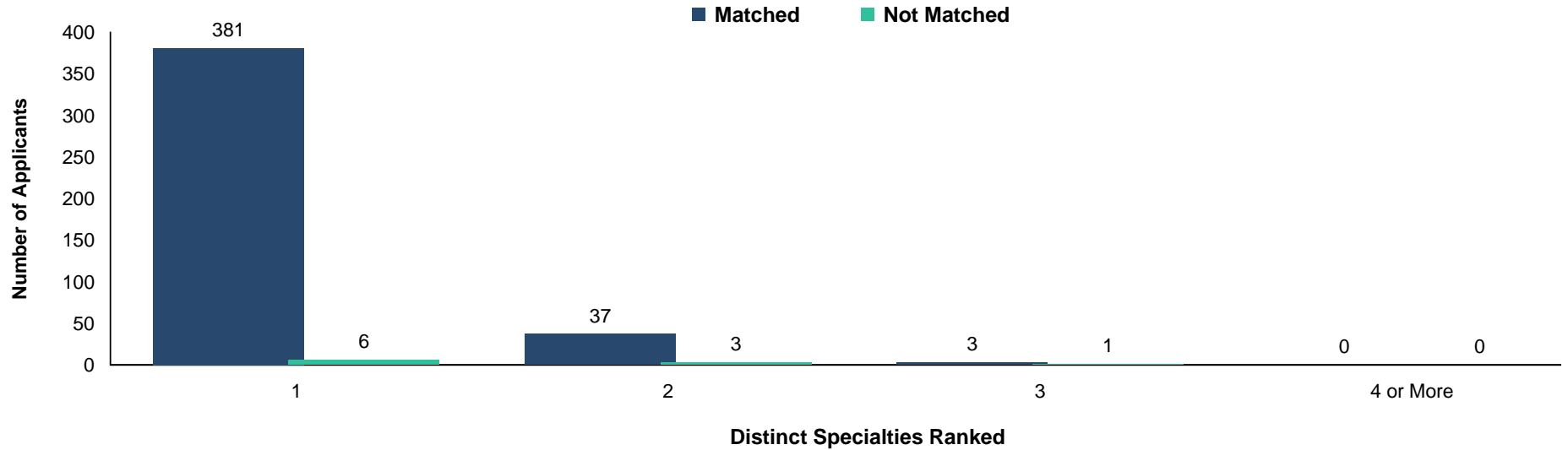
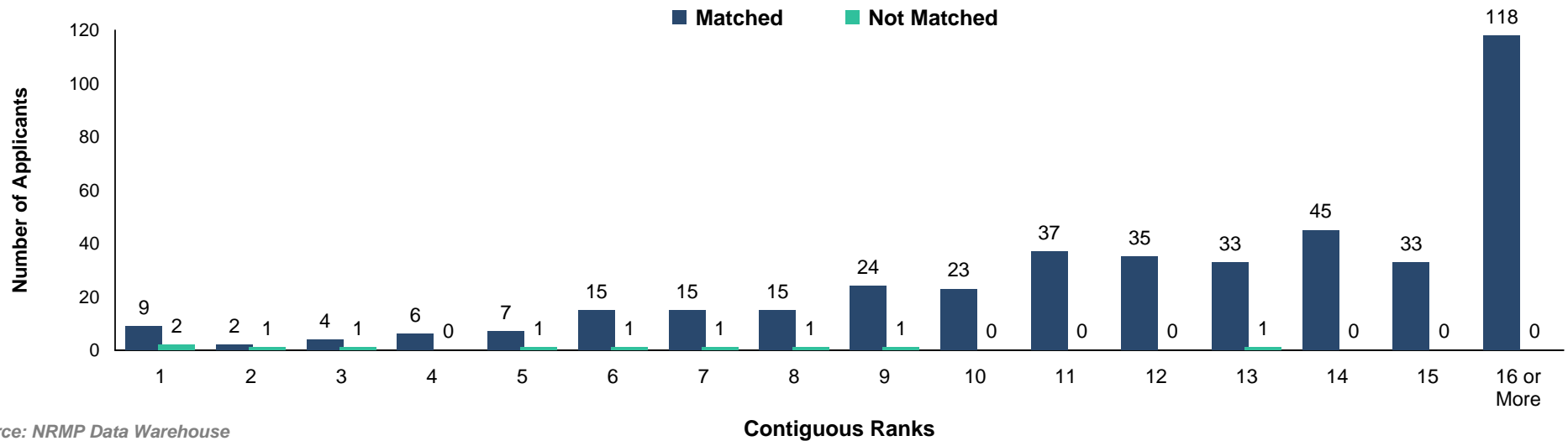


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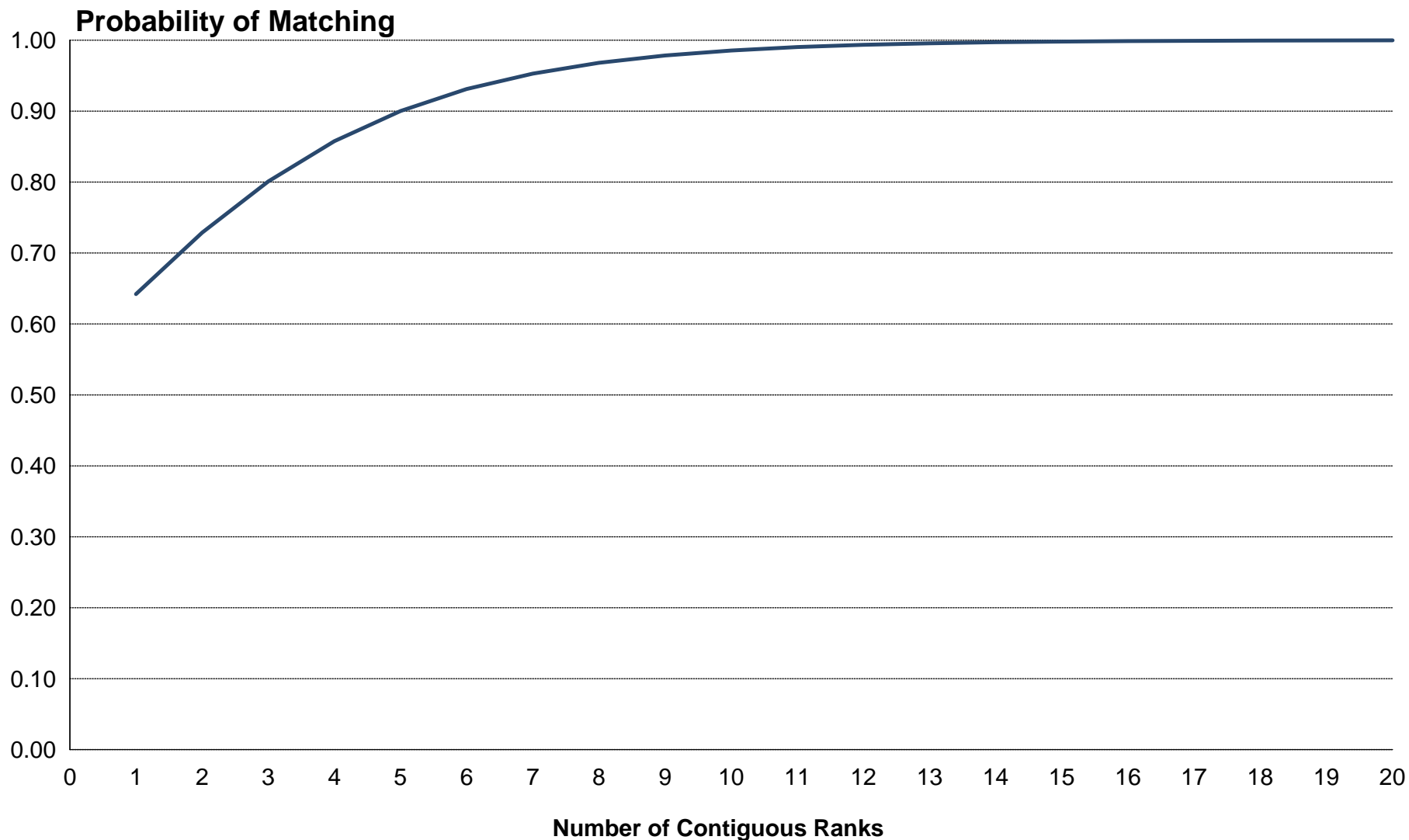
Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
Neurology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

**Graph
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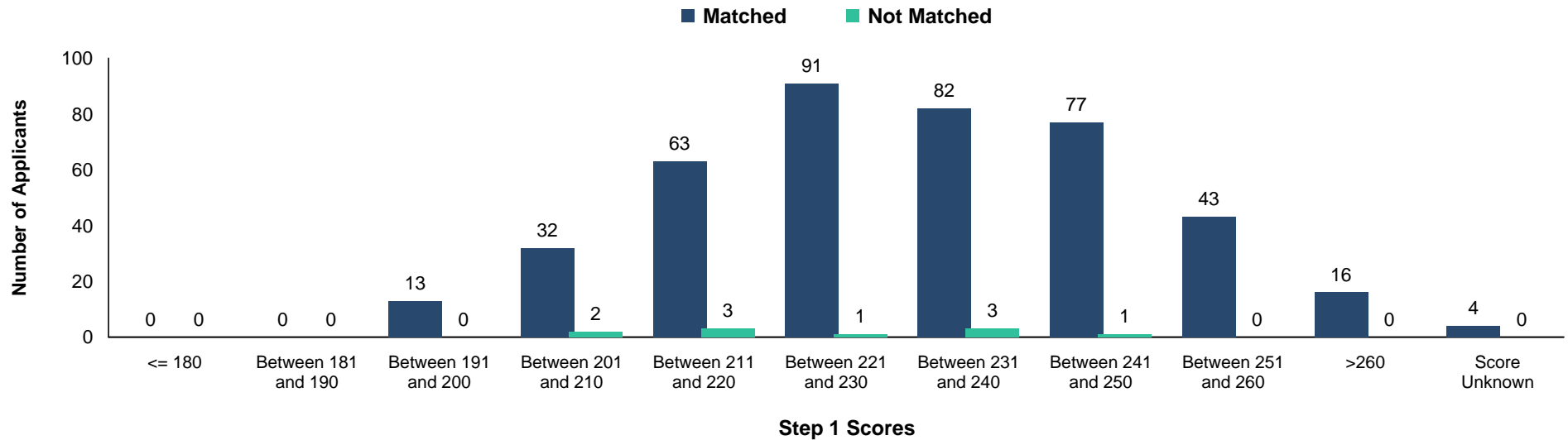
Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks
Neurology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

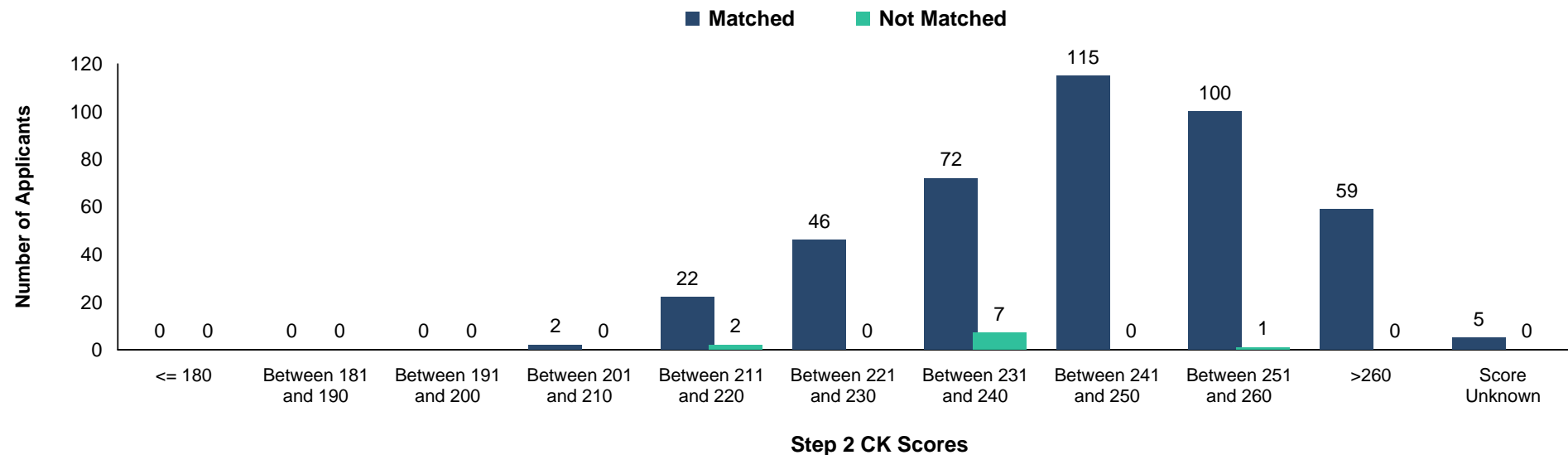
**Chart
N-3**

**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
*Neurology***



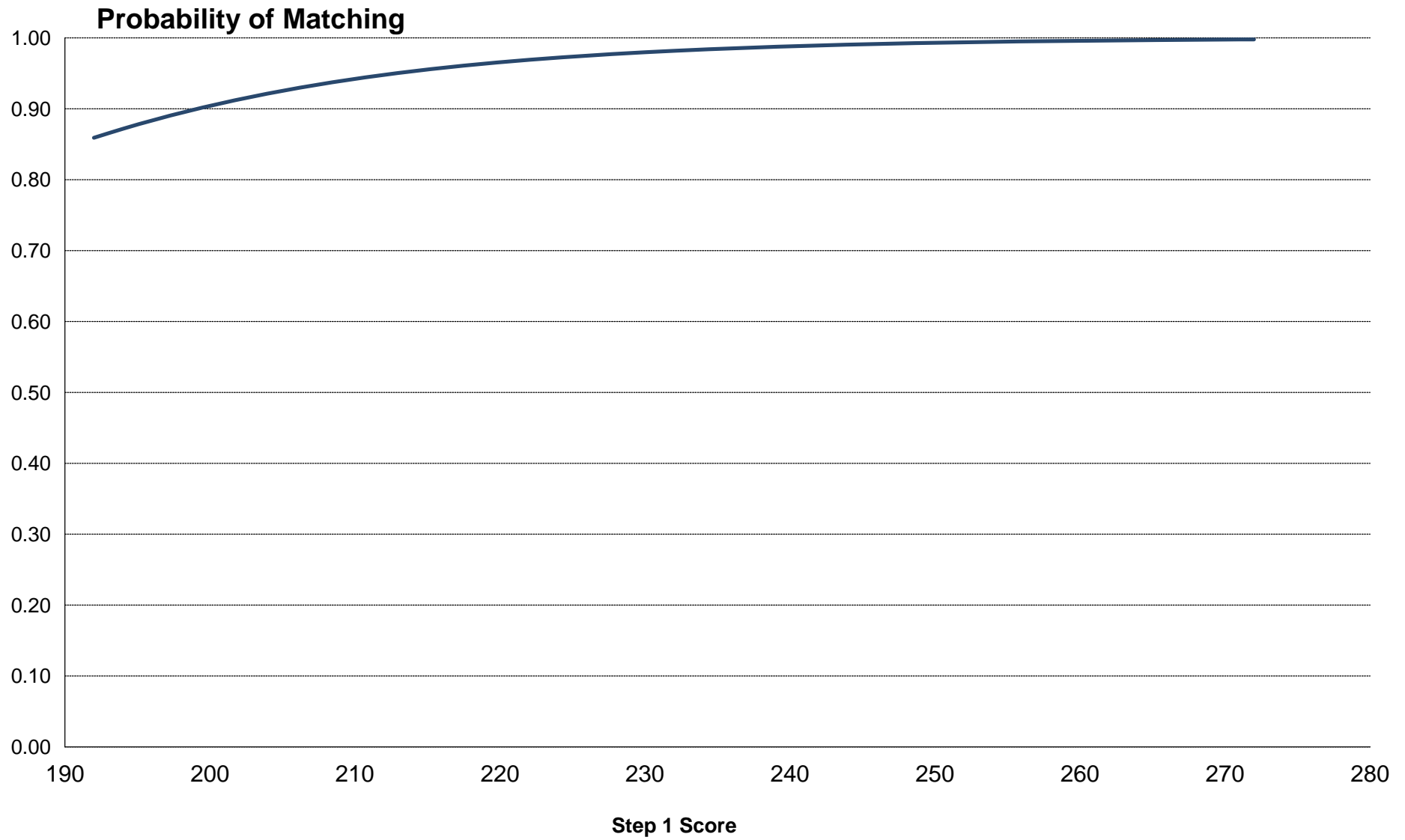
**Chart
N-4**

**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
*Neurology***



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

Neurology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants.

Chart N-5 Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
Neurology

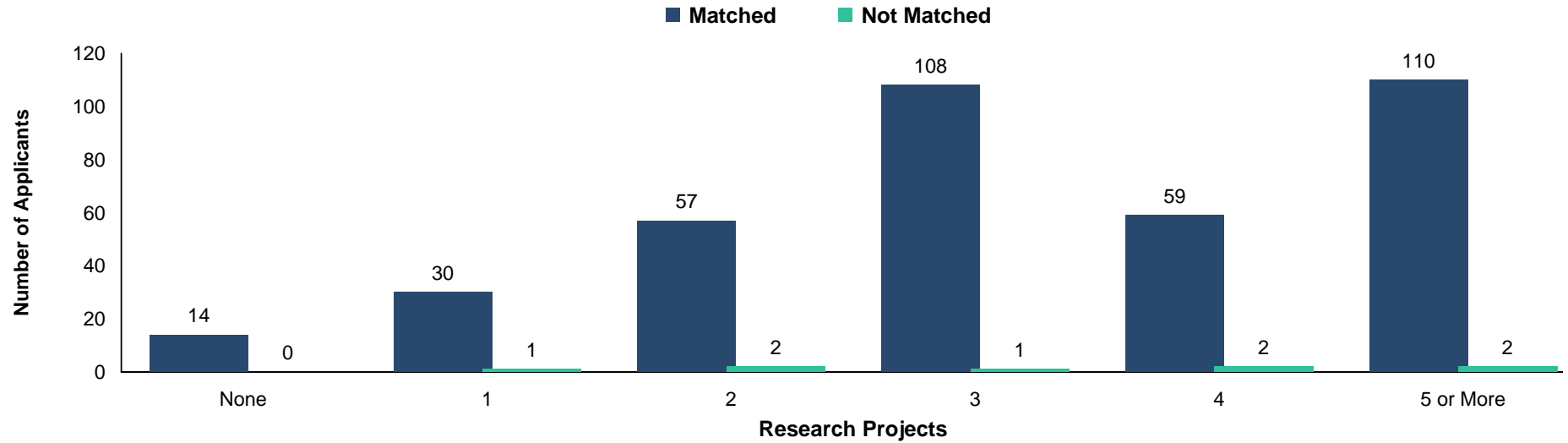
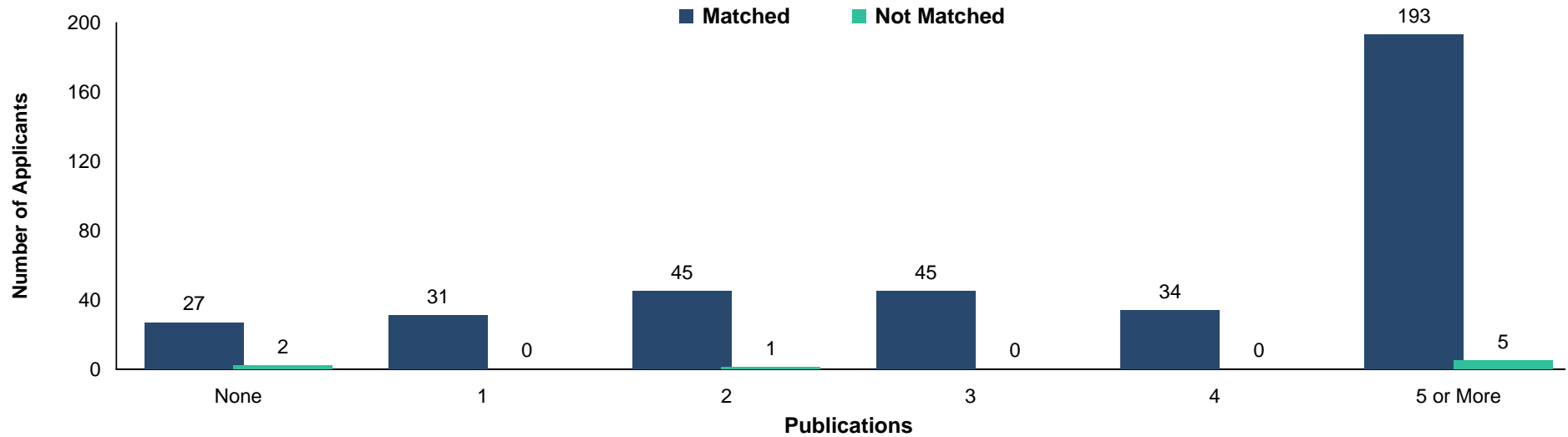


Chart N-6 Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
Neurology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Chart N-7 Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Neurology

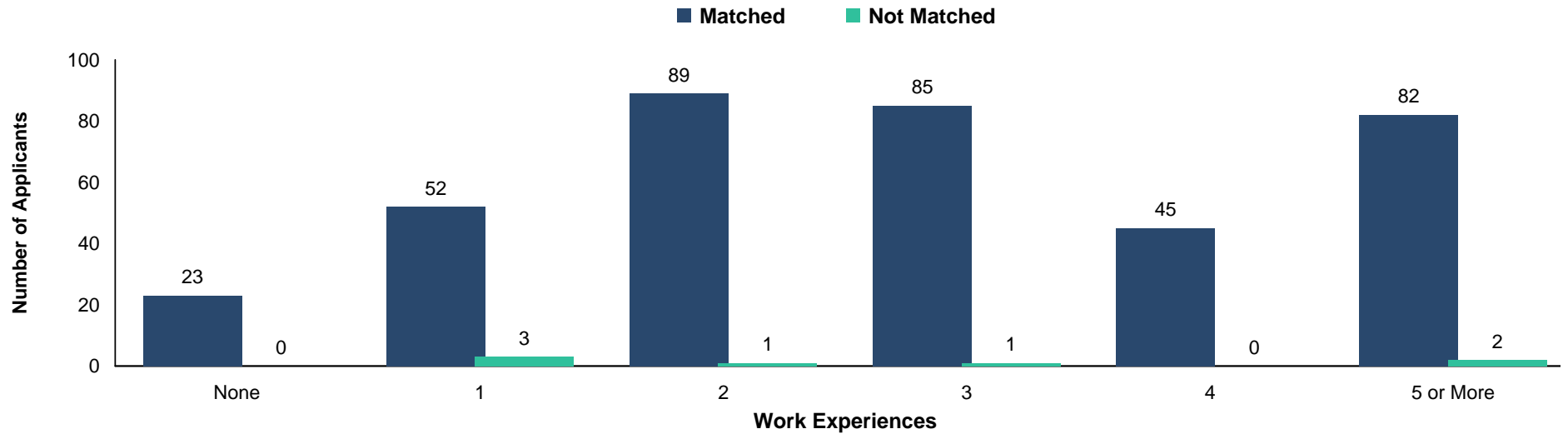
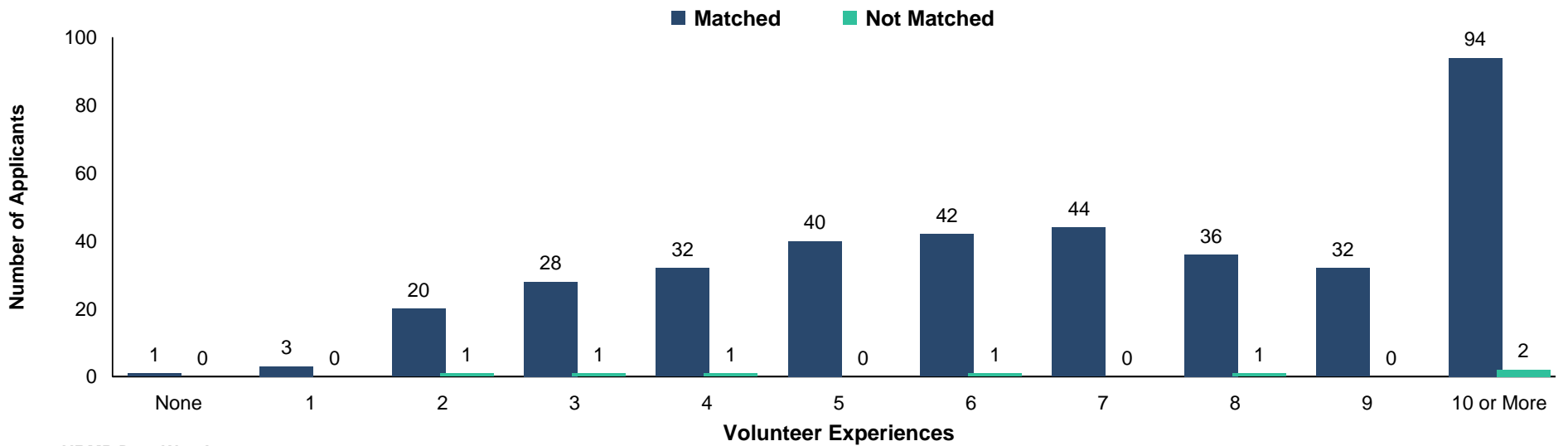


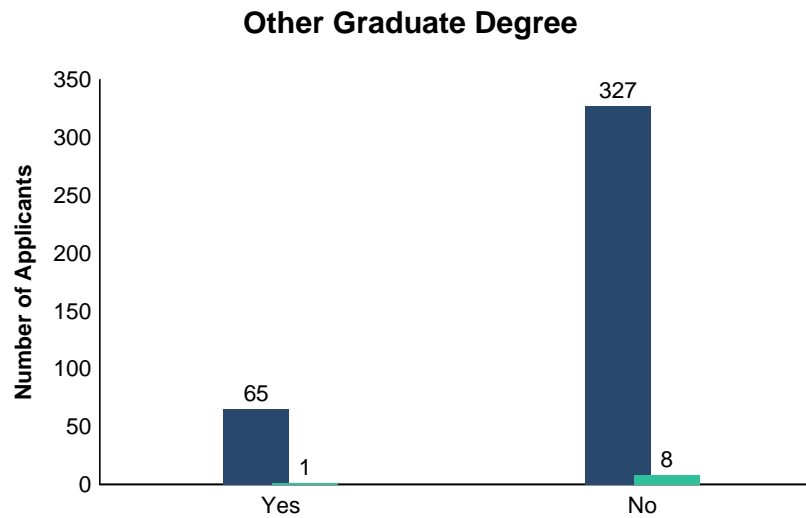
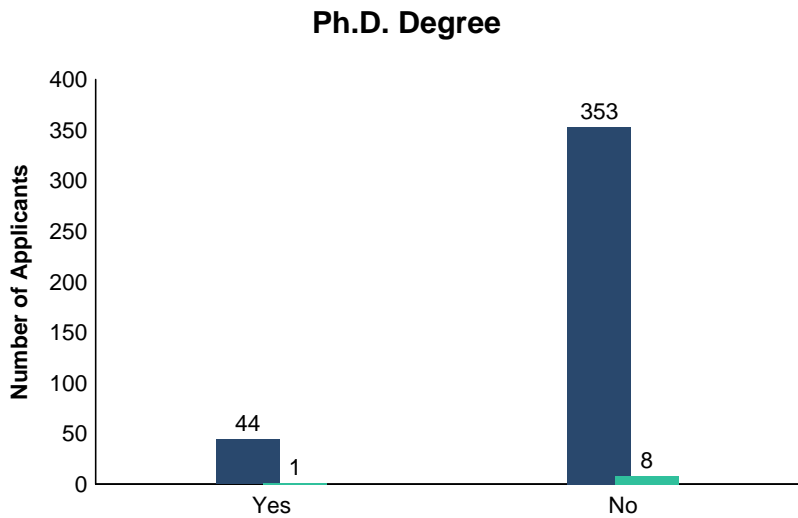
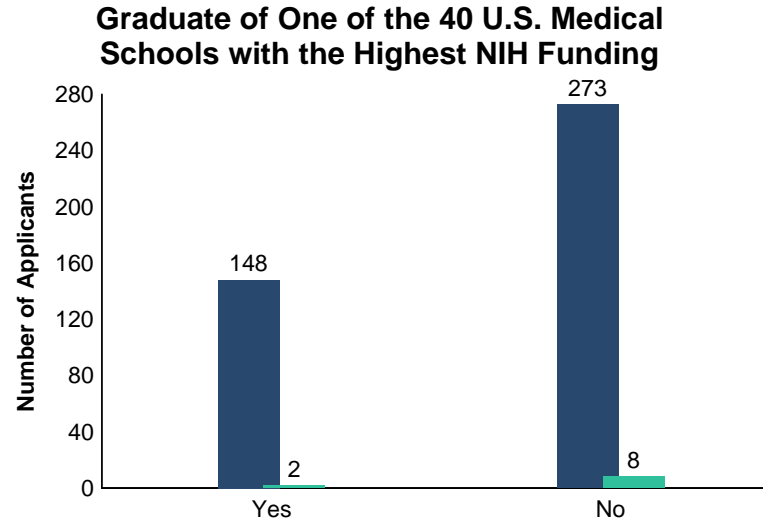
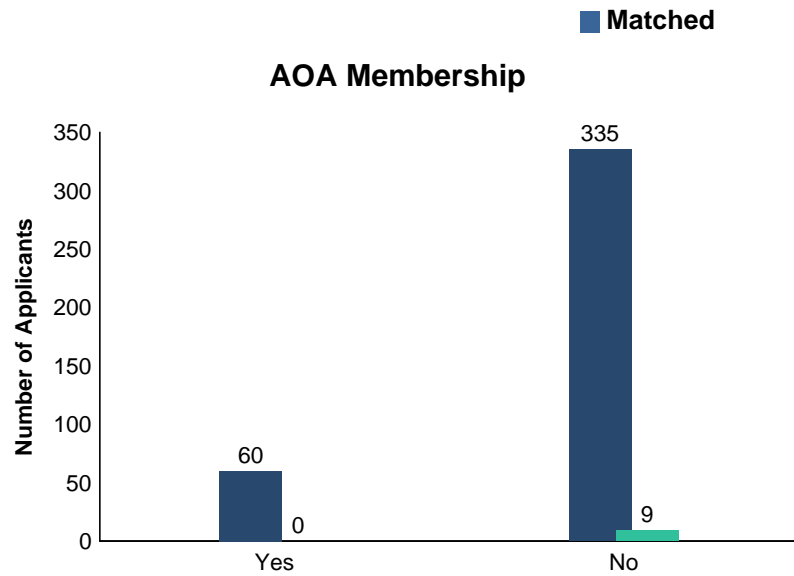
Chart N-8 Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Neurology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

**Chart
N-9**

**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Neurology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

OB **Obstetrics and Gynecology**

**Table
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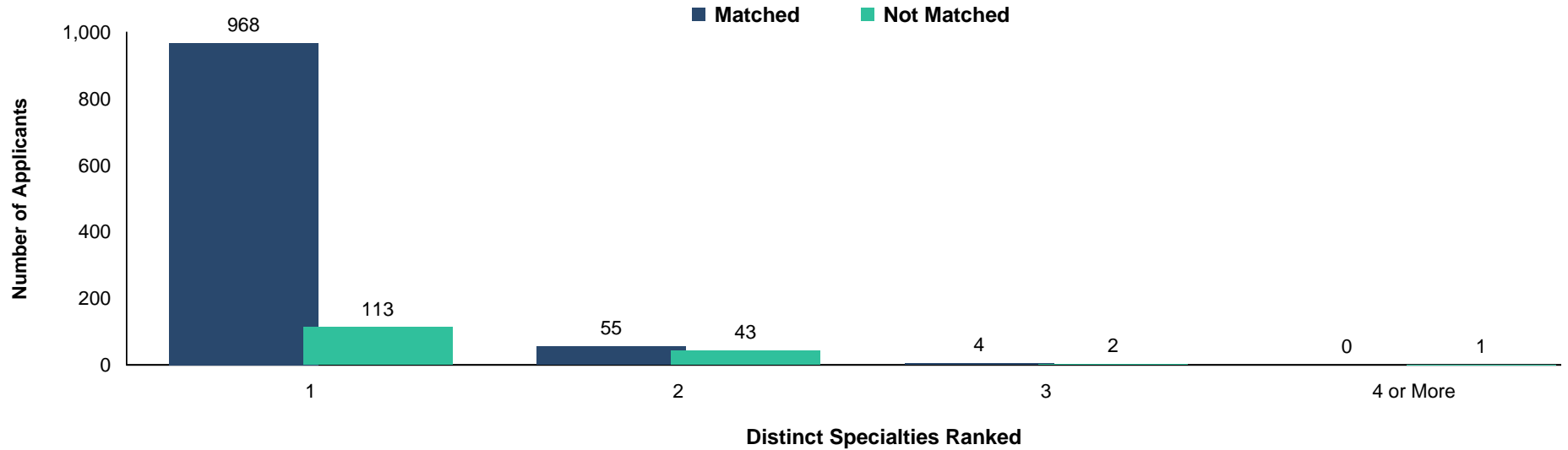
| Measure | Matched (n=1,027) | Unmatched (n=159) |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 12.2 | 6.8 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.1 | 1.3 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 232 | 222 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 248 | 238 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 3.9 | 3.5 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 6.0 | 4.2 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.8 | 3.6 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 9.1 | 7.8 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 16.6 | 3.8 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 29.7 | 18.2 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 1.4 | 0.7 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 19.3 | 19.6 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources: NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

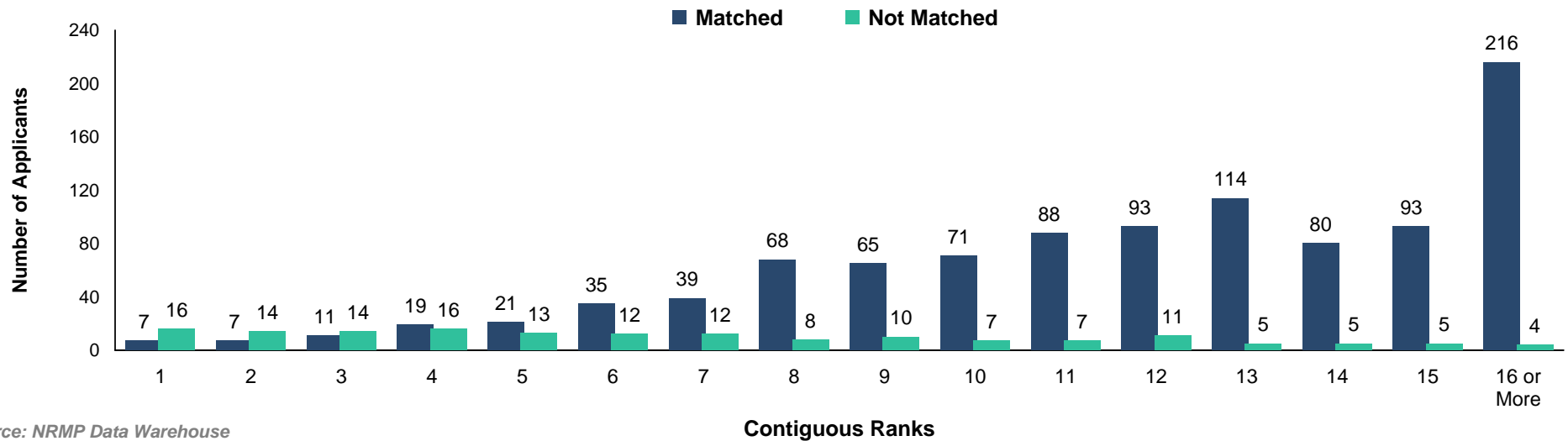
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**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
*Obstetrics and Gynecology***



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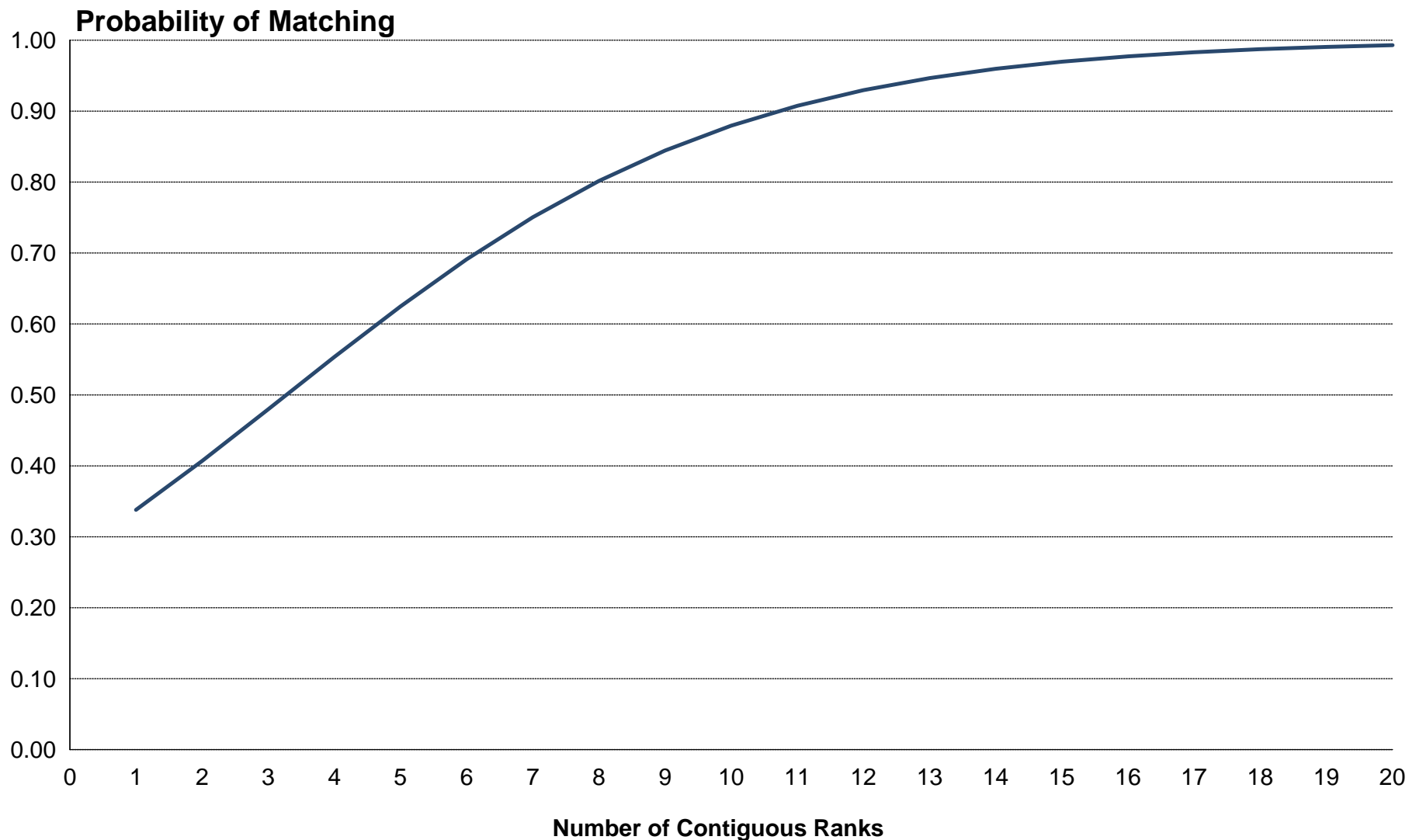
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
*Obstetrics and Gynecology***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

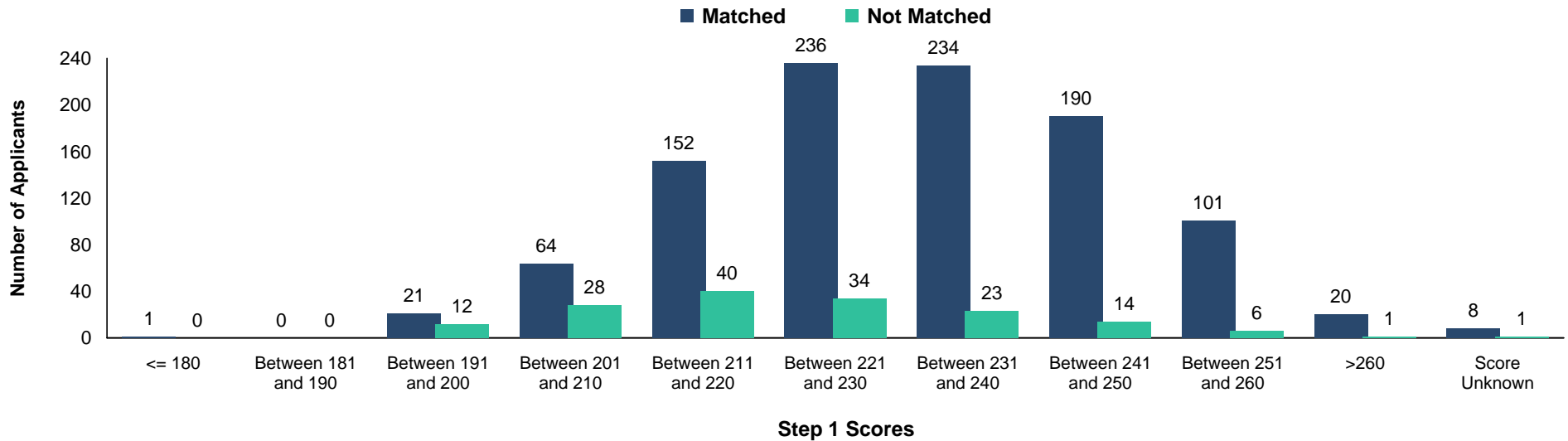
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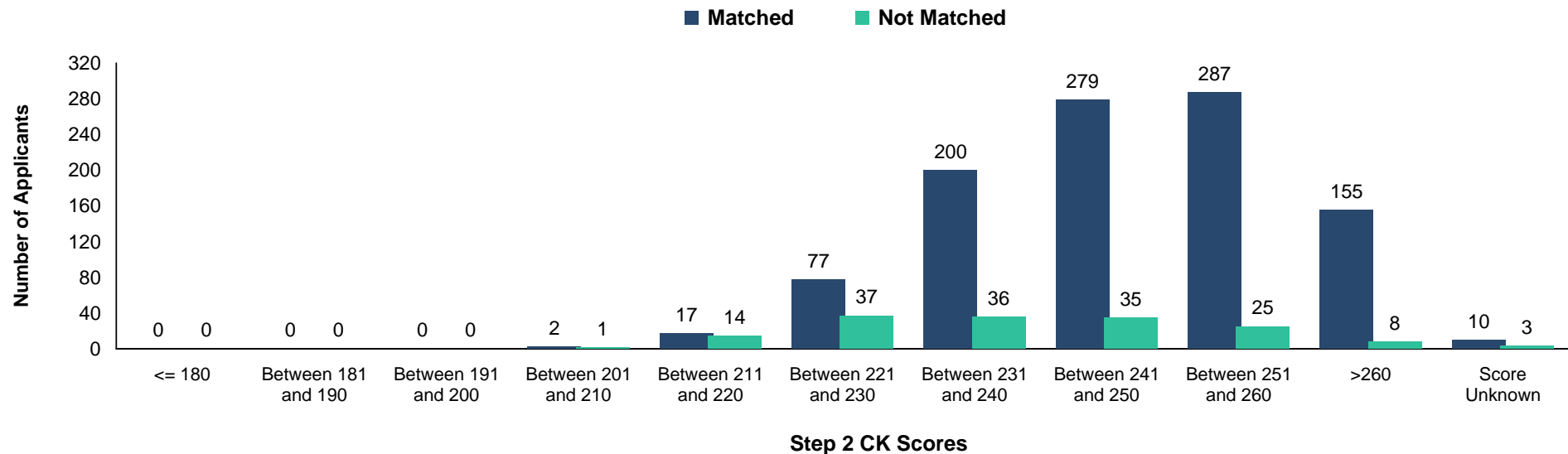
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
*Obstetrics and Gynecology***

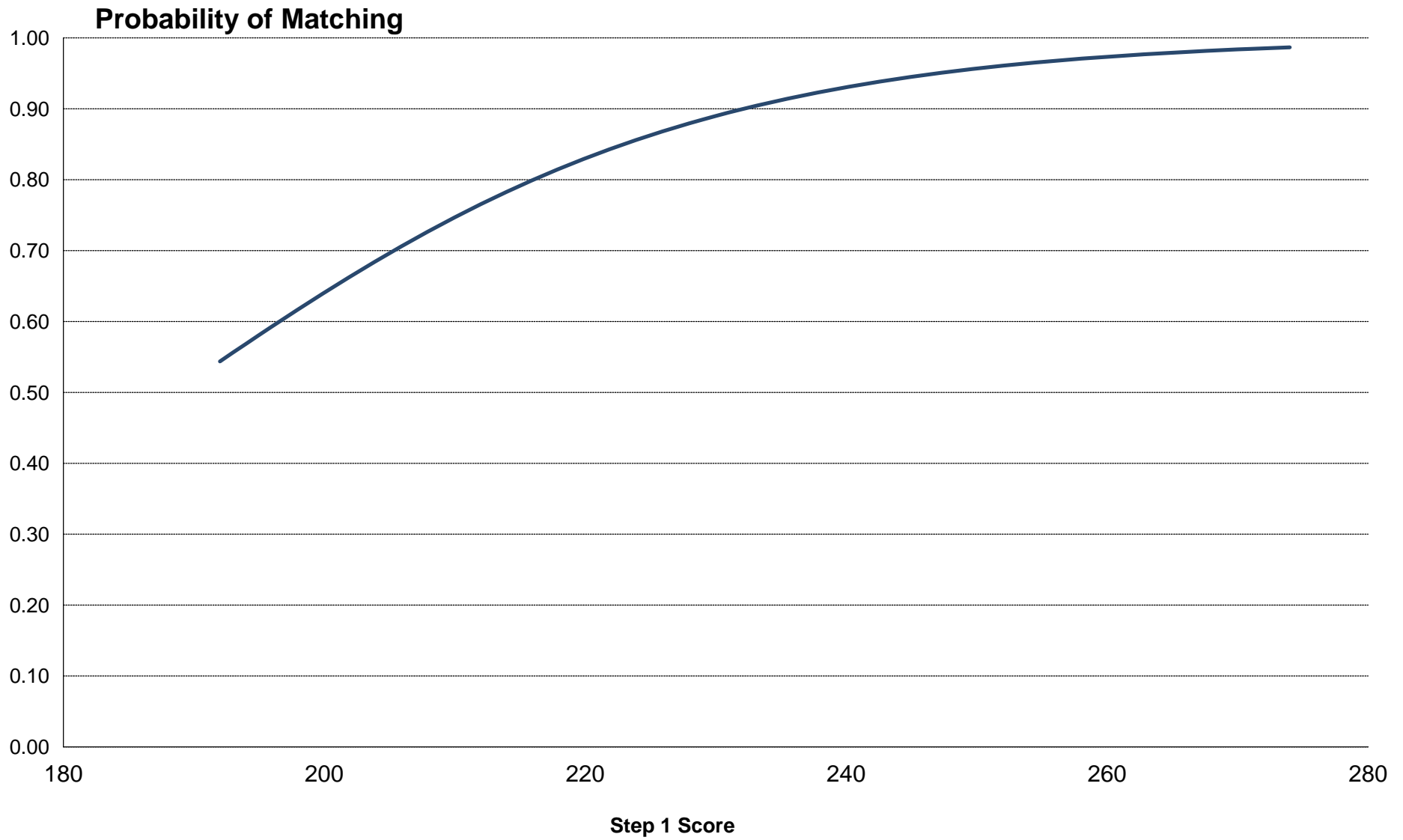


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*Obstetrics and Gynecology***



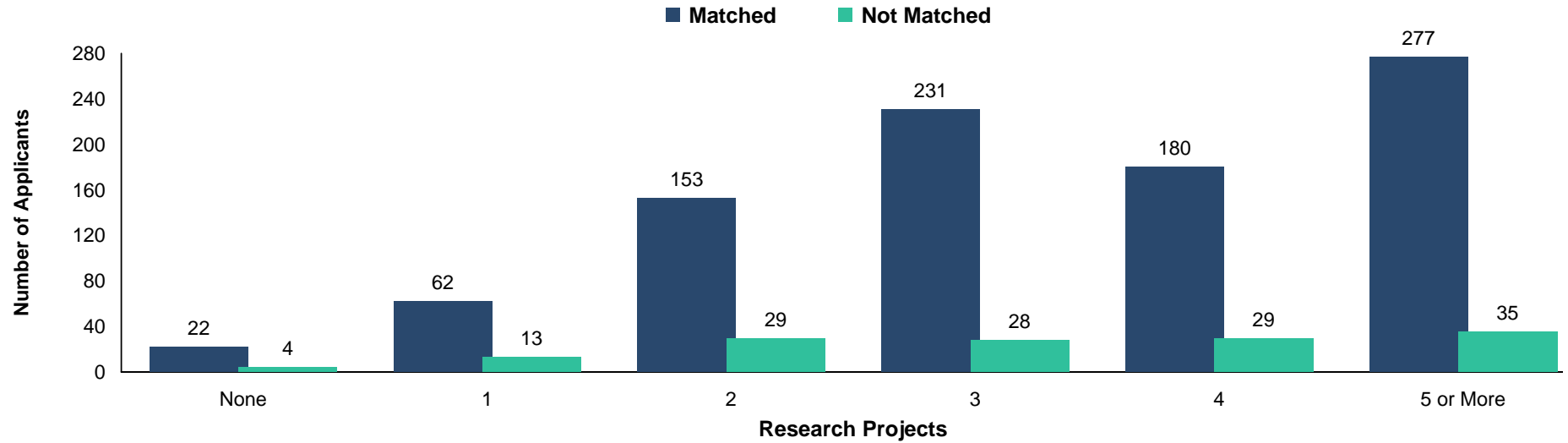
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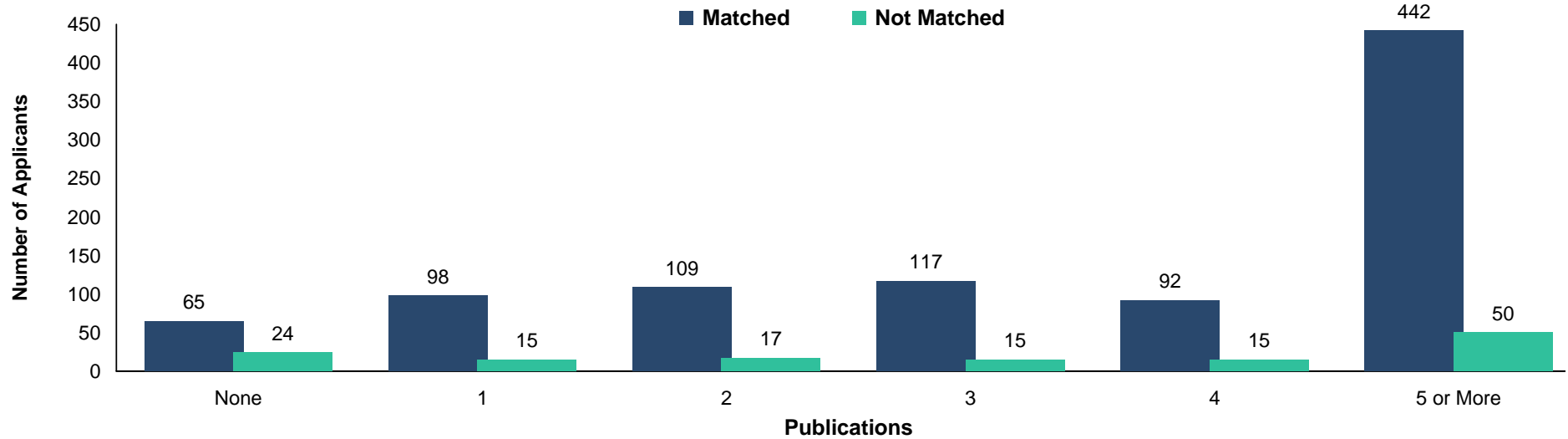
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**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
*Obstetrics and Gynecology***



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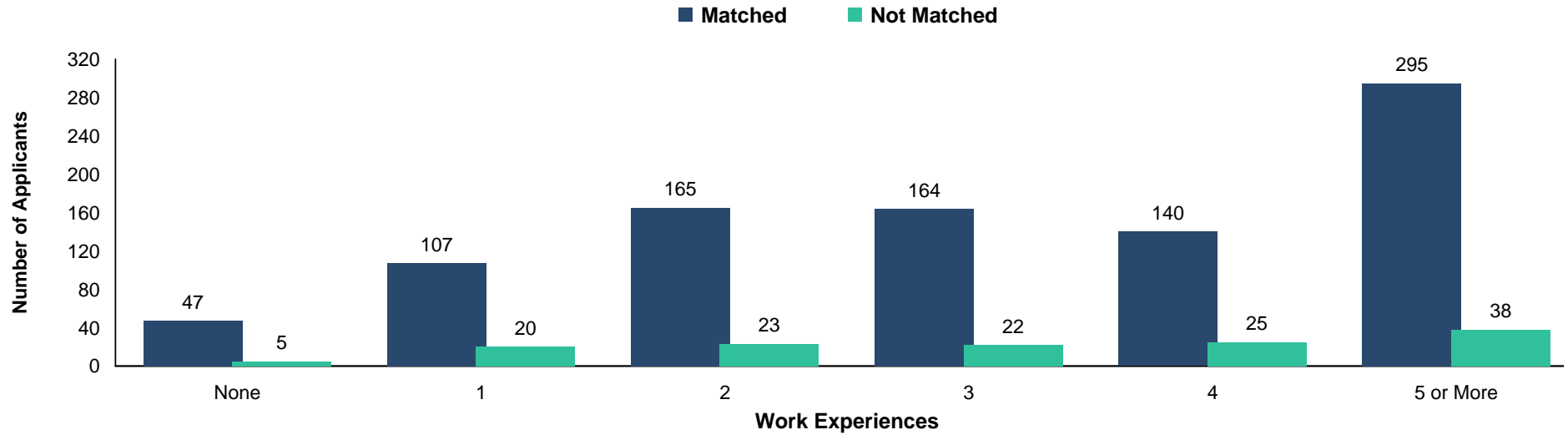
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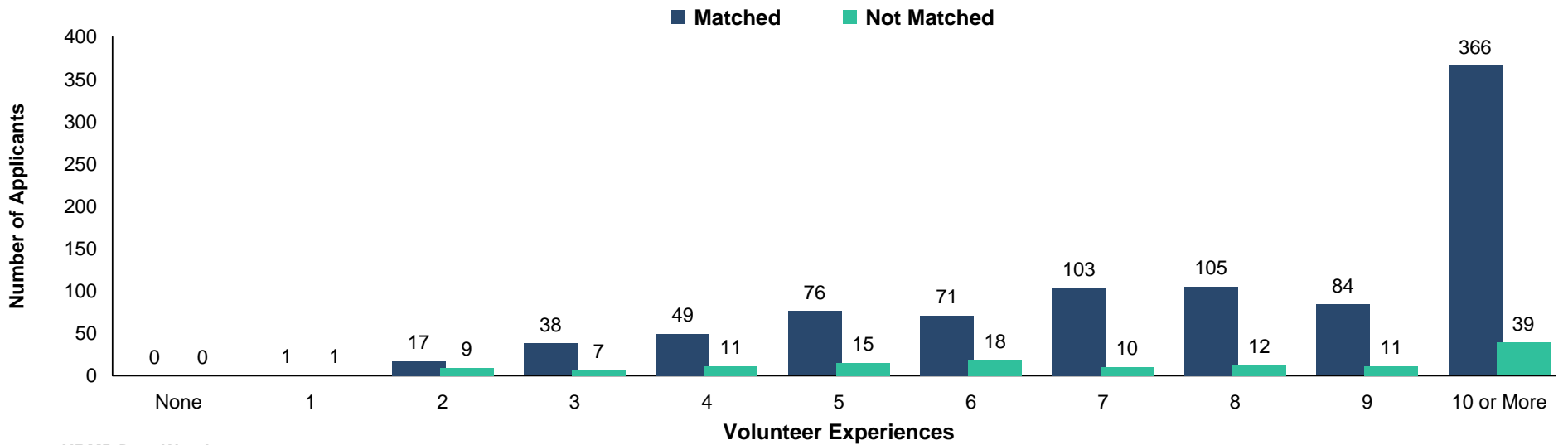
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**Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Obstetrics and Gynecology**



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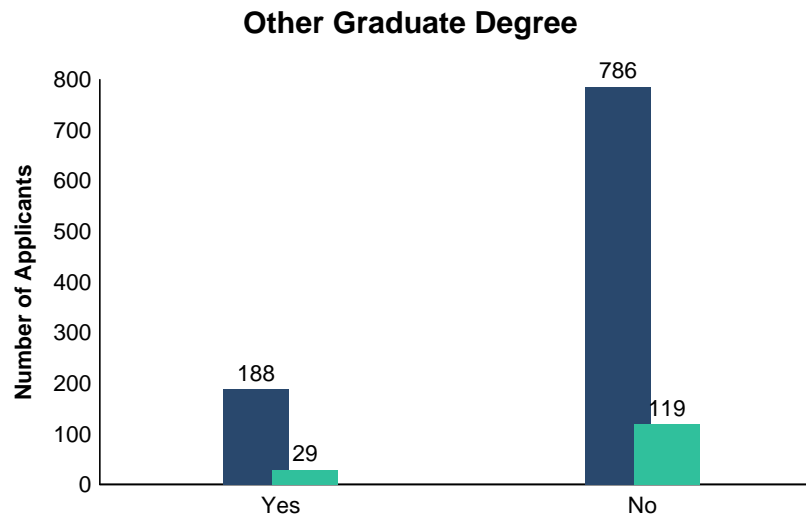
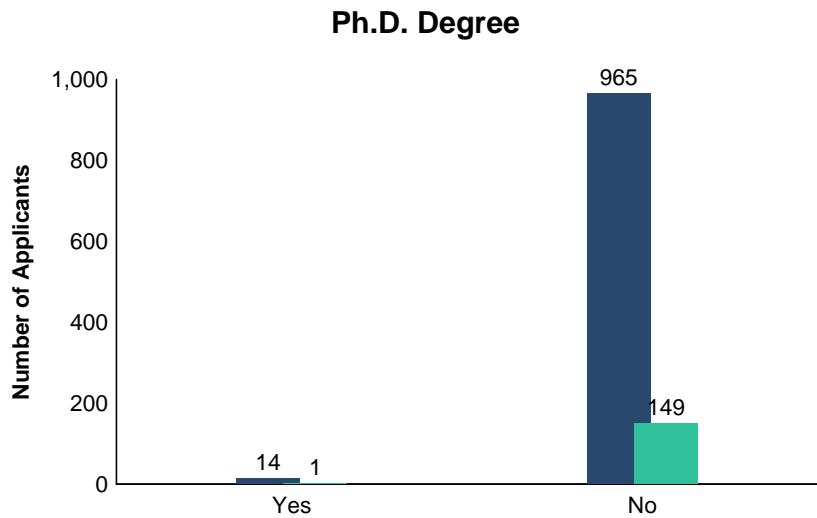
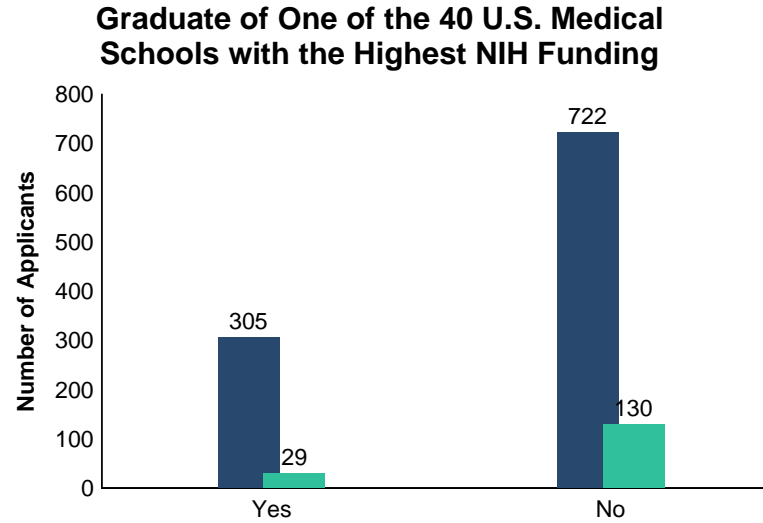
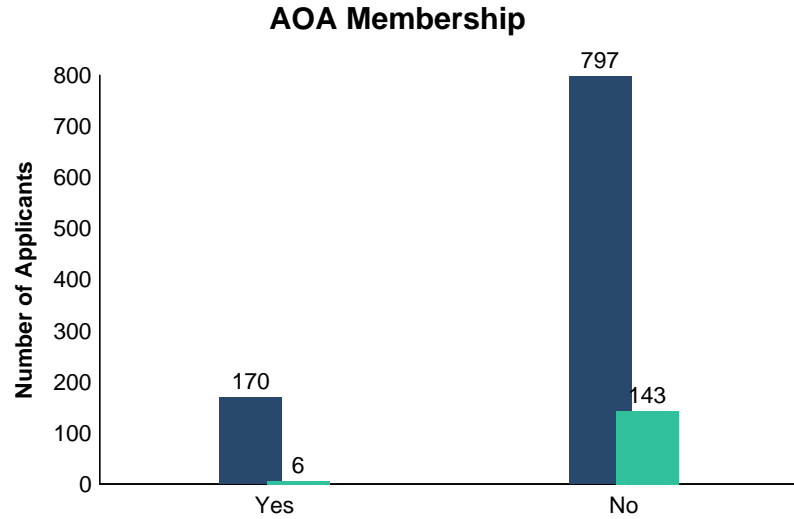
**Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Obstetrics and Gynecology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
*Obstetrics and Gynecology***

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Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

ORS Orthopaedic Surgery

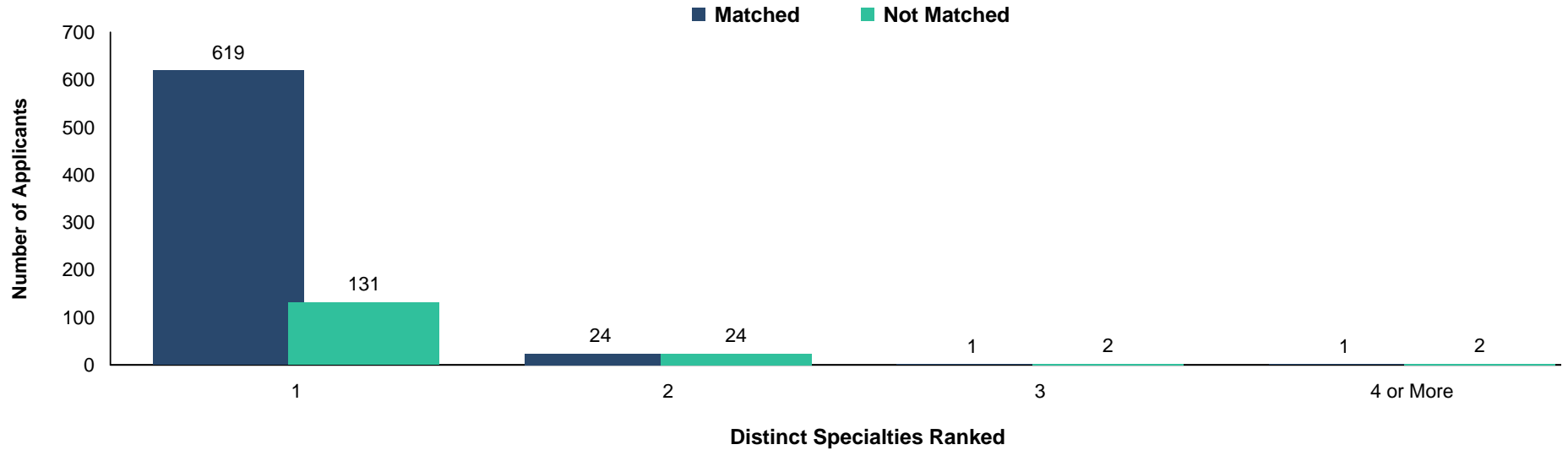
| Measure | Matched (n=645) | Unmatched (n=159) |
|---|--------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 12.3 | 7.0 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.0 | 1.2 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 248 | 239 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 255 | 246 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 5.4 | 5.7 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 14.3 | 14.2 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.6 | 3.8 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 8.0 | 7.6 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 40.3 | 11.3 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 33.6 | 25.8 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 0.8 | 0.7 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 16.7 | 25.2 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

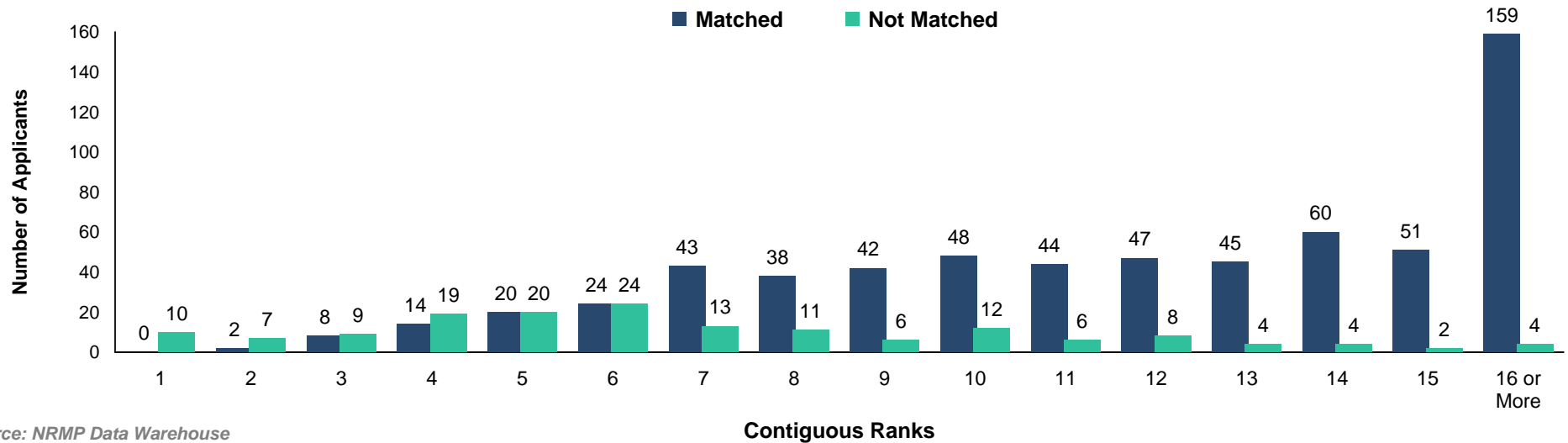
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**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
*Orthopaedic Surgery***



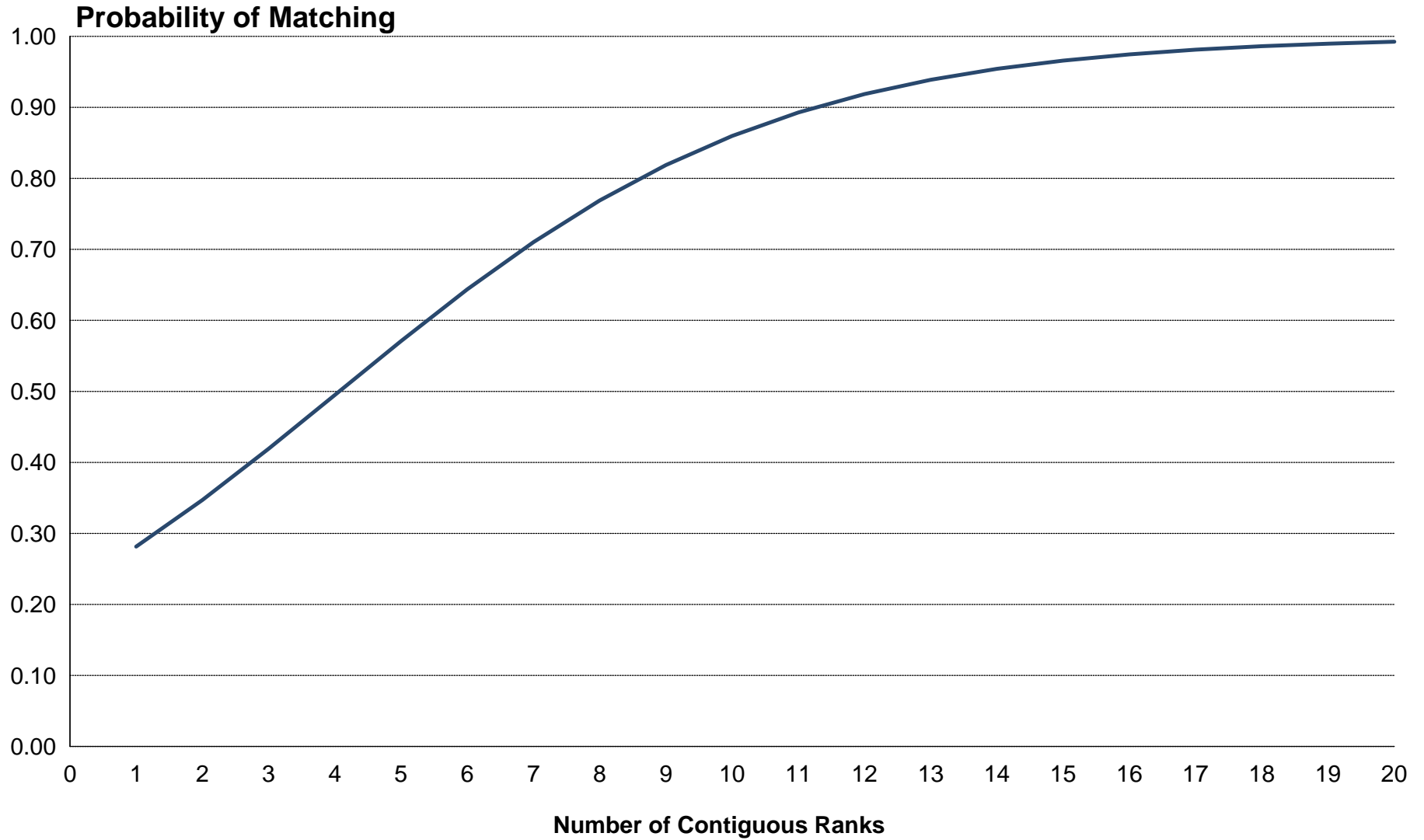
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**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
*Orthopaedic Surgery***



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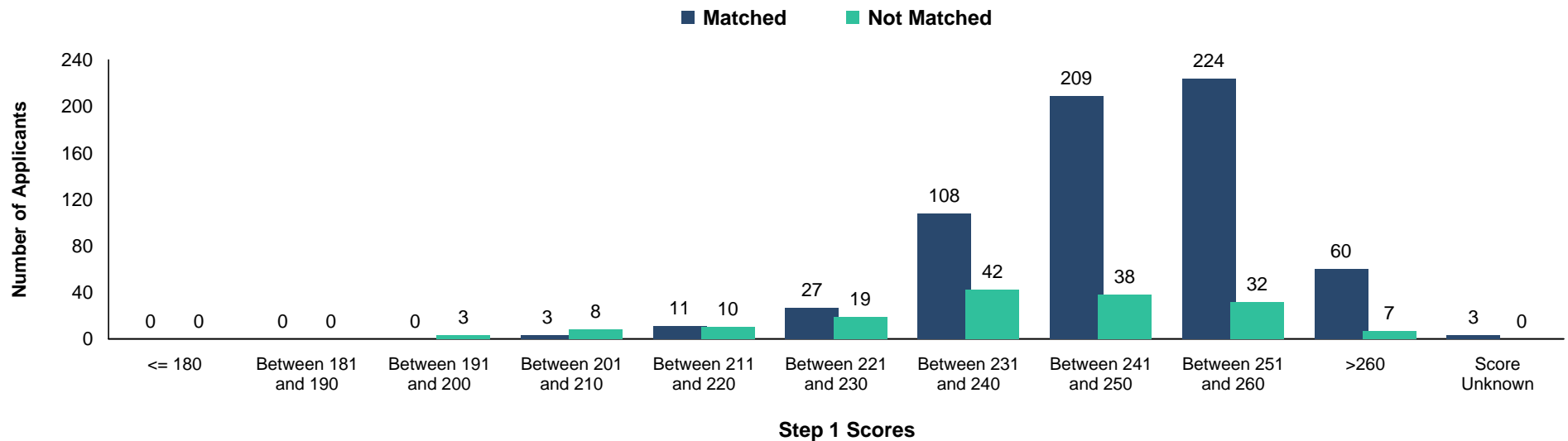
Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks
Orthopaedic Surgery



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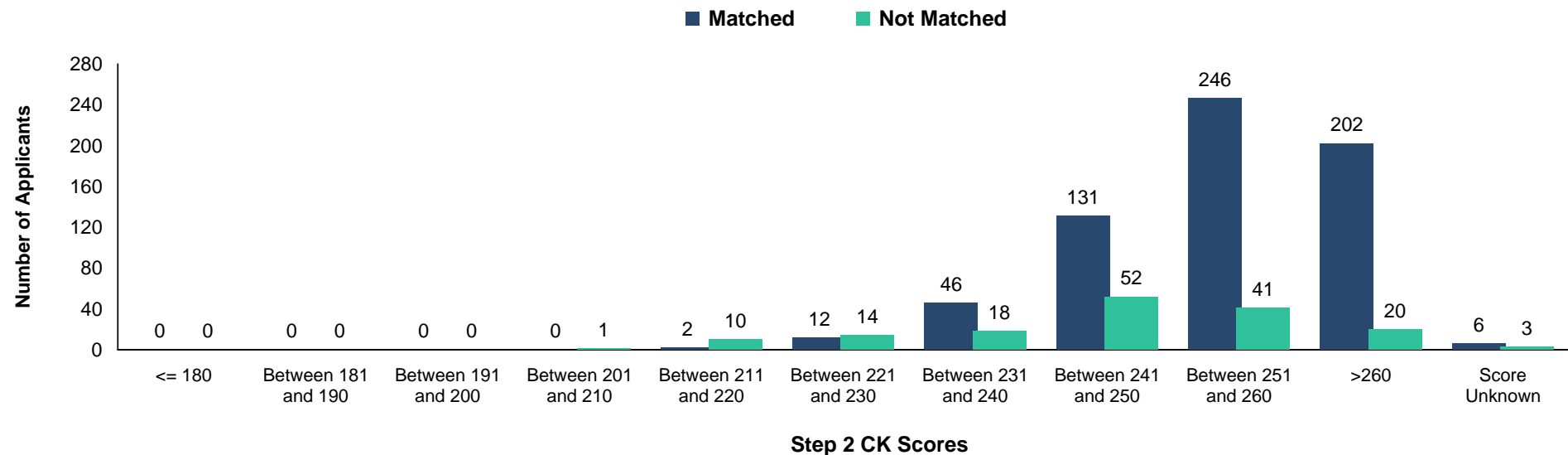
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
*Orthopaedic Surgery***



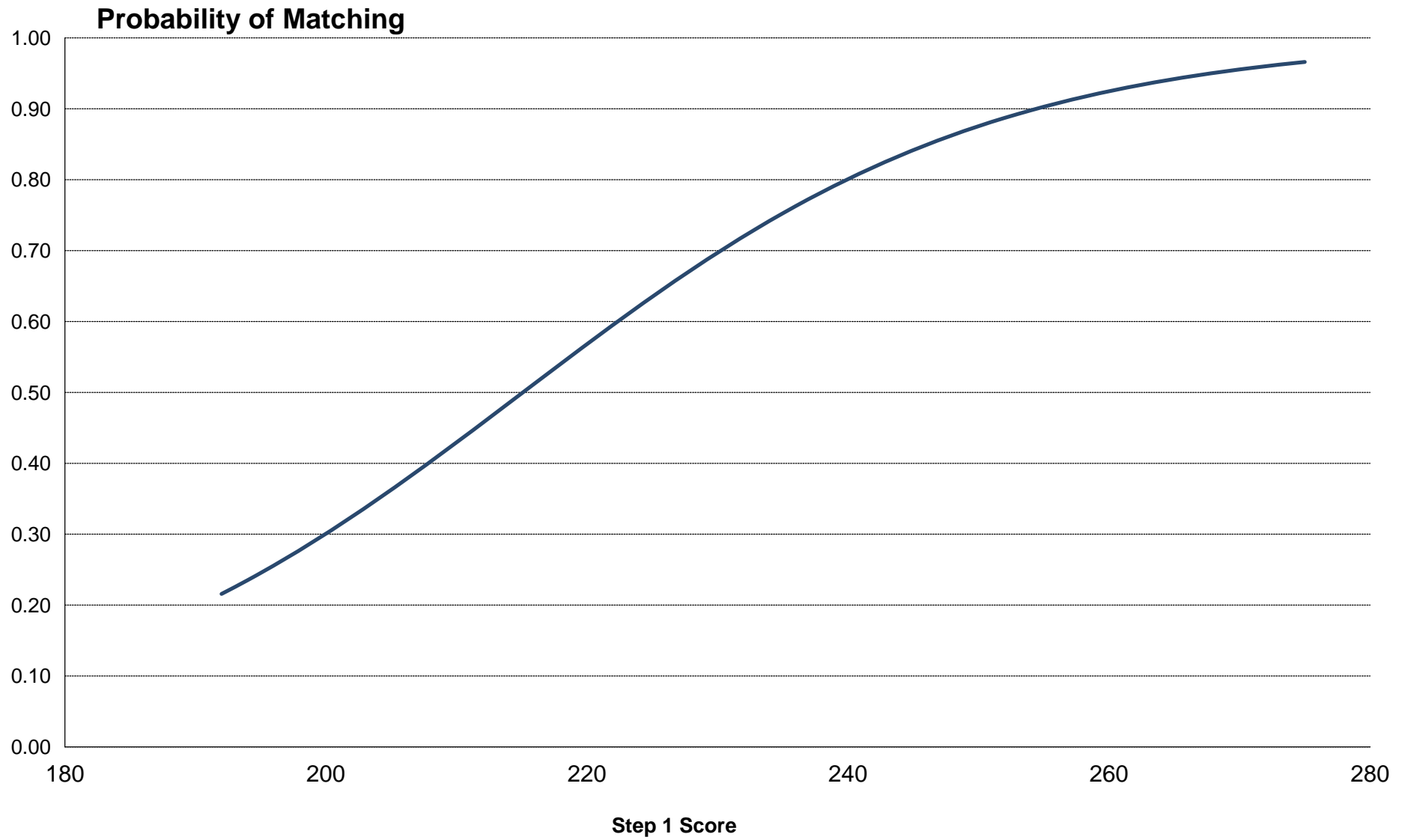
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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
*Orthopaedic Surgery***



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

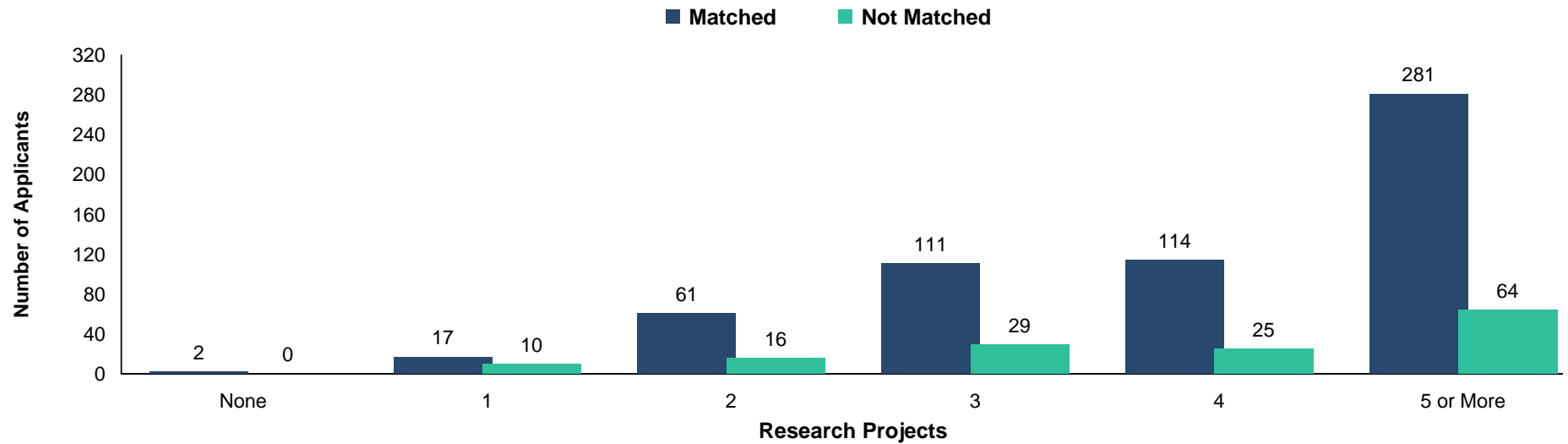
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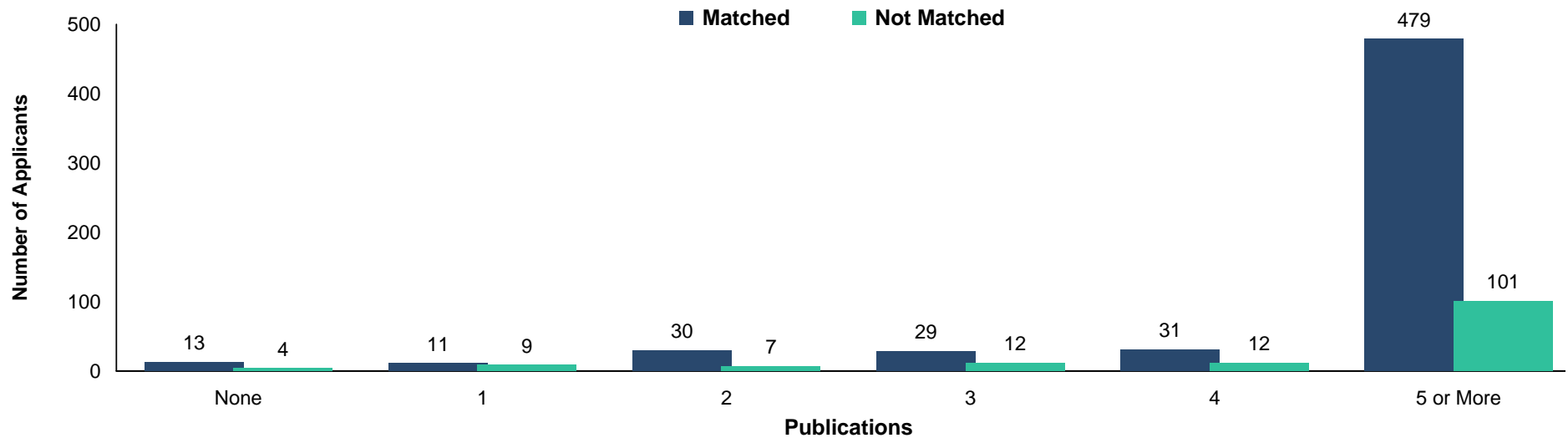
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**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
*Orthopaedic Surgery***



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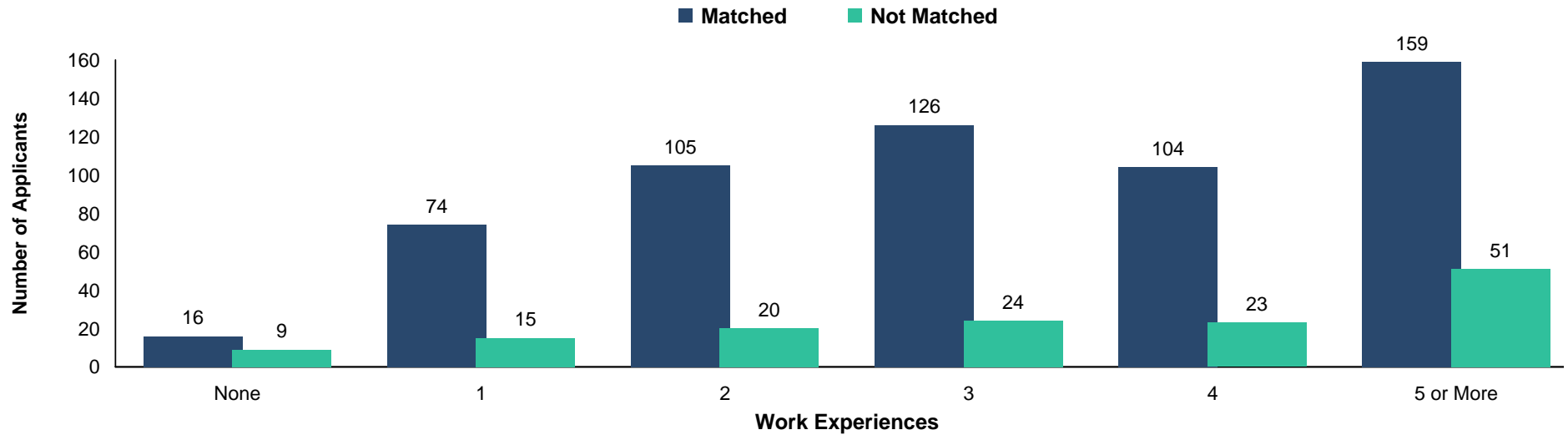
**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
*Orthopaedic Surgery***



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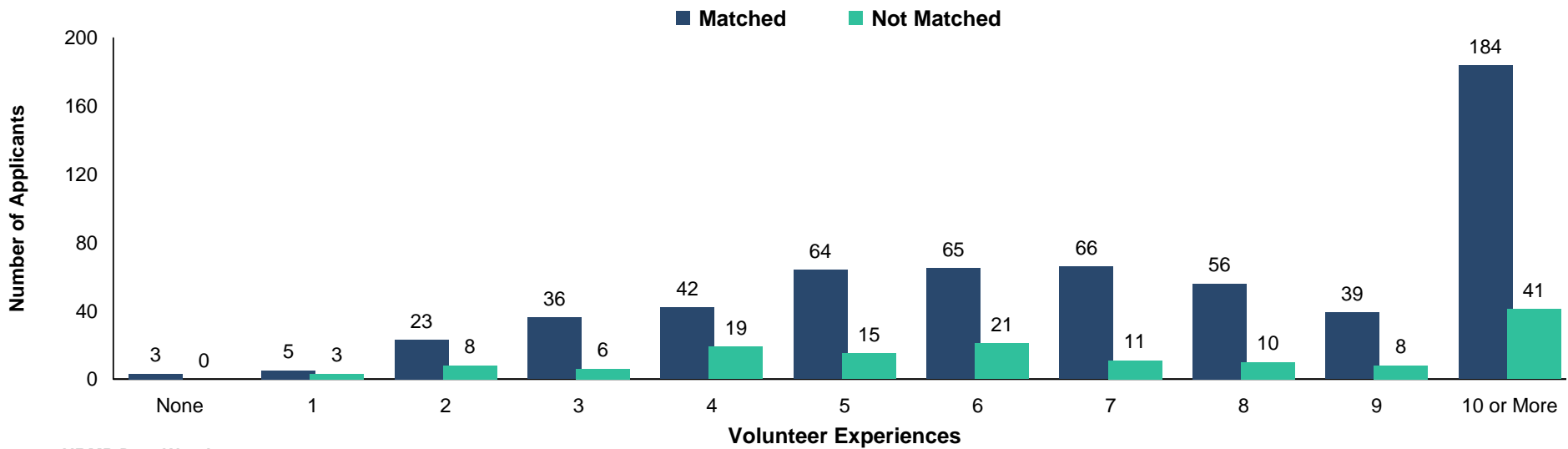
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**Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Orthopaedic Surgery**



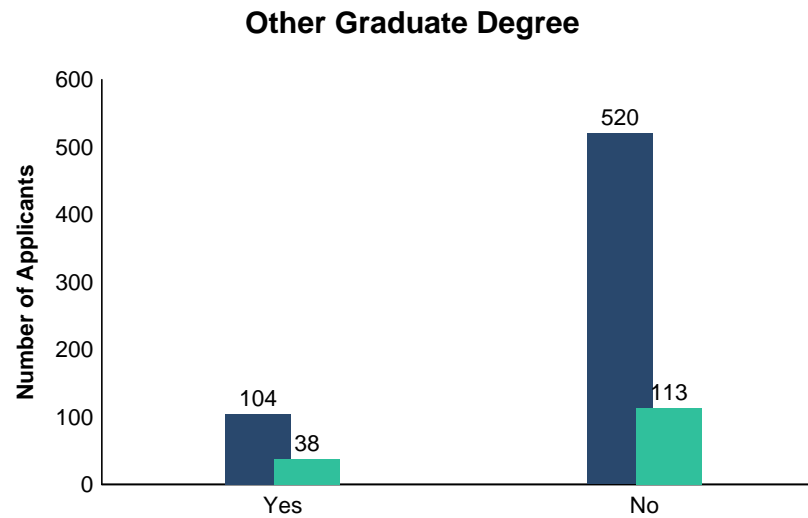
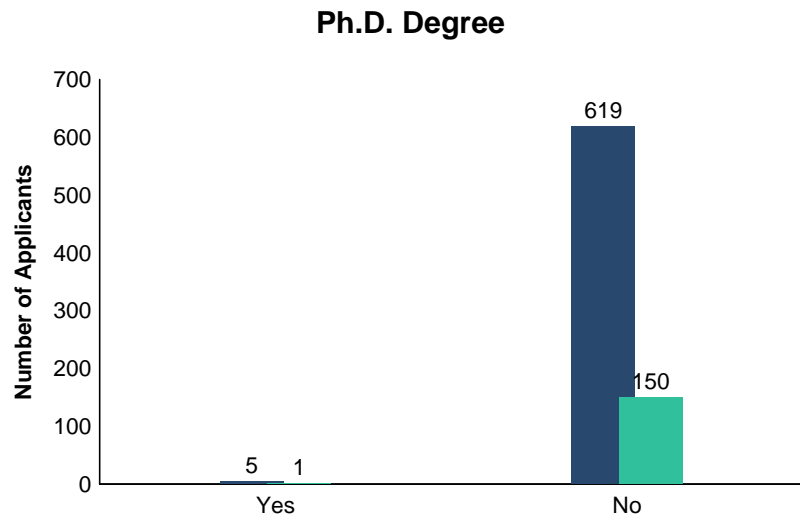
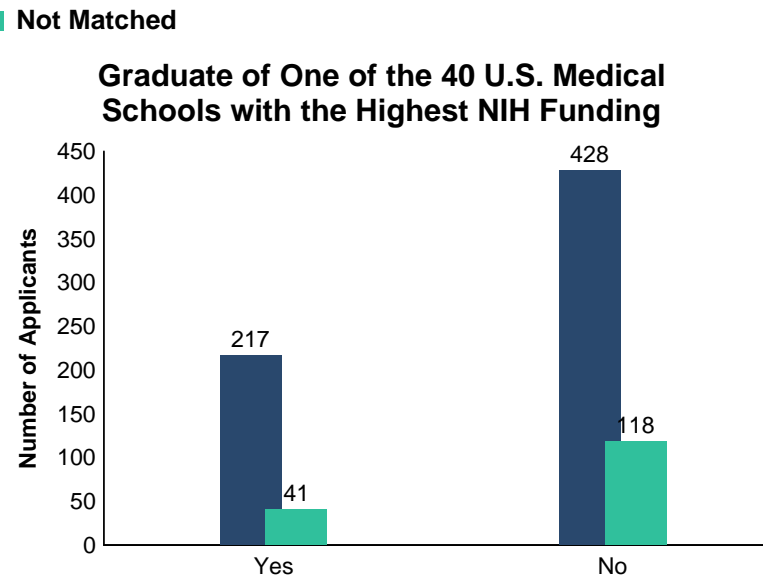
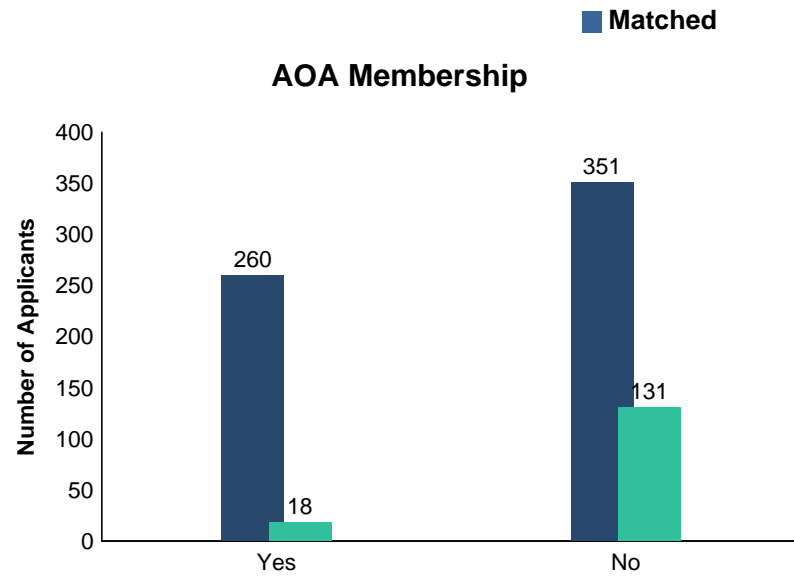
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**Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Orthopaedic Surgery**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Orthopaedic Surgery**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

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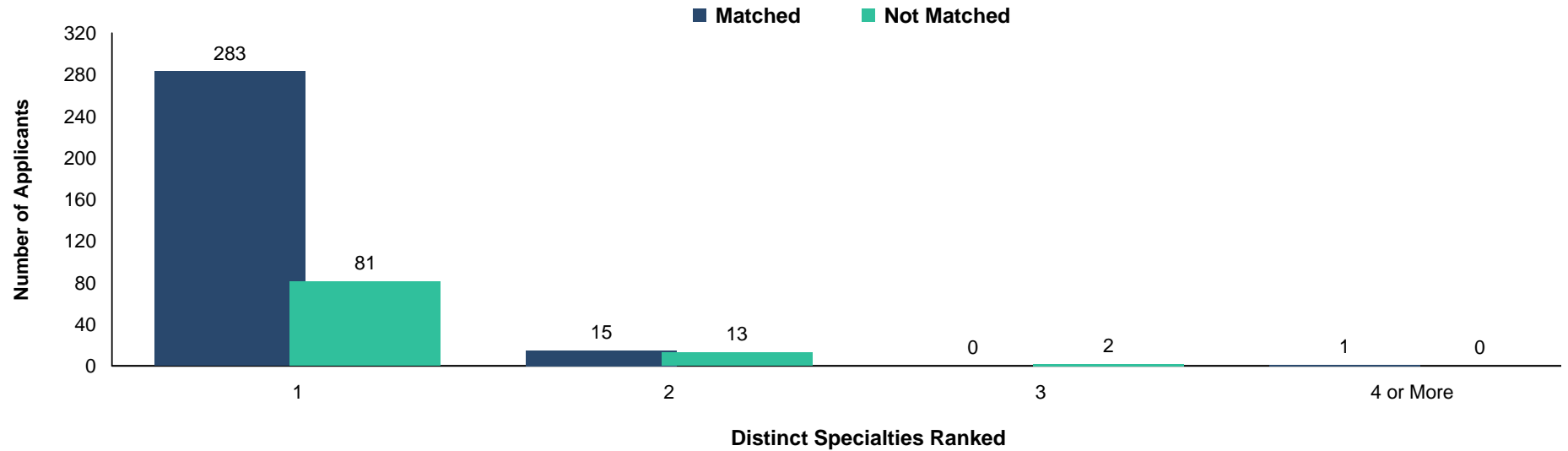
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|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 13.1 | 7.1 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.1 | 1.2 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 248 | 243 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 256 | 249 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 6.1 | 5.5 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 13.7 | 9.5 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.5 | 3.6 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 8.6 | 10.0 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 38.1 | 21.9 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 40.8 | 21.9 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 2.8 | 2.1 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 16.7 | 17.0 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

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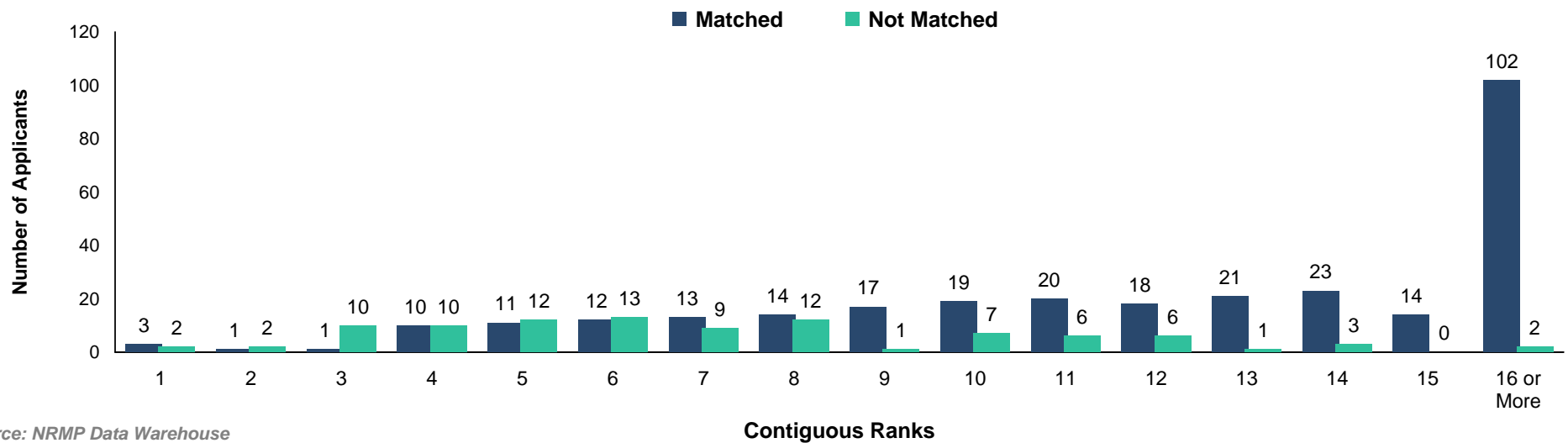
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**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
Otolaryngology**



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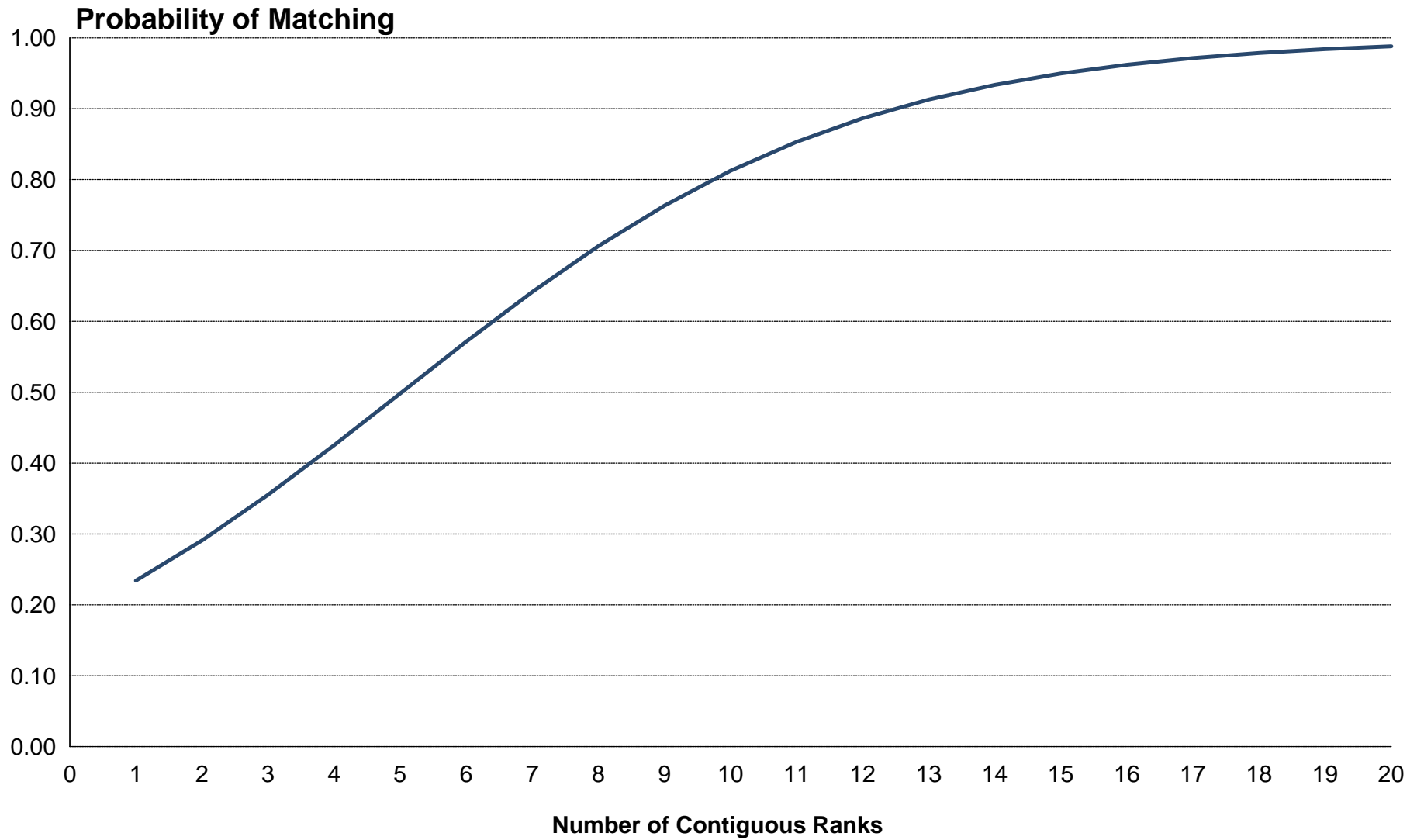
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
Otolaryngology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

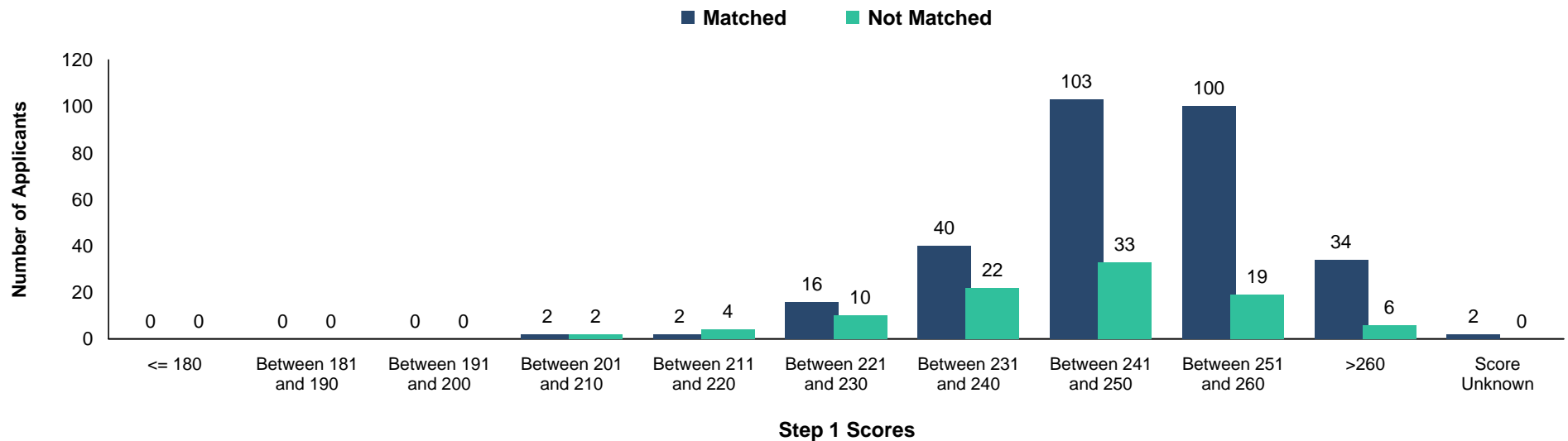
Otolaryngology



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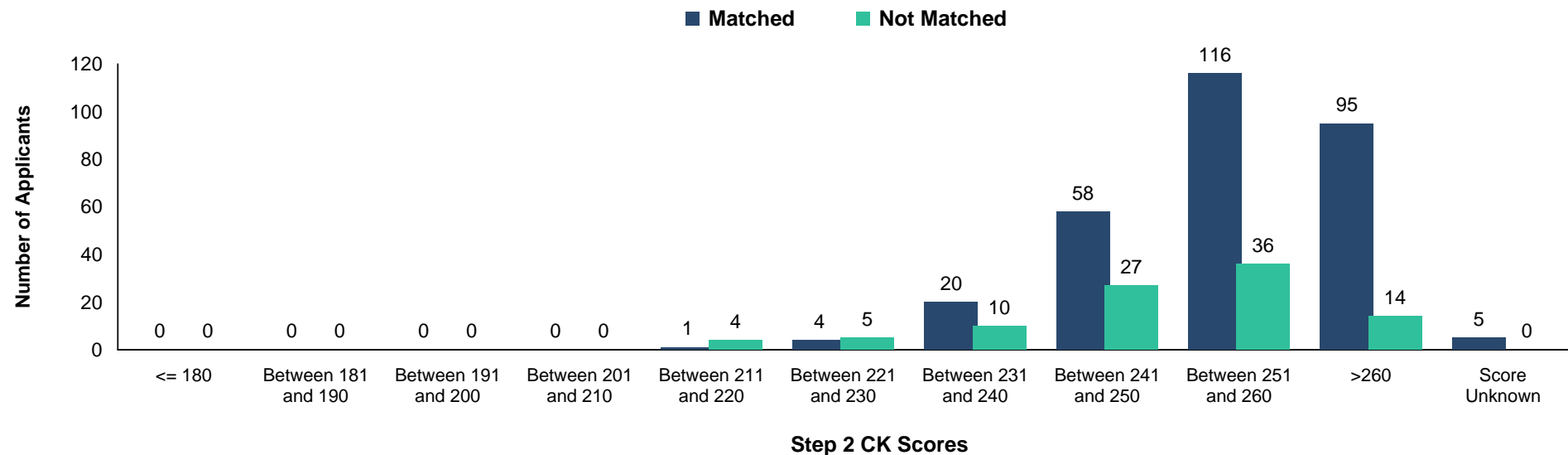
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
*Otolaryngology***



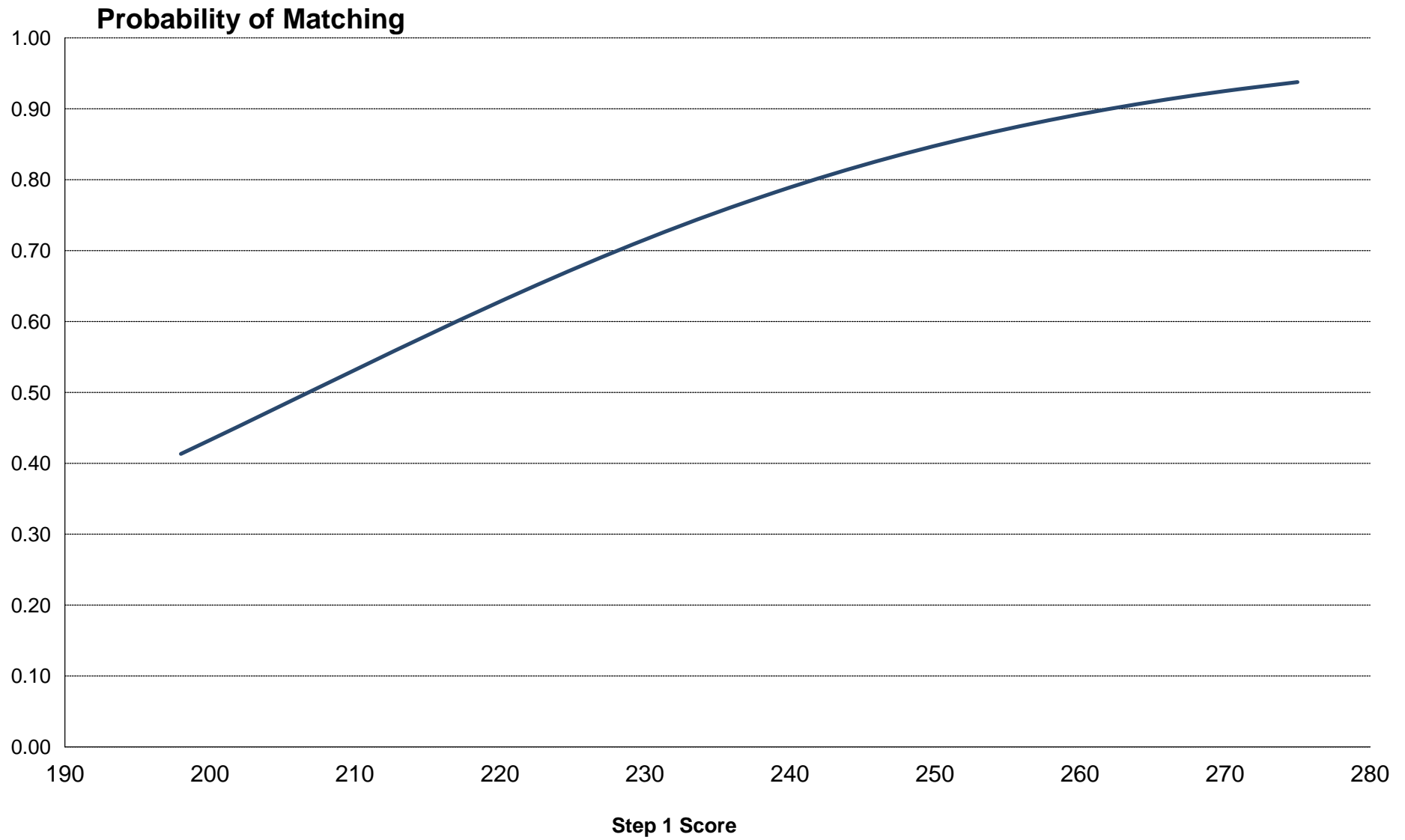
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*Otolaryngology***



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

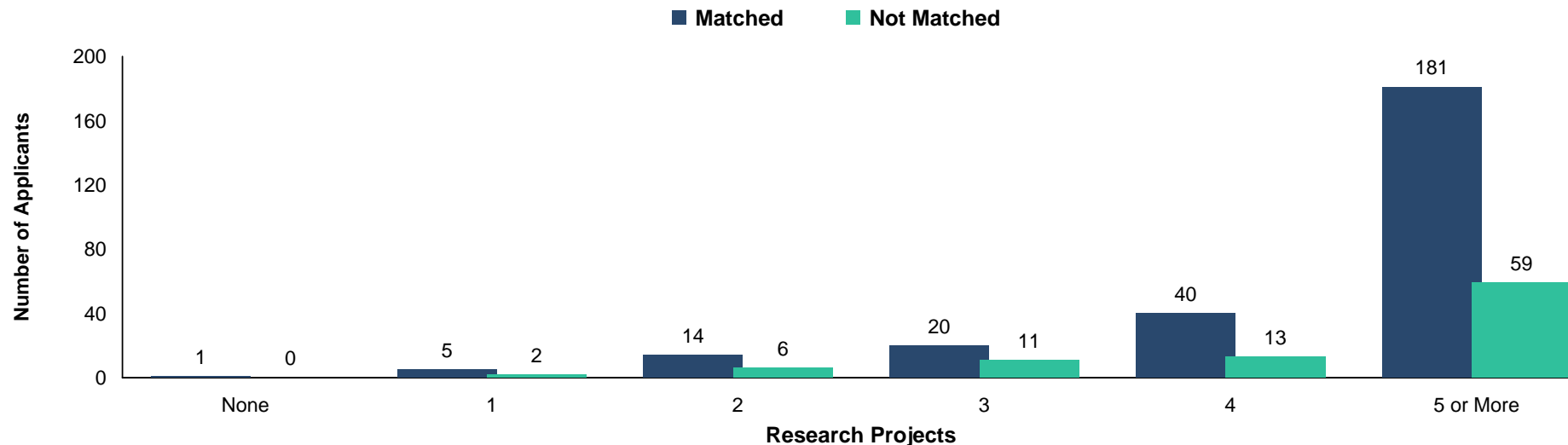
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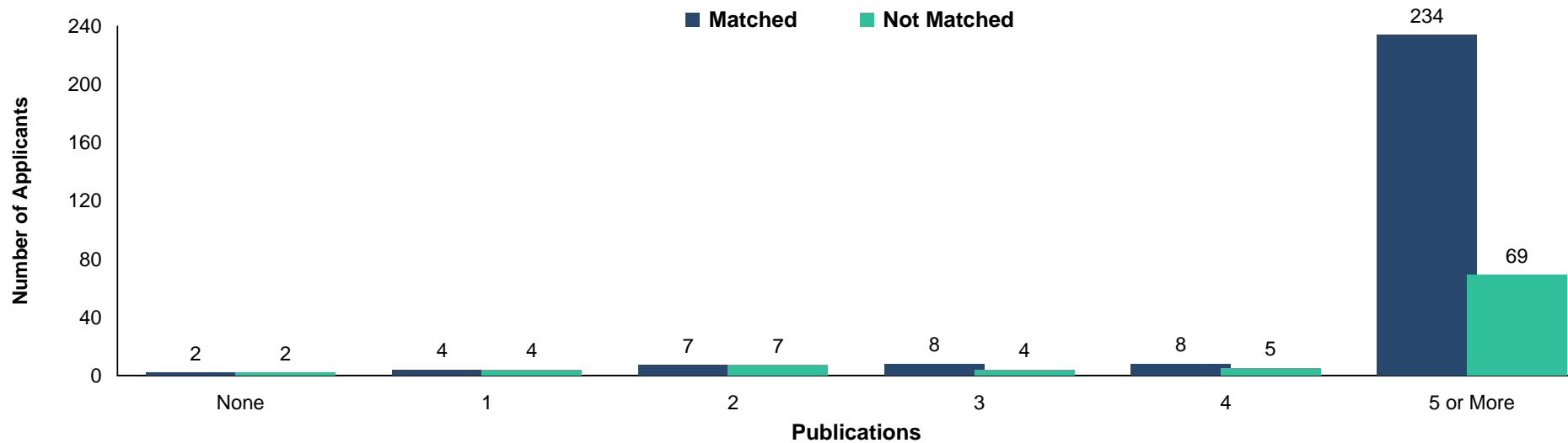
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**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
Otolaryngology**



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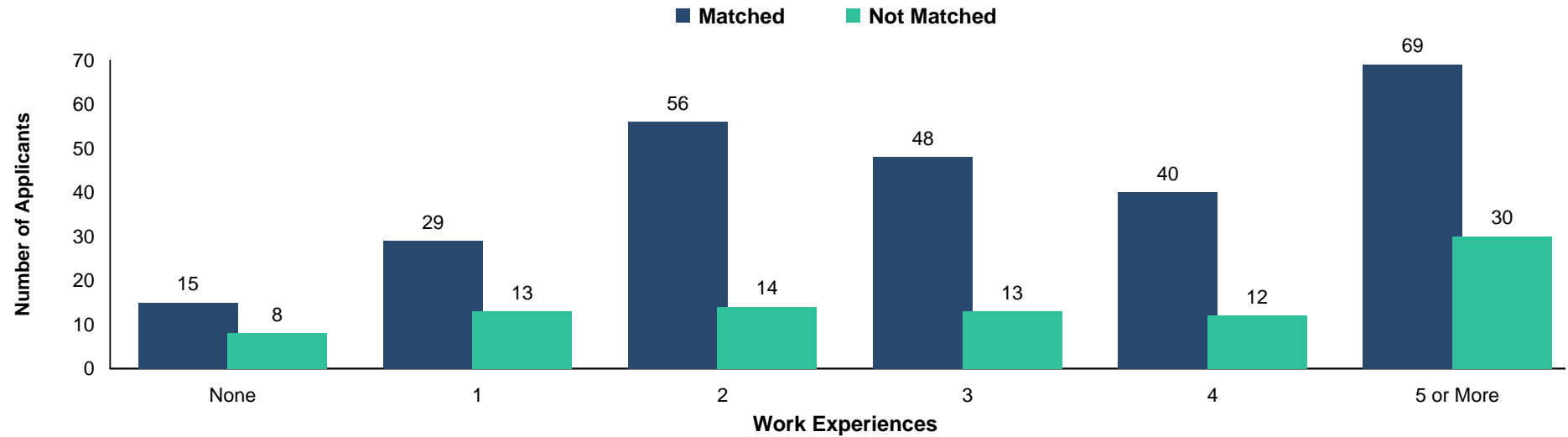
**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
Otolaryngology**



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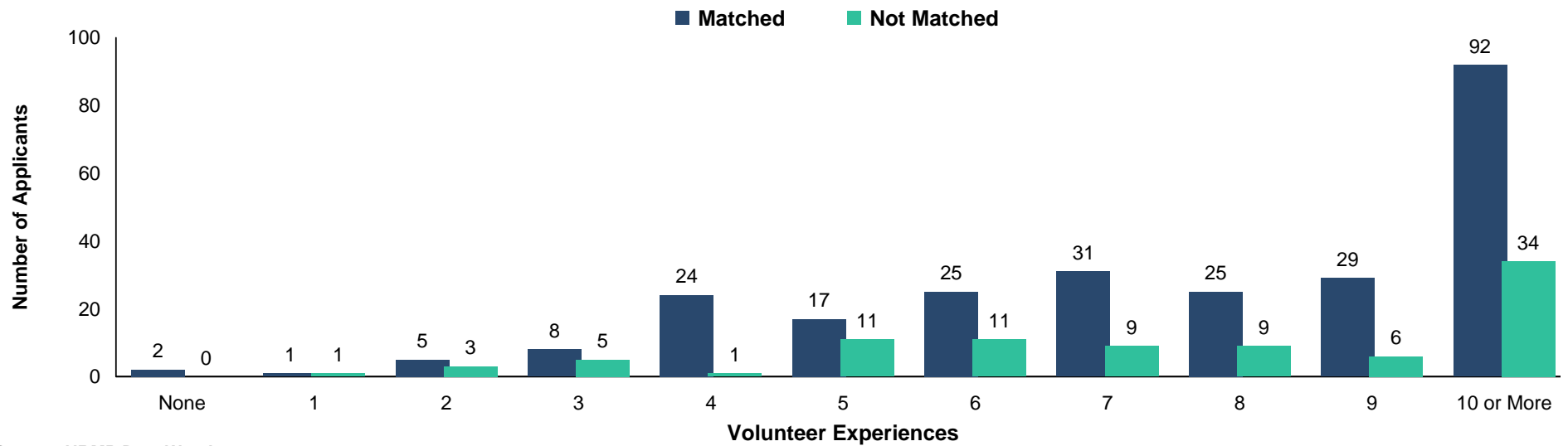
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**Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Otolaryngology**



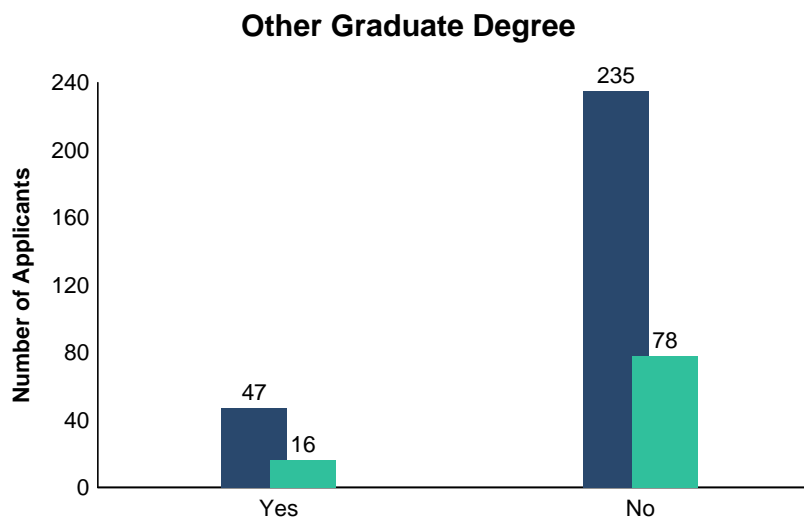
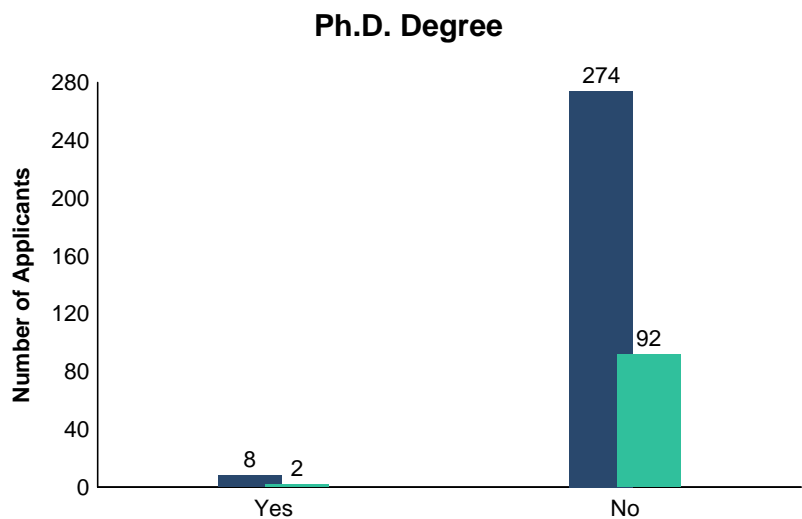
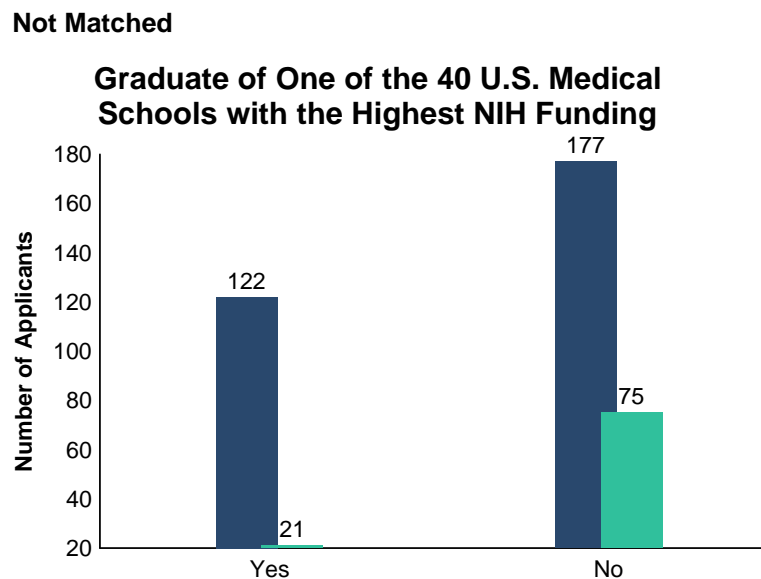
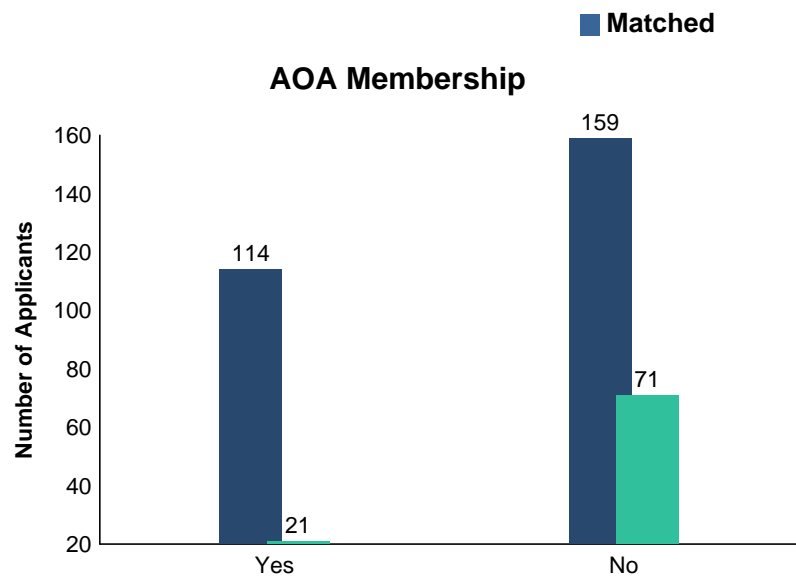
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**Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Otolaryngology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Otolaryngology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

PTH Pathology

**Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors
*Pathology***

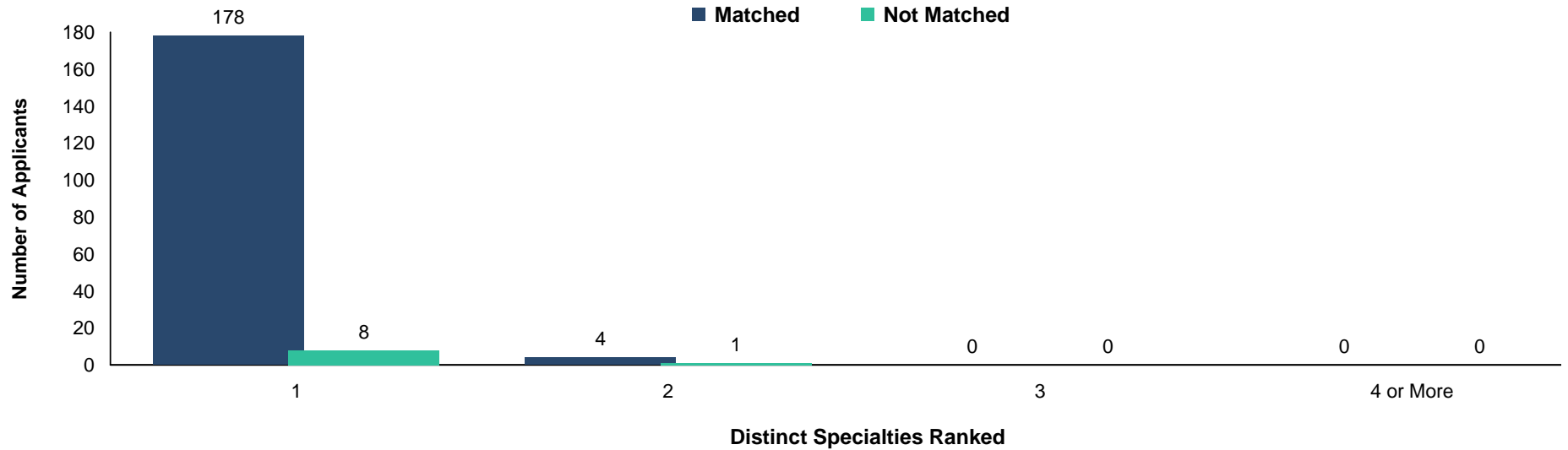
| Measure | Matched (n=182) | Unmatched (n=9) |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 10.9 | 5.1 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.0 | 1.1 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 233 | 210 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 242 | 225 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 3.3 | 2.3 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 7.3 | 3.7 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.4 | 3.0 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 6.2 | 4.1 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 11.0 | 0.0 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 36.3 | 11.1 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 27.3 | 11.1 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 14.2 | 44.4 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

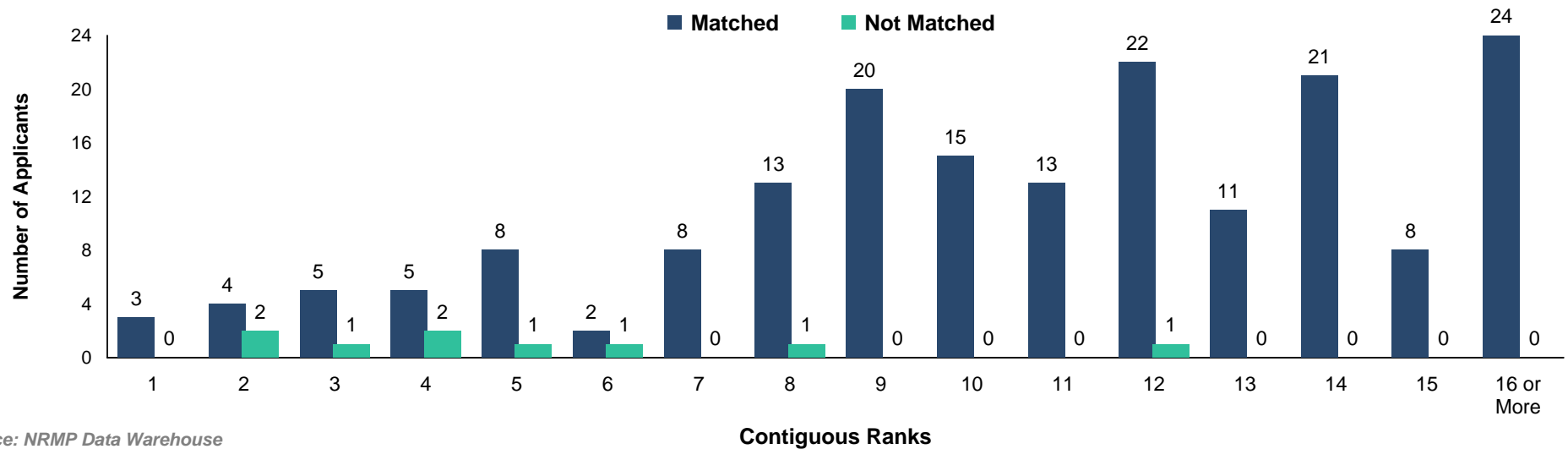
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**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
Pathology**



**Chart
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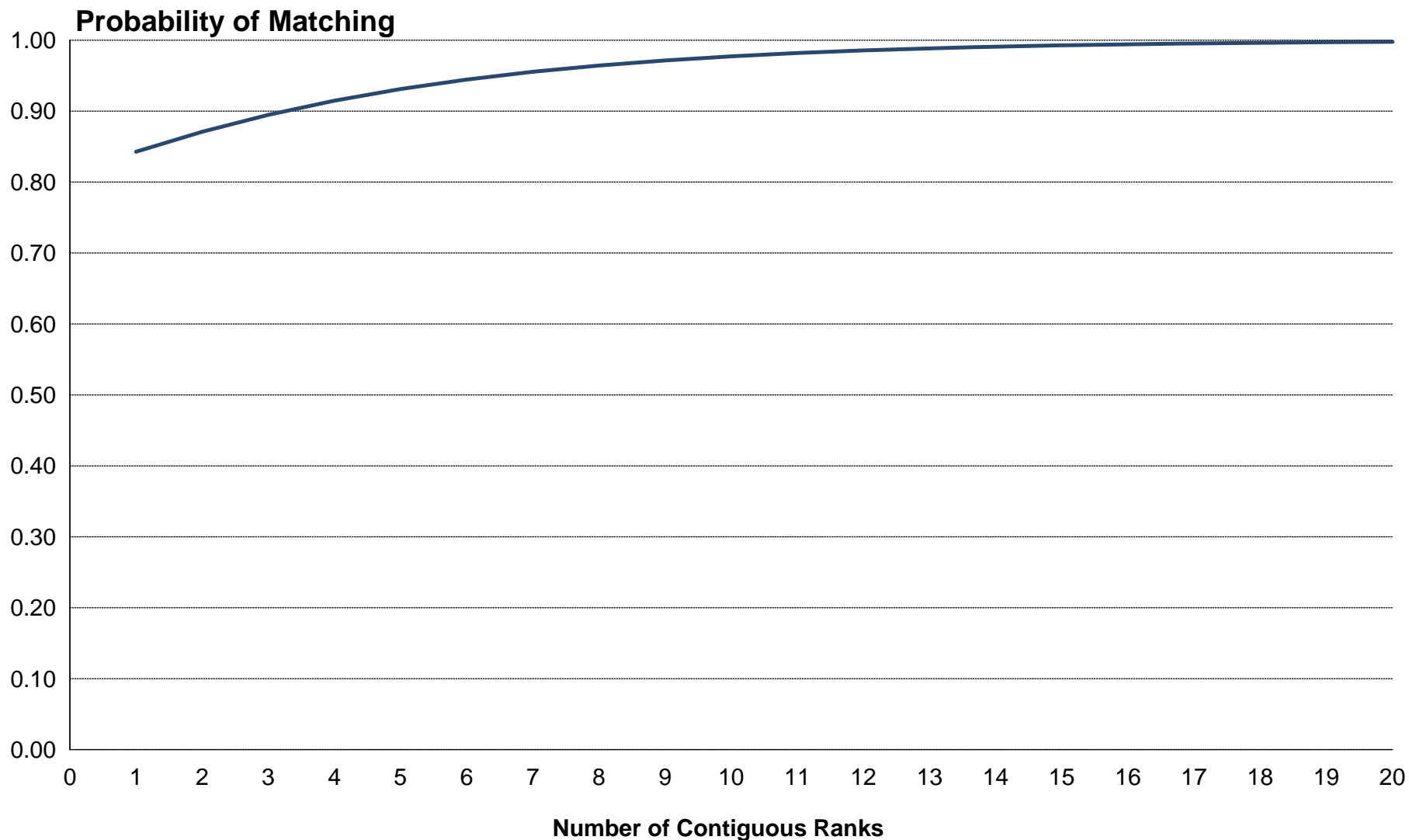
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
Pathology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

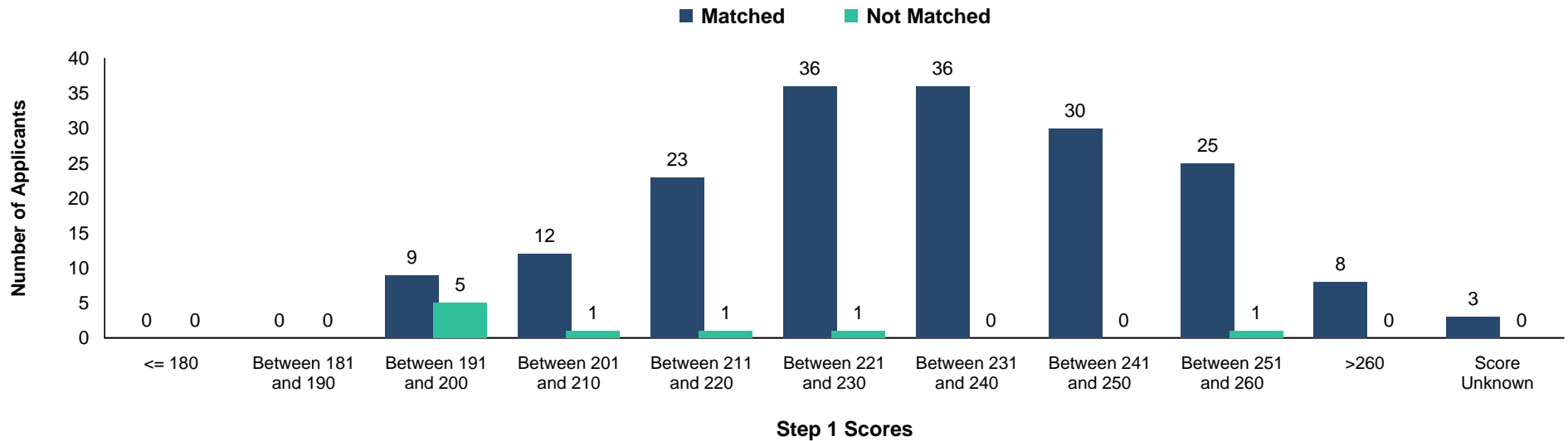
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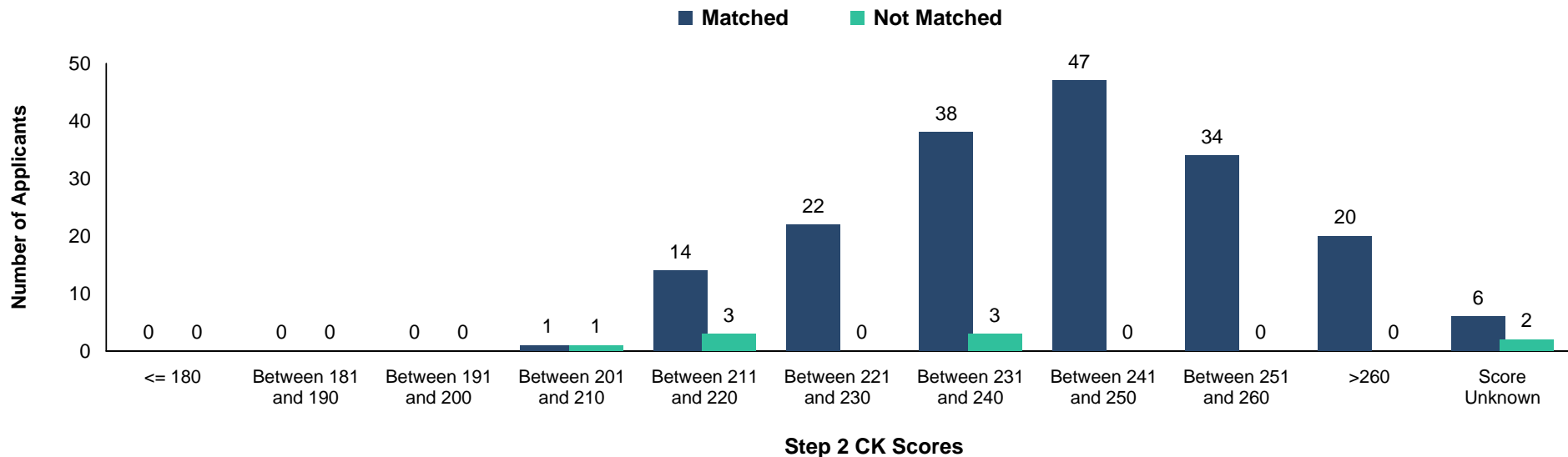
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Pathology**



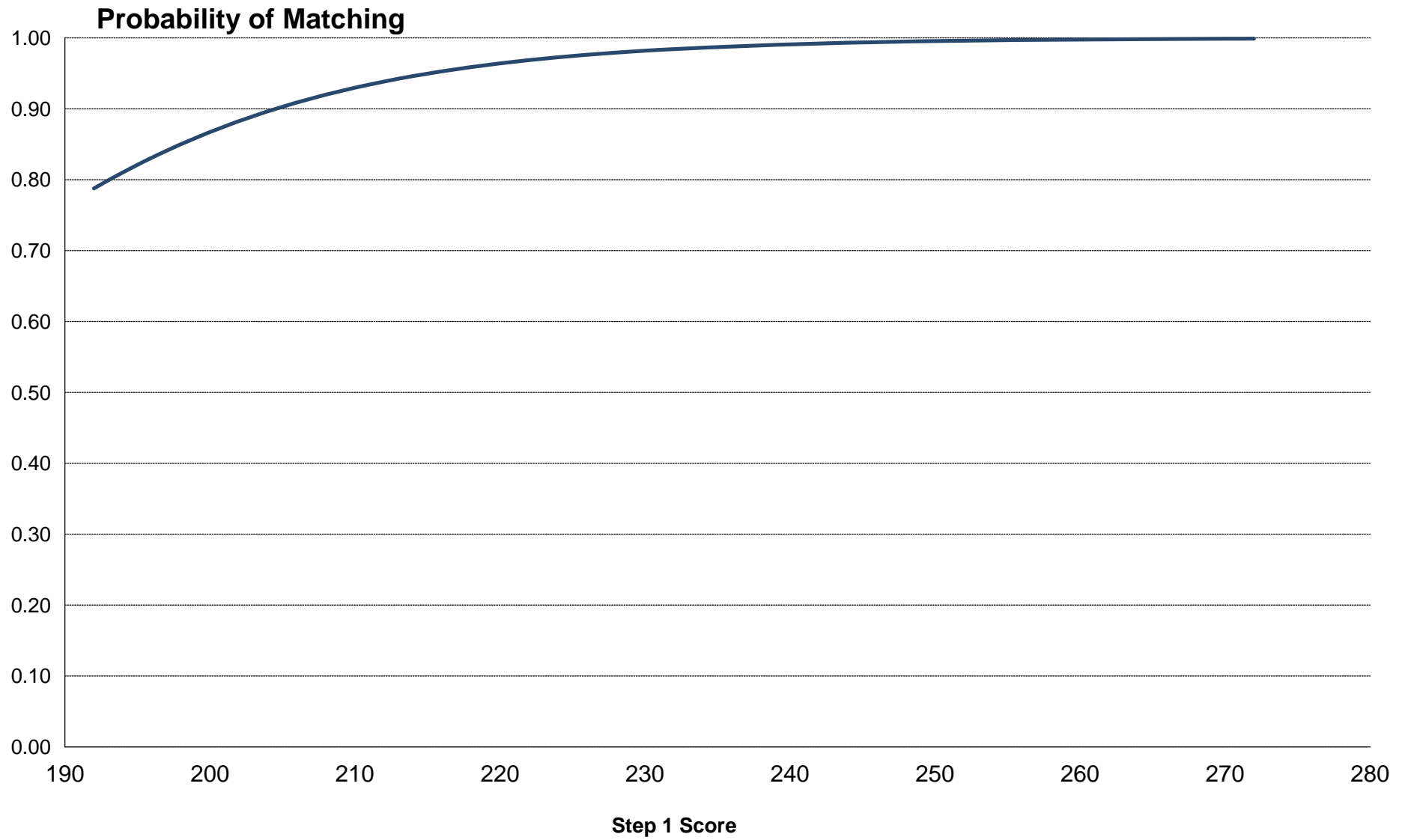
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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Pathology**



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

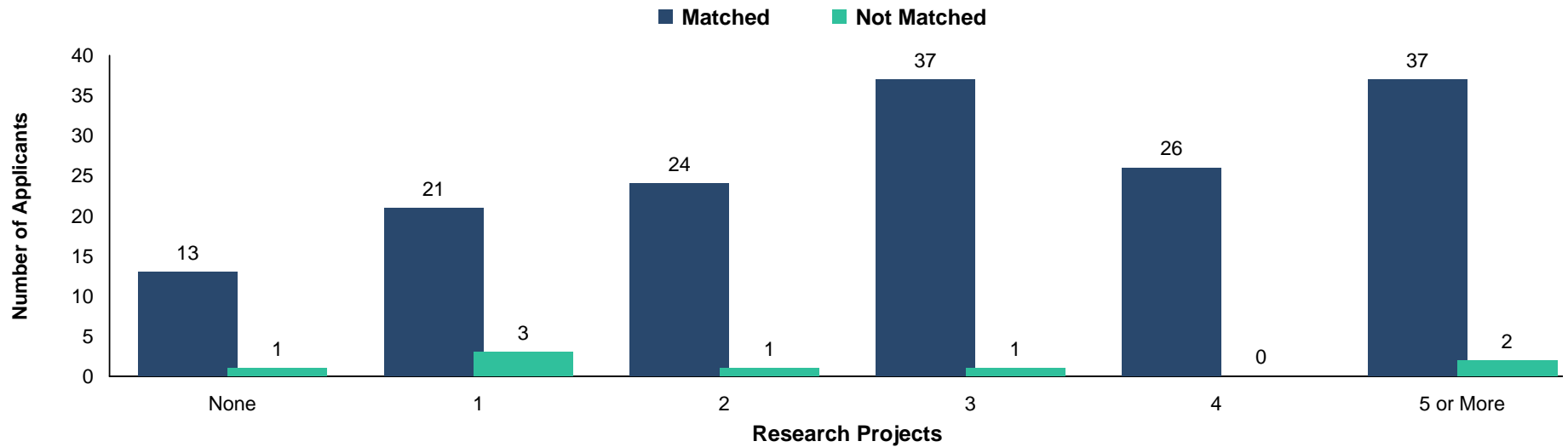
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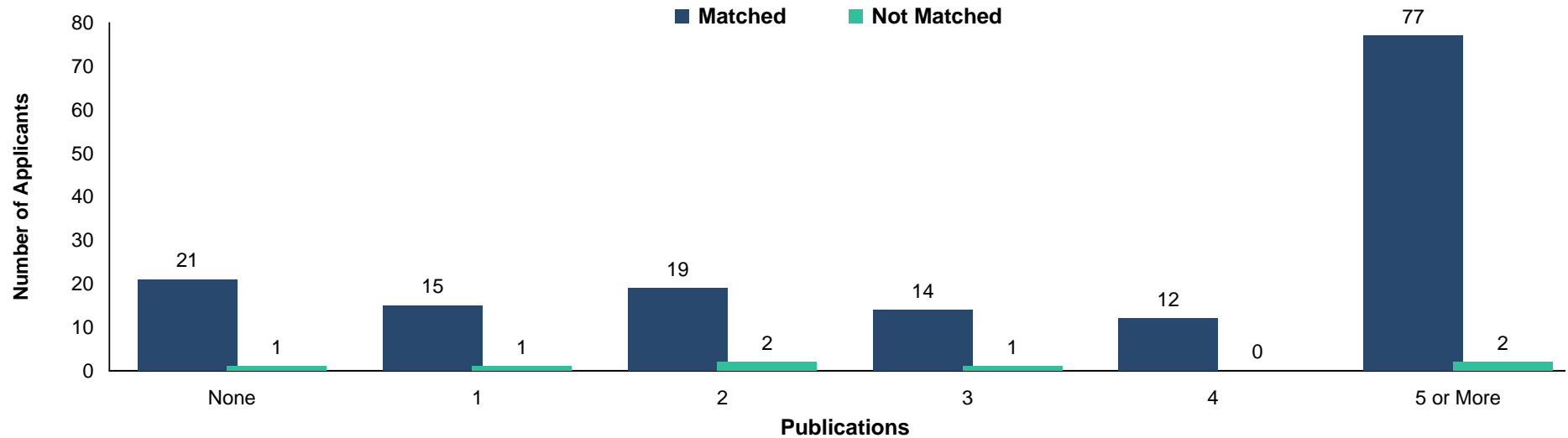
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**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
Pathology**



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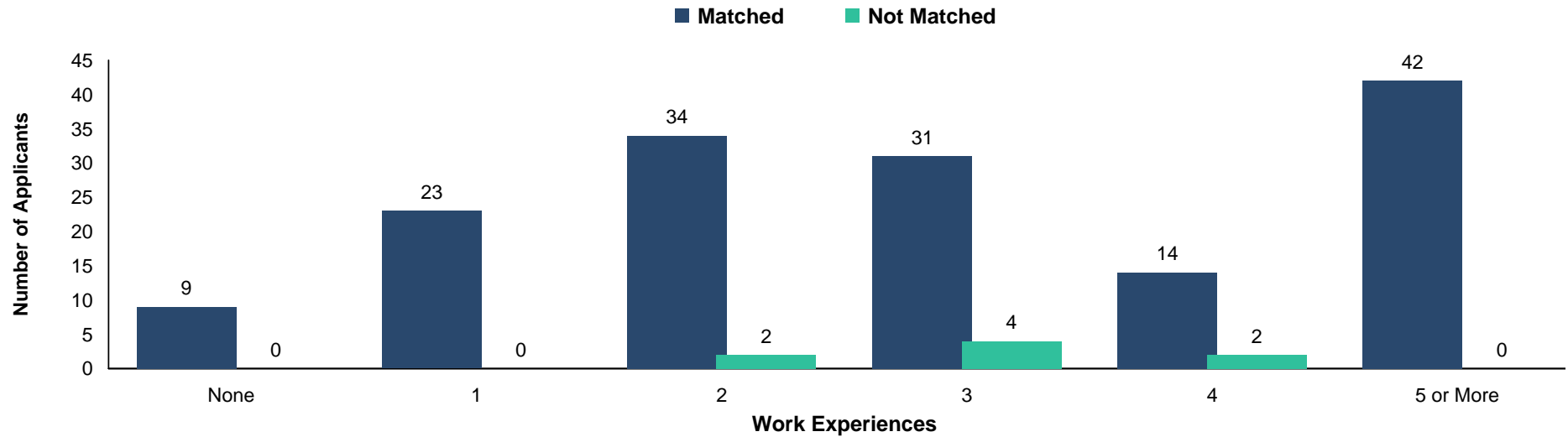
**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
Pathology**



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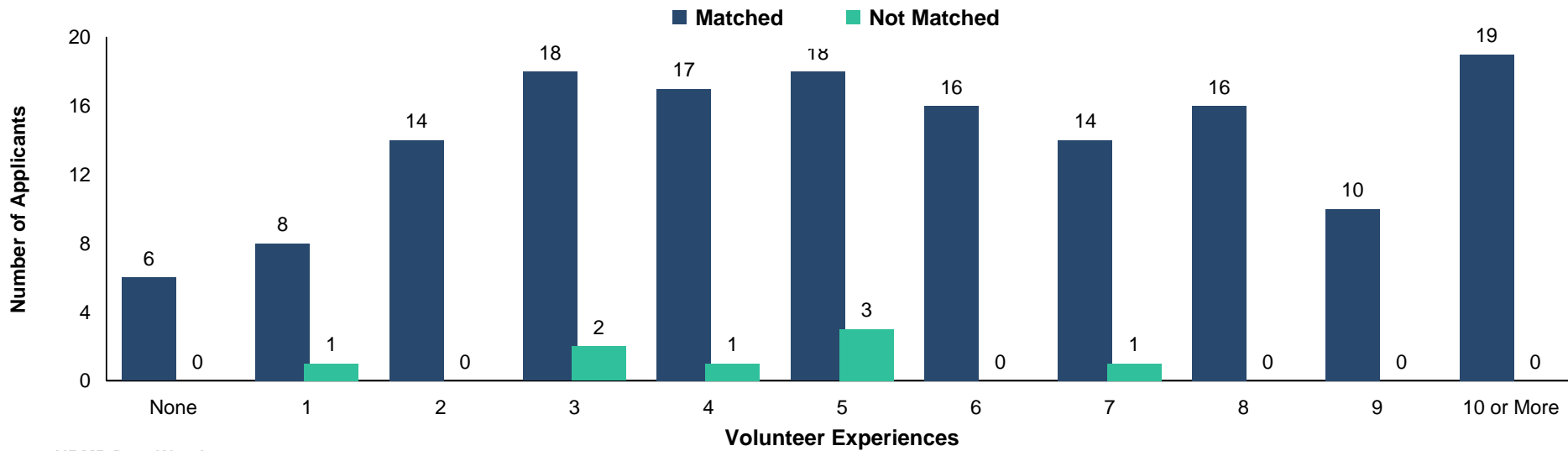
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Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Pathology



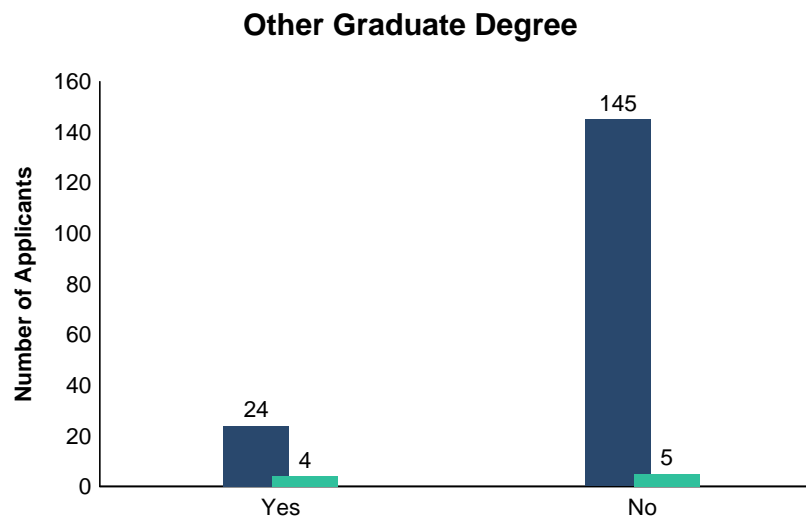
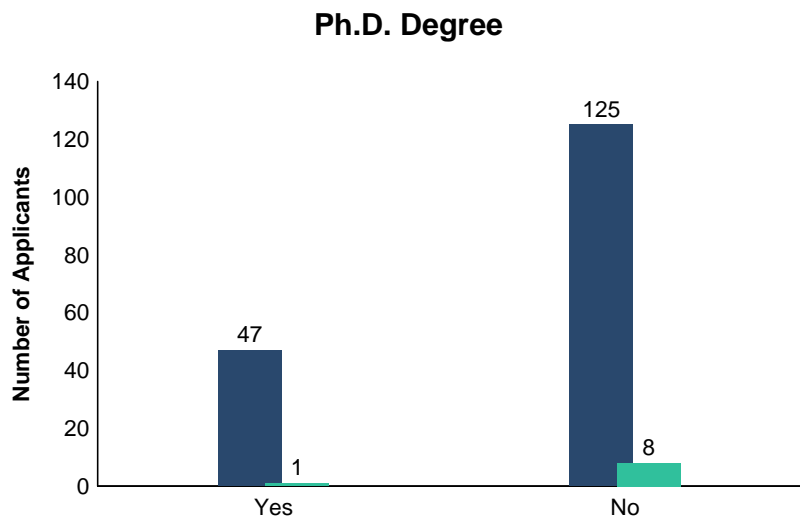
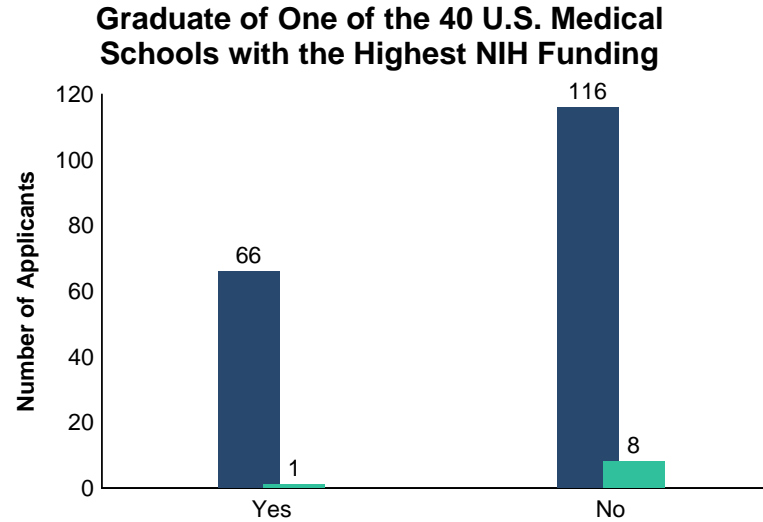
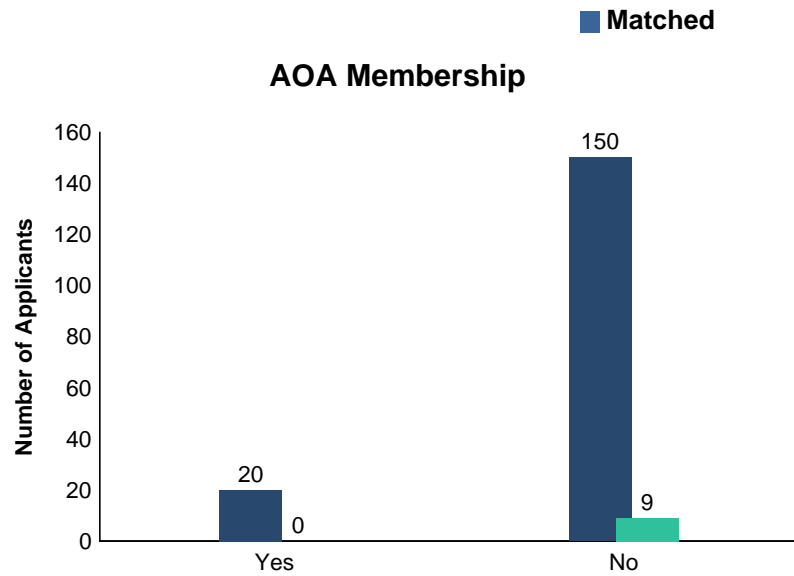
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Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Pathology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Pathology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

PD Pediatrics

Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors *Pediatrics*

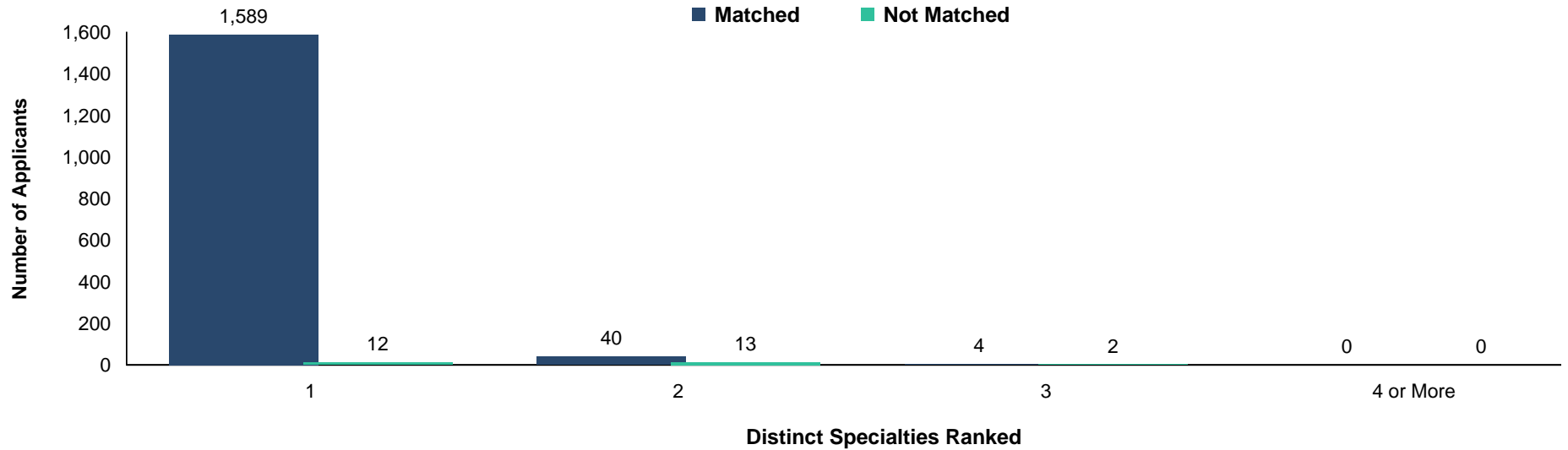
| Measure | Matched (n=1,633) | Unmatched (n=27) |
|---|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 12.9 | 4.6 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.0 | 1.6 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 228 | 215 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 245 | 232 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 2.9 | 2.6 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 4.9 | 4.6 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.3 | 3.0 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 8.8 | 9.3 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 12.3 | 3.7 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 26.9 | 14.8 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 3.8 | 4.5 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 15.9 | 18.2 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

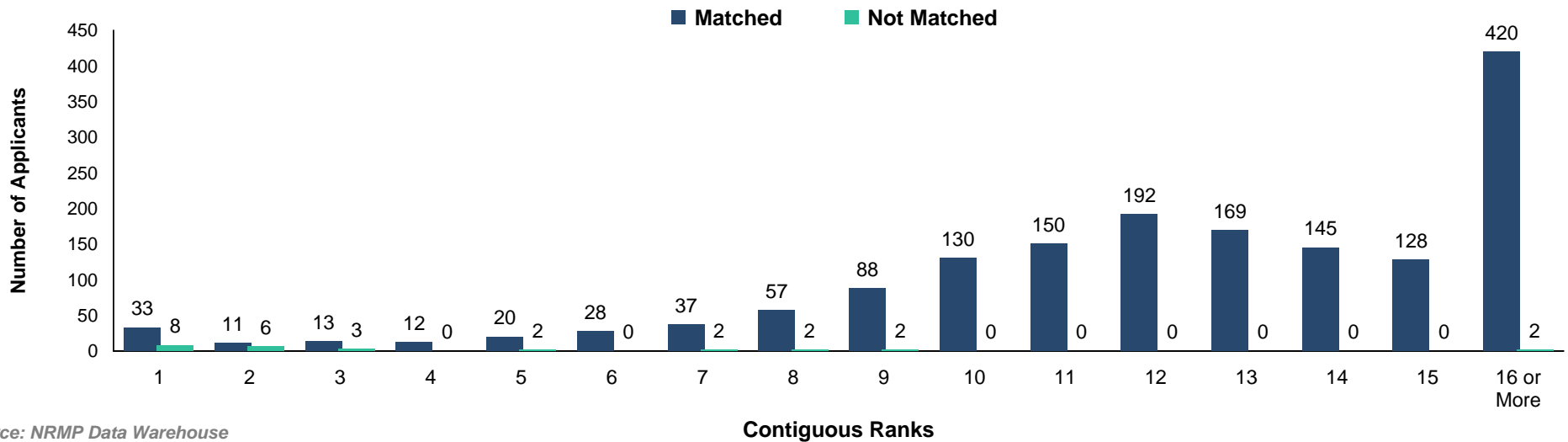
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**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
*Pediatrics***



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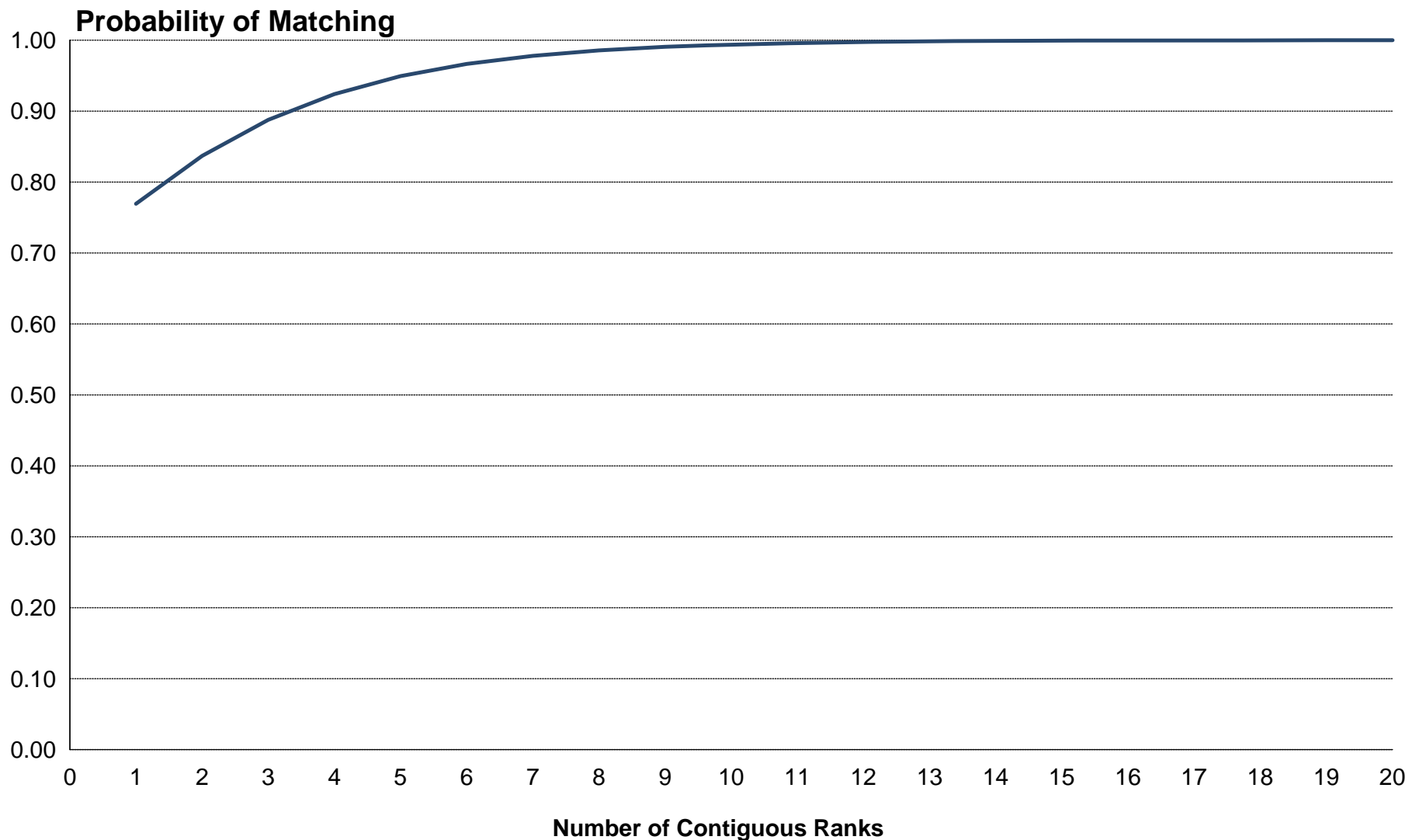
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
*Pediatrics***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

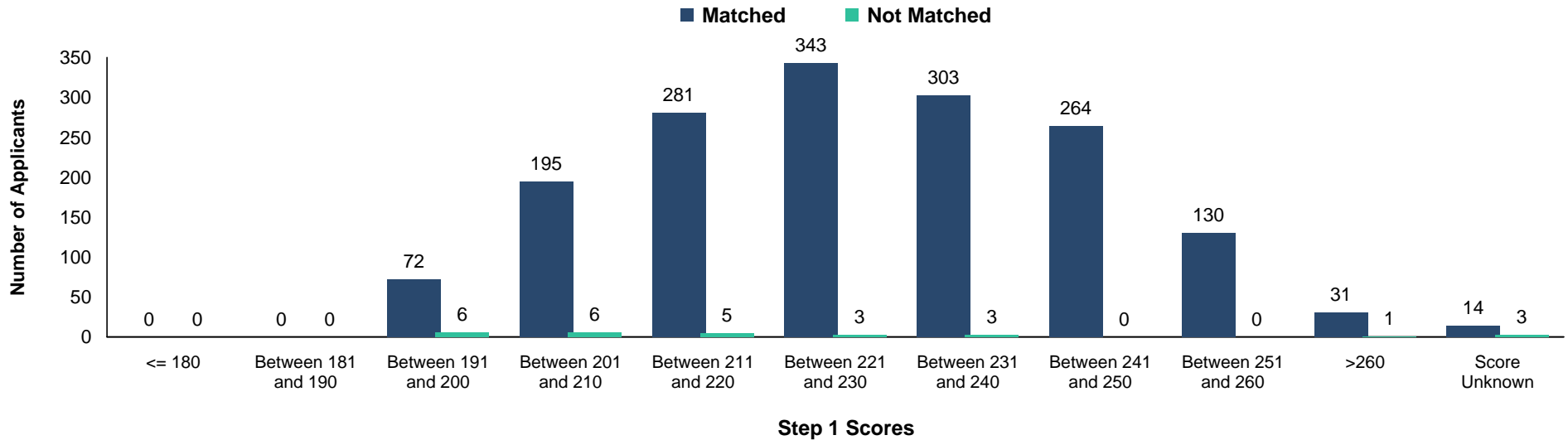
Pediatrics



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

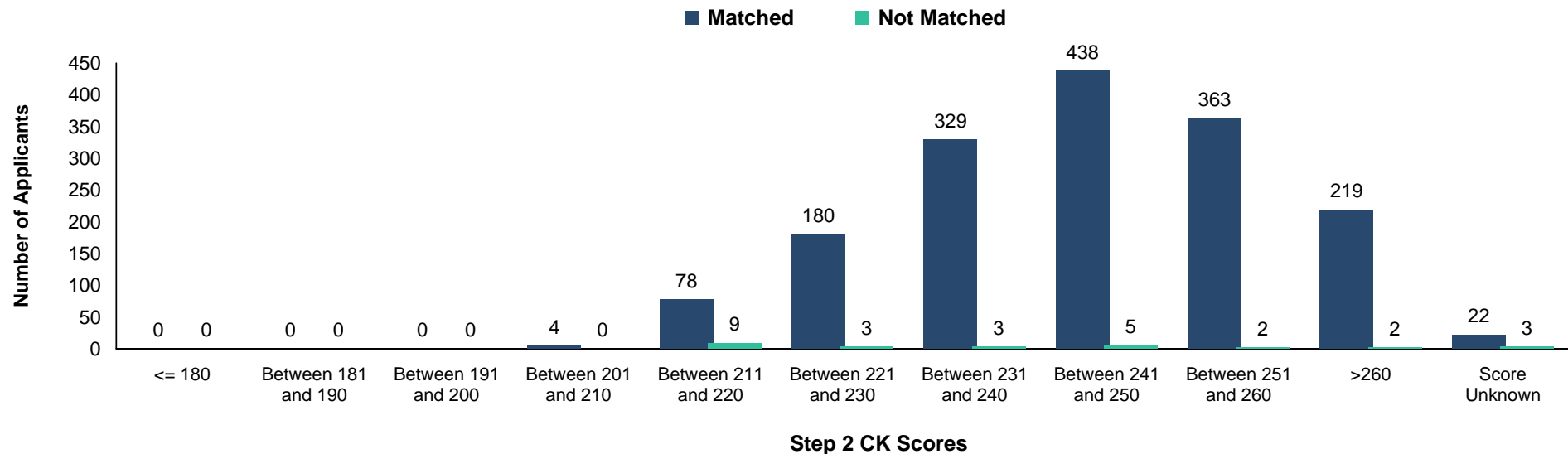
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
*Pediatrics***



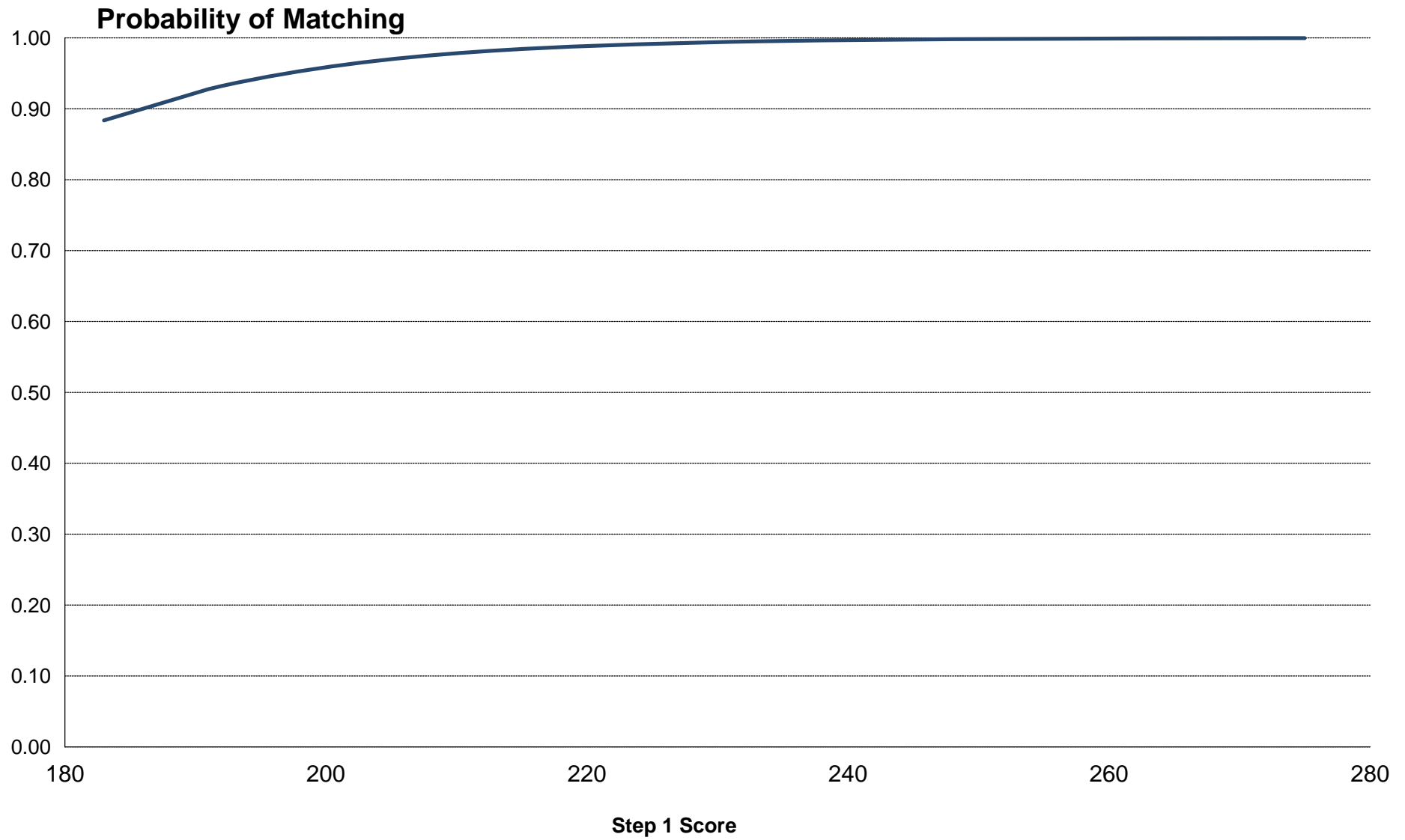
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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
*Pediatrics***



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

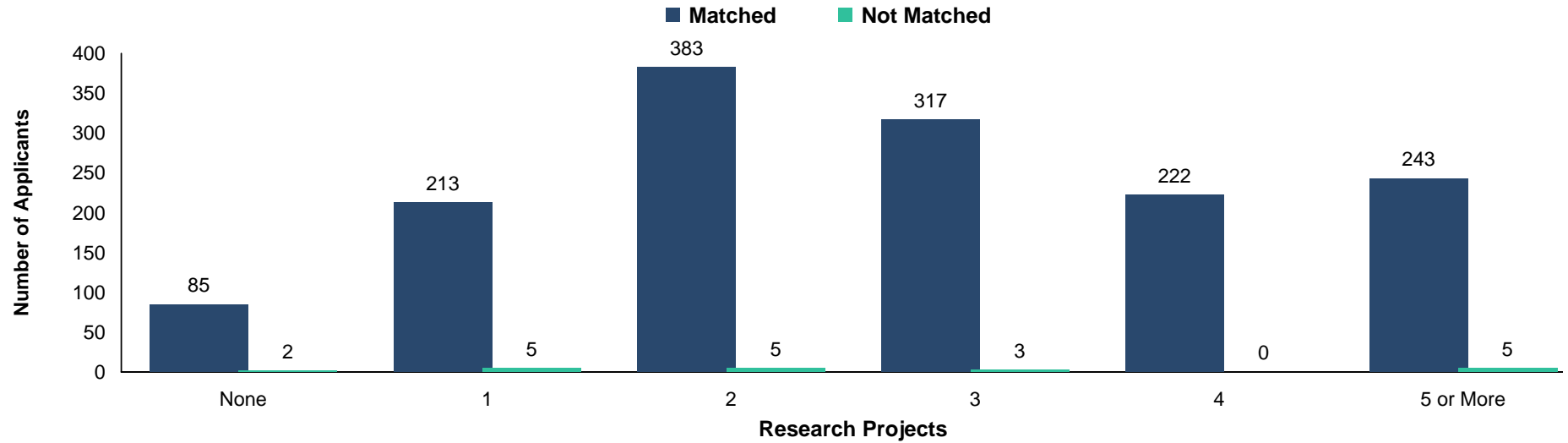
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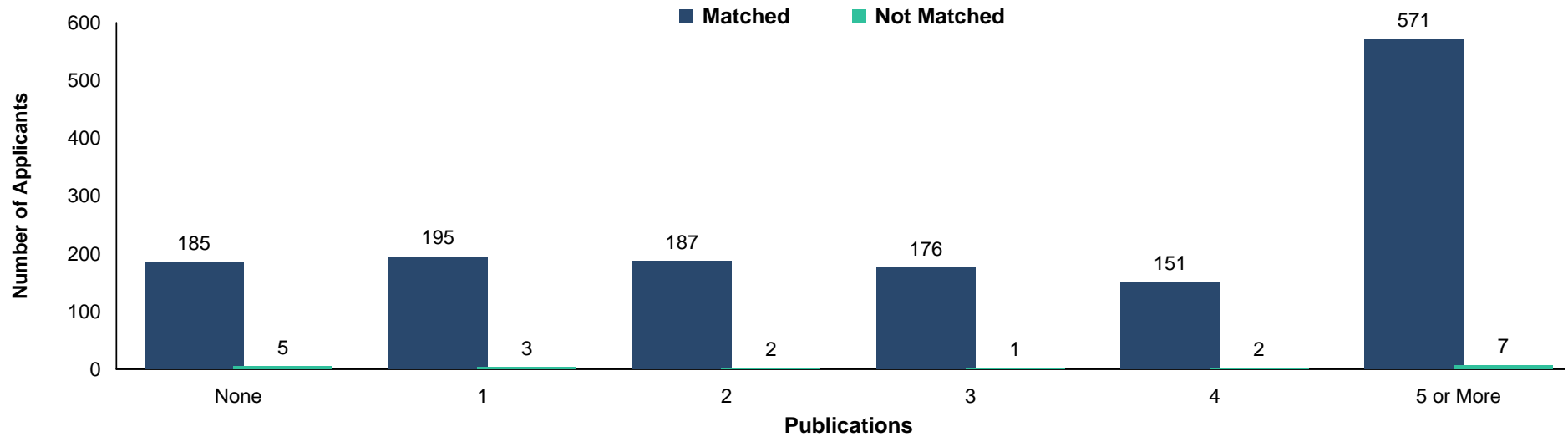
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**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
*Pediatrics***



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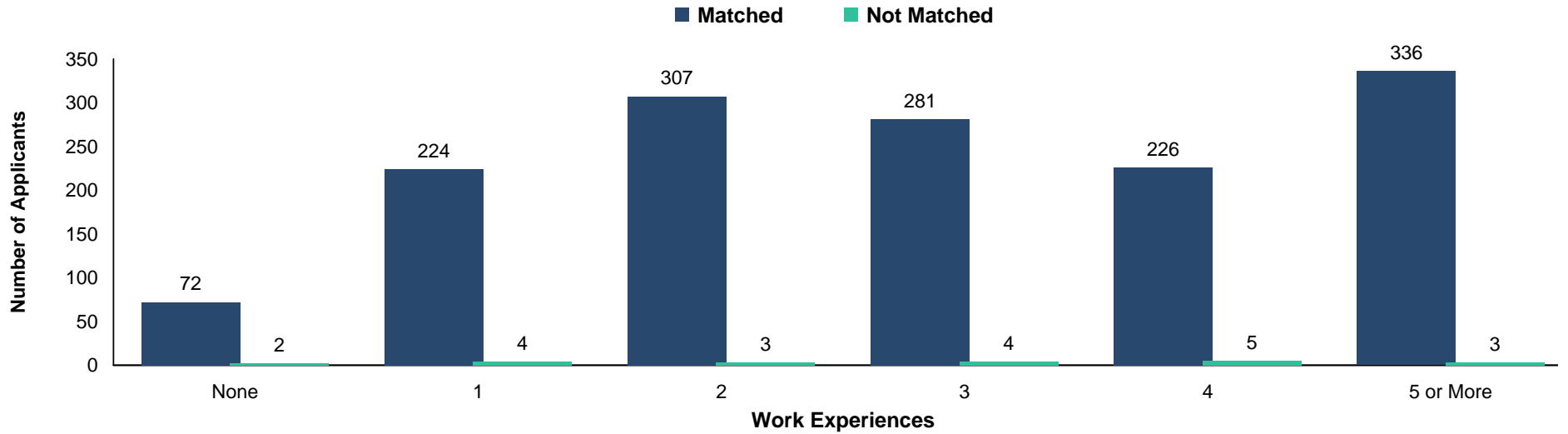
**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
*Pediatrics***



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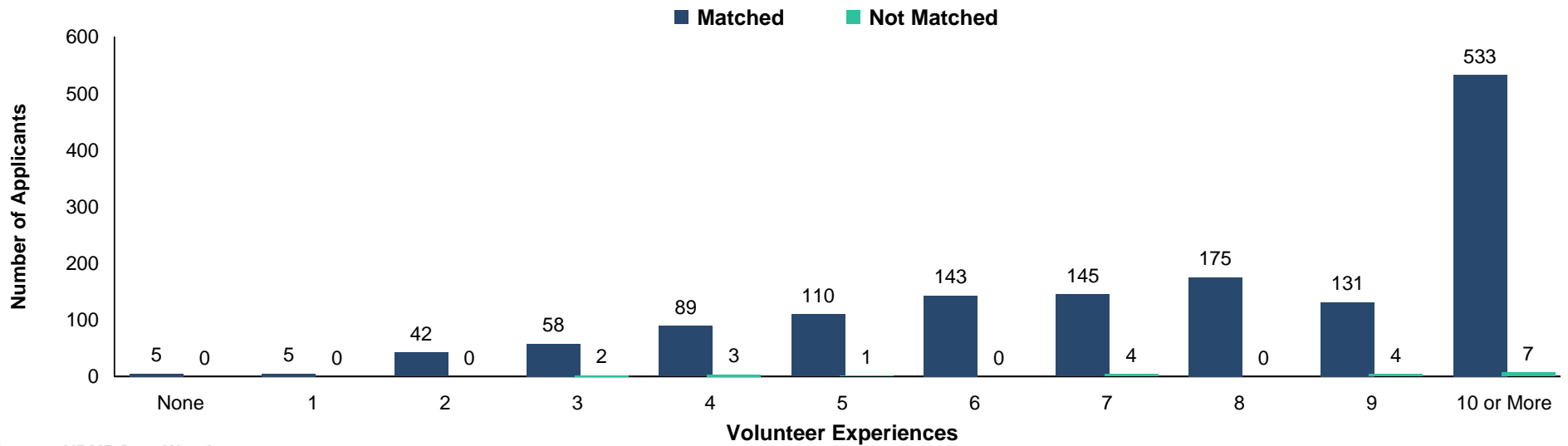
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**Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
*Pediatrics***



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**Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
*Pediatrics***

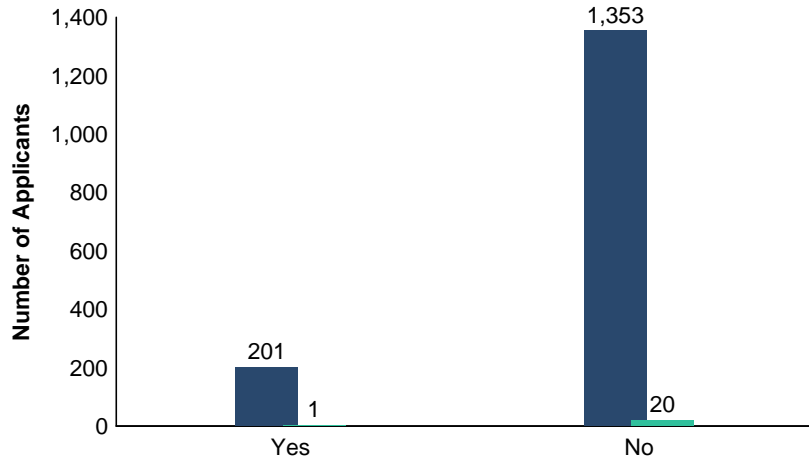


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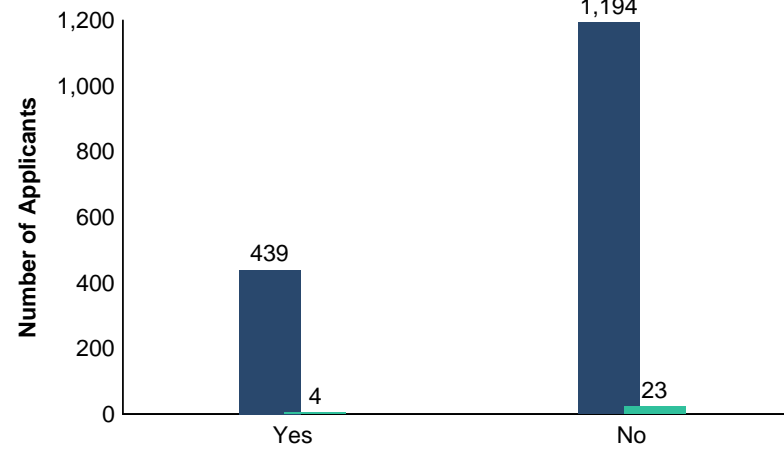
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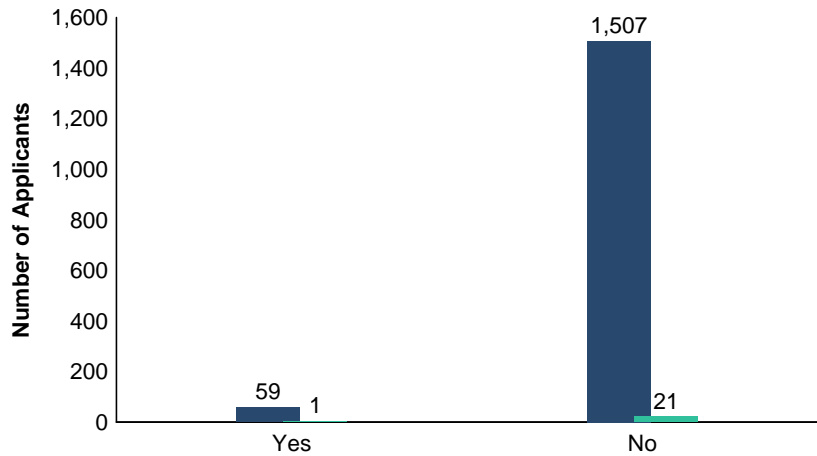
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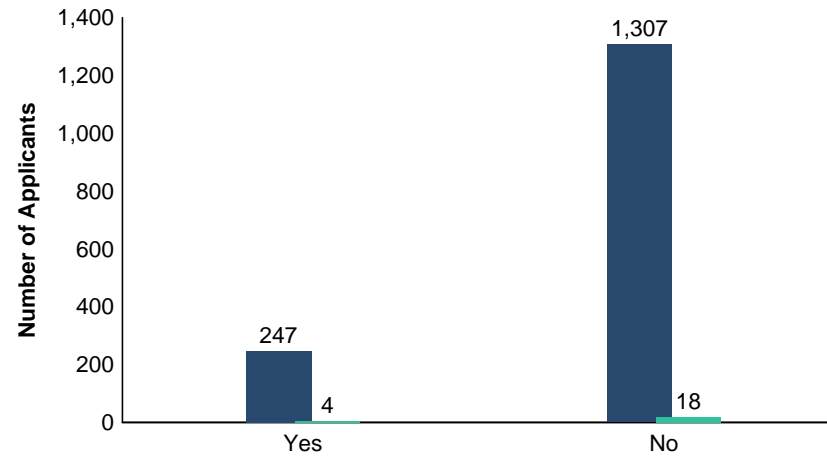
Graduate of One of the 40 U.S. Medical Schools with the Highest NIH Funding



Ph.D. Degree



Other Graduate Degree



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

PM Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation

**Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation**

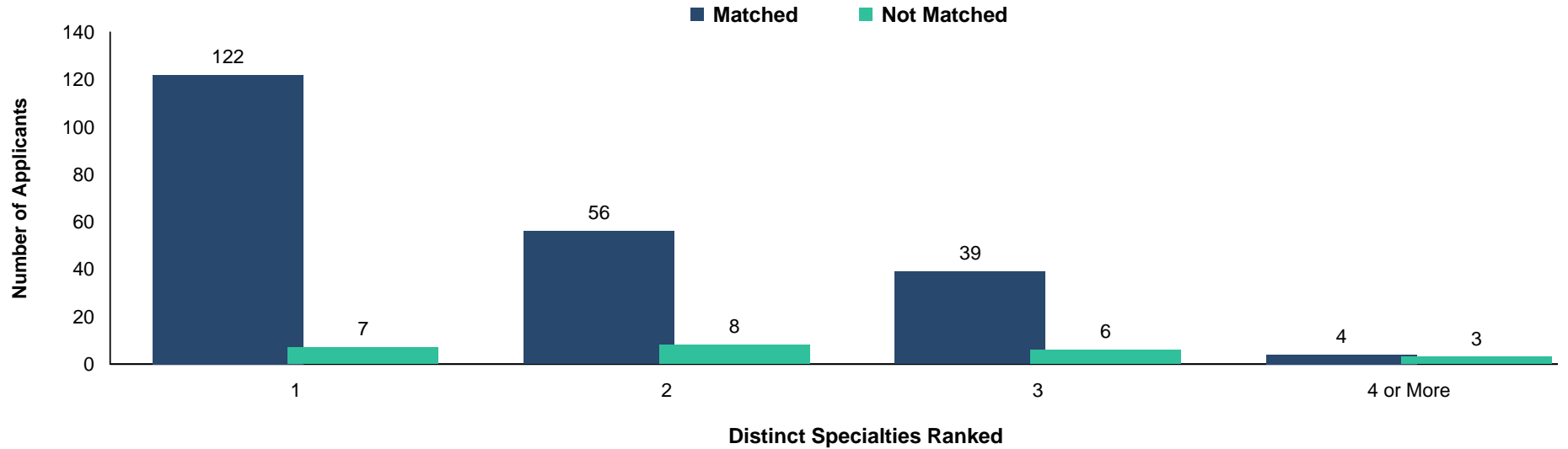
| Measure | Matched (n=221) | Unmatched (n=25) |
|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 13.5 | 6.2 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.7 | 2.3 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 228 | 216 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 241 | 228 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 3.1 | 3.0 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 5.5 | 5.5 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.5 | 3.3 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 8.3 | 8.5 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 5.0 | 0.0 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 21.7 | 20.0 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 1.4 | 4.5 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 12.2 | 18.2 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

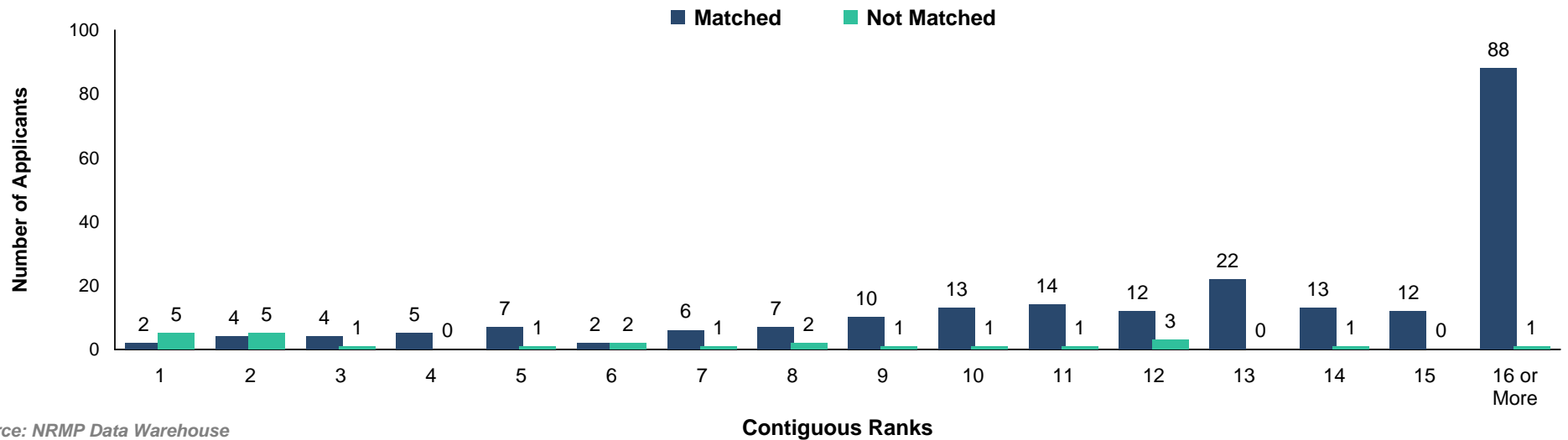
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Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation



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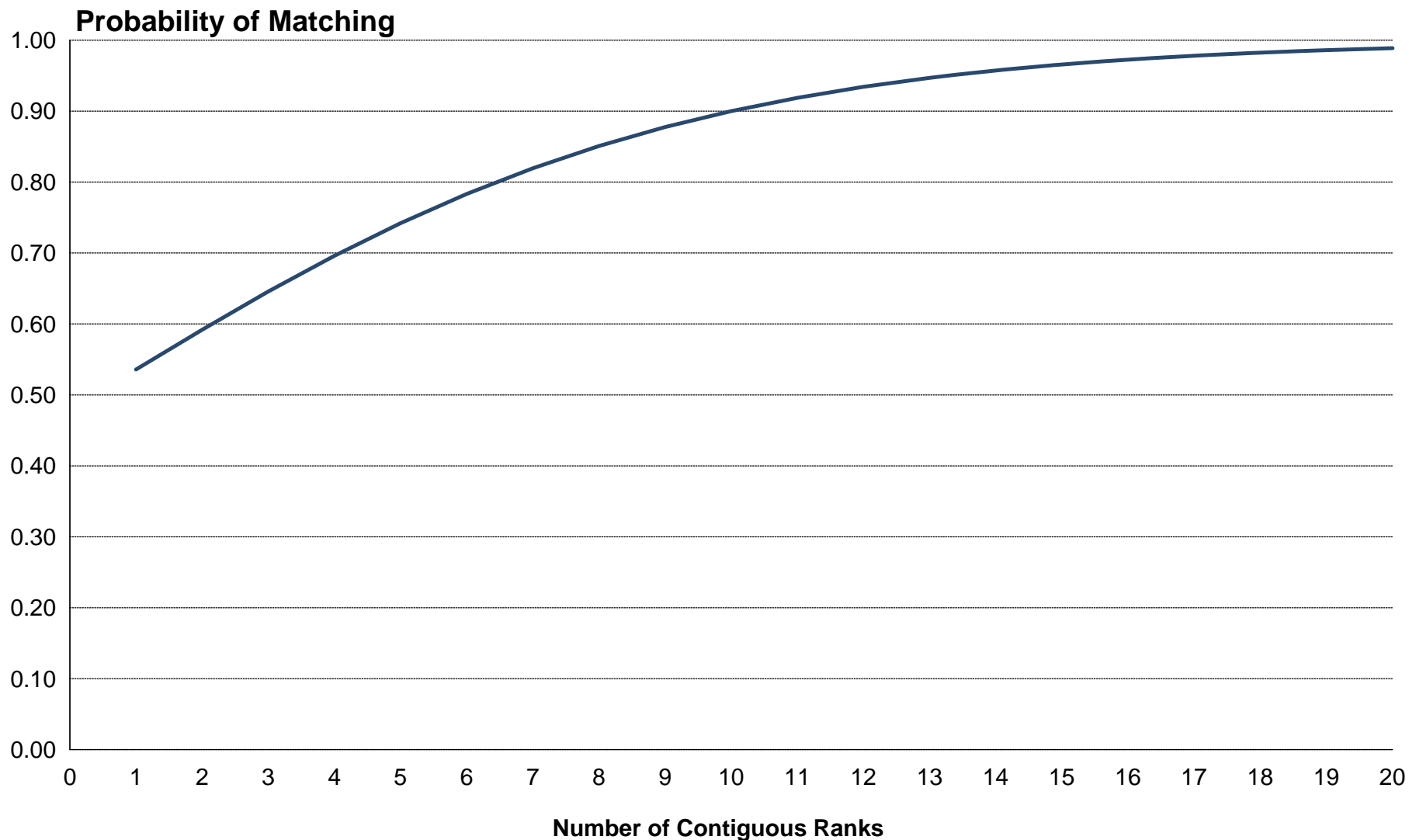
Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

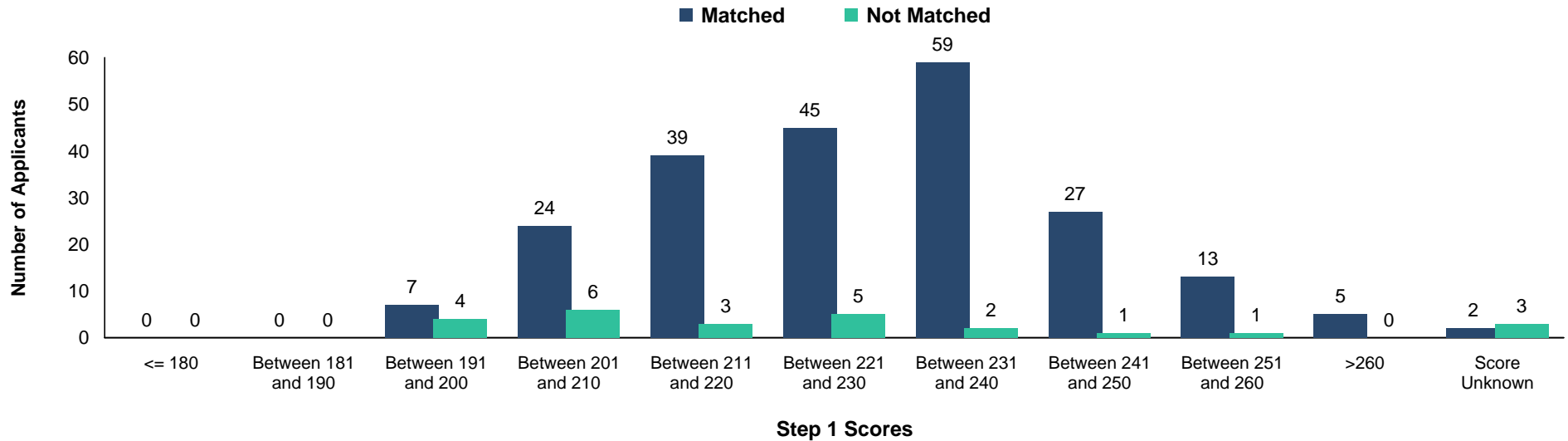
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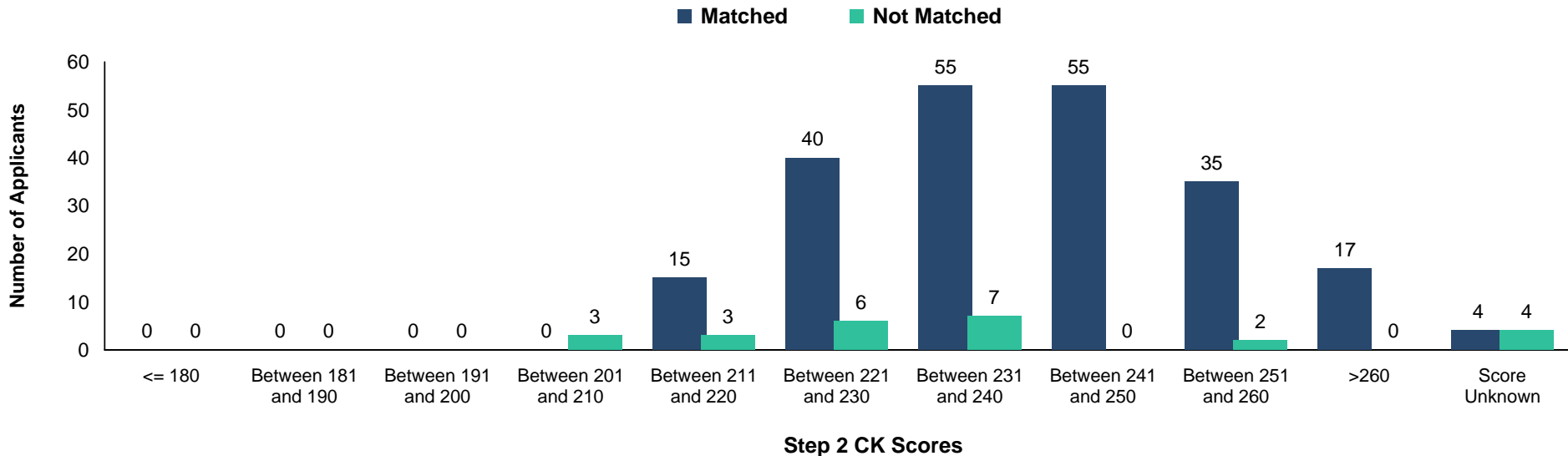
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USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation



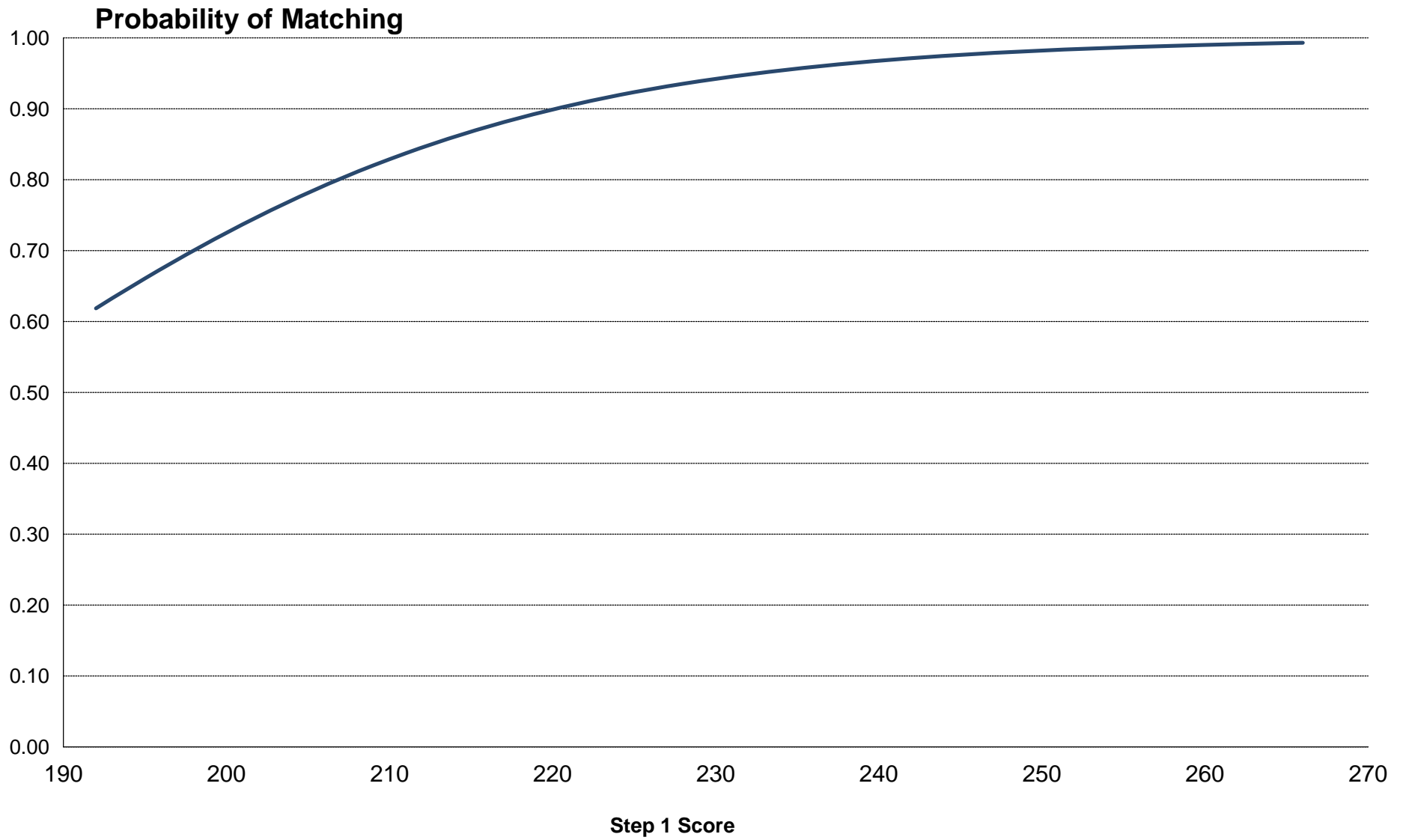
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USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

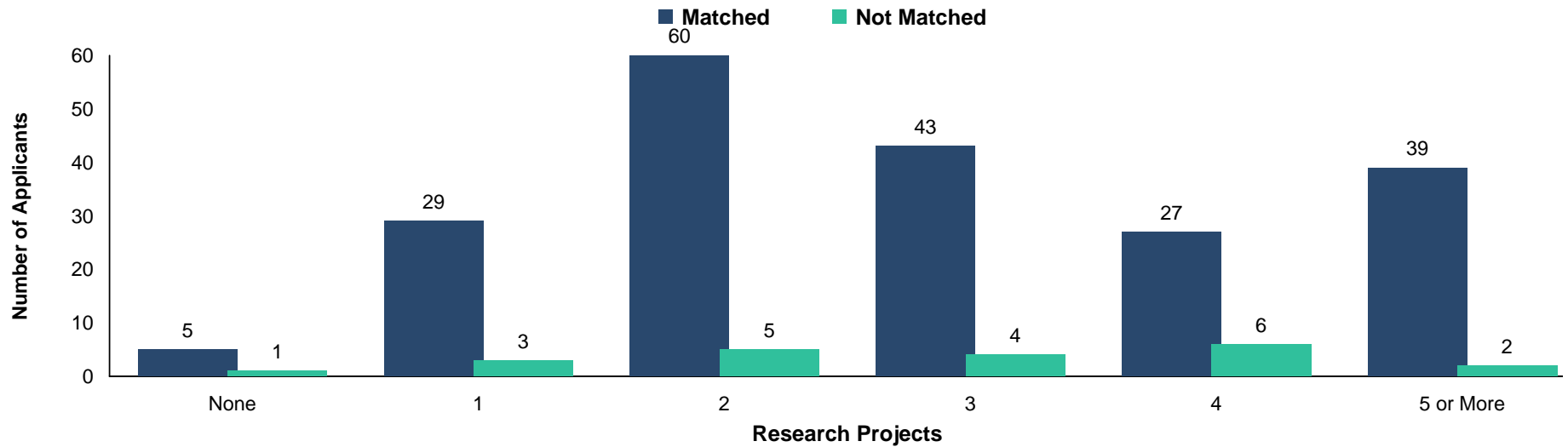
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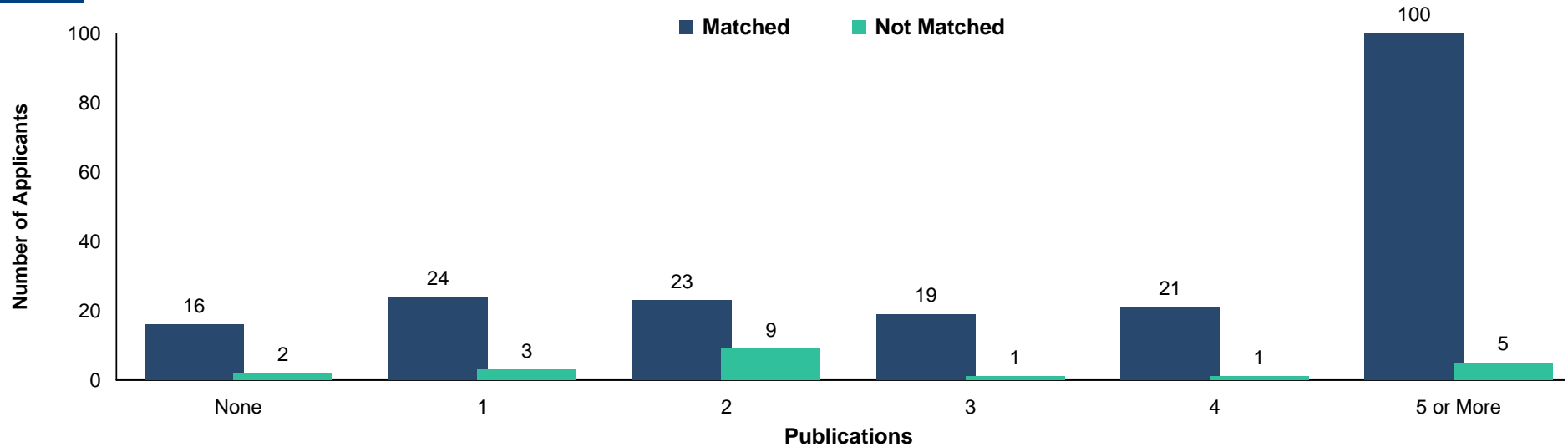
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Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors *Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation*



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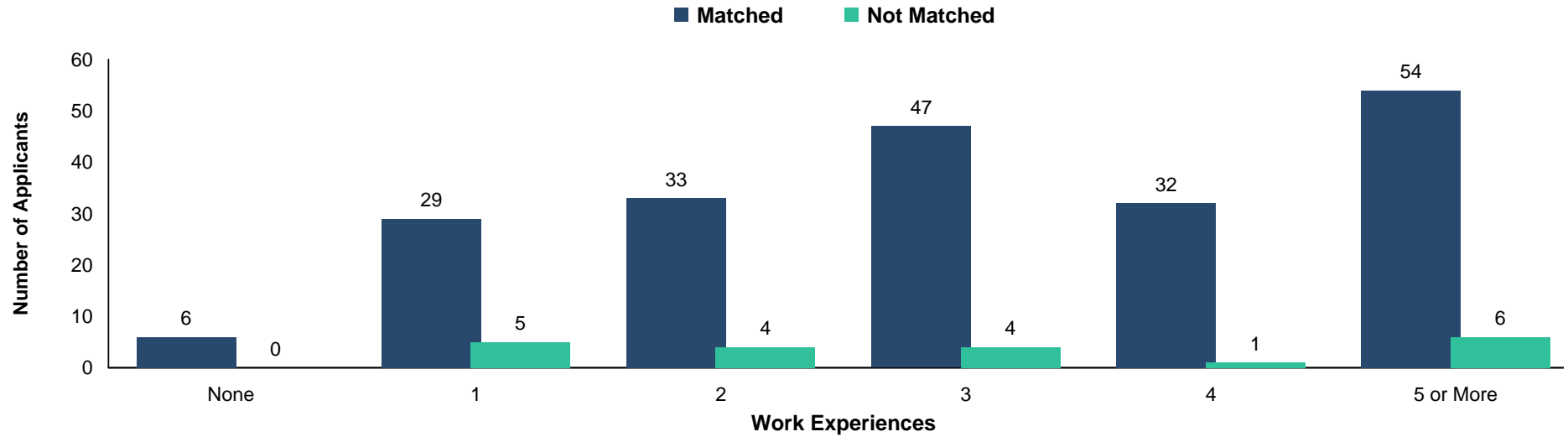
Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors *Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation*



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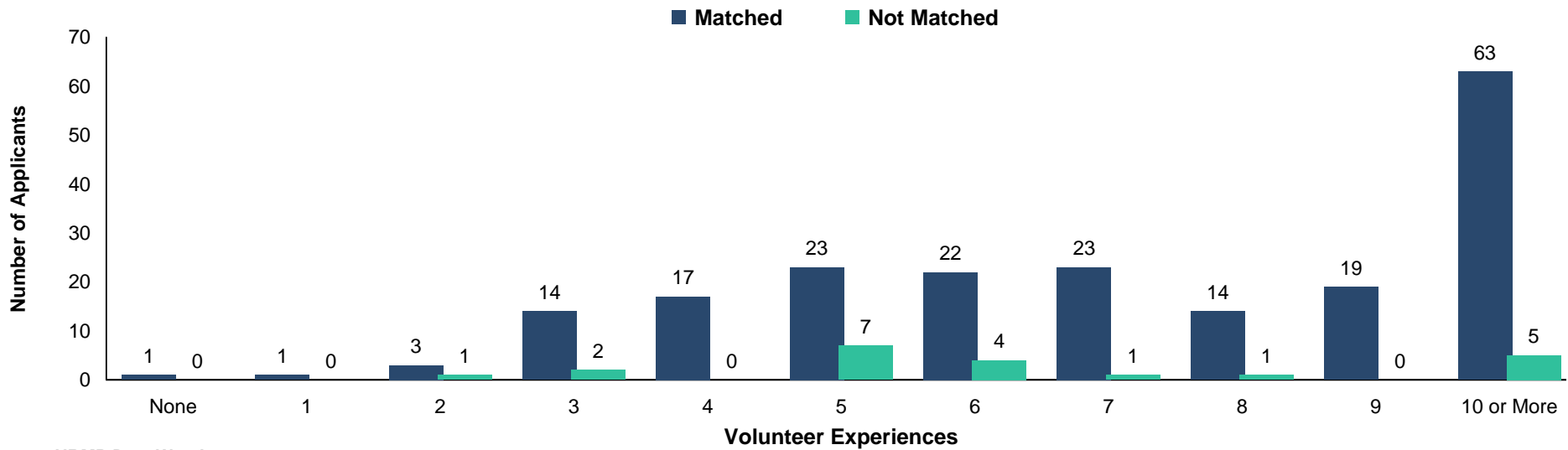
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Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation



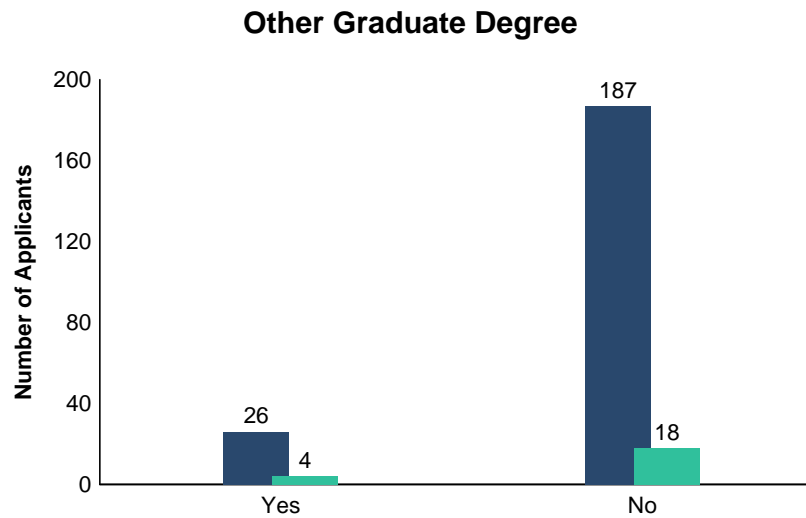
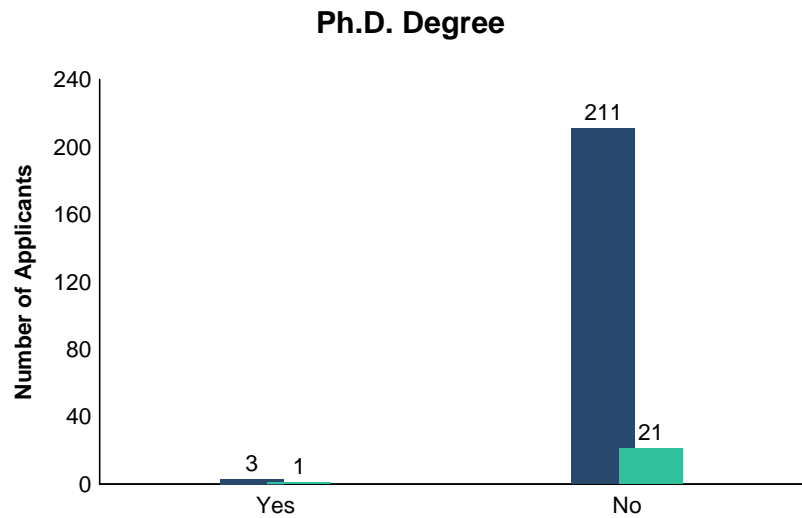
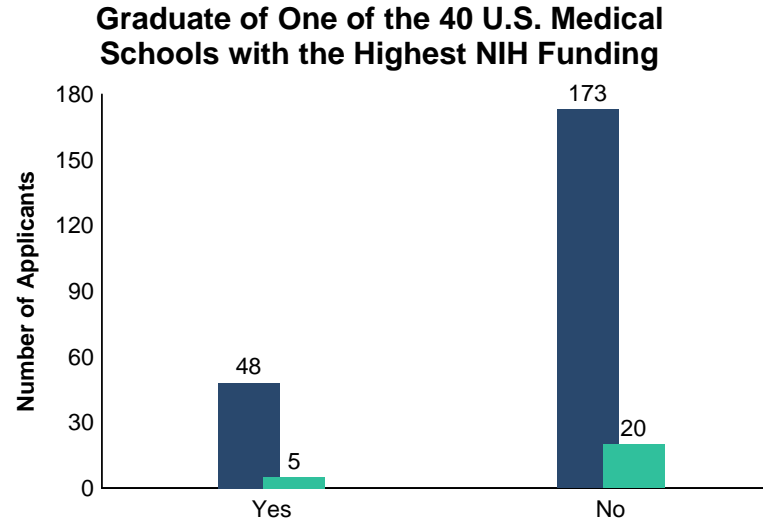
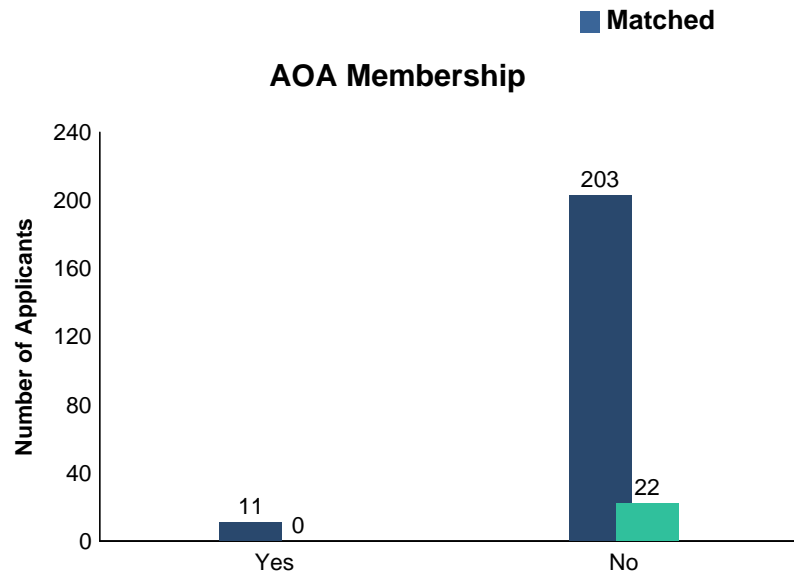
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Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

PS Plastic Surgery

**Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors
Plastic Surgery**

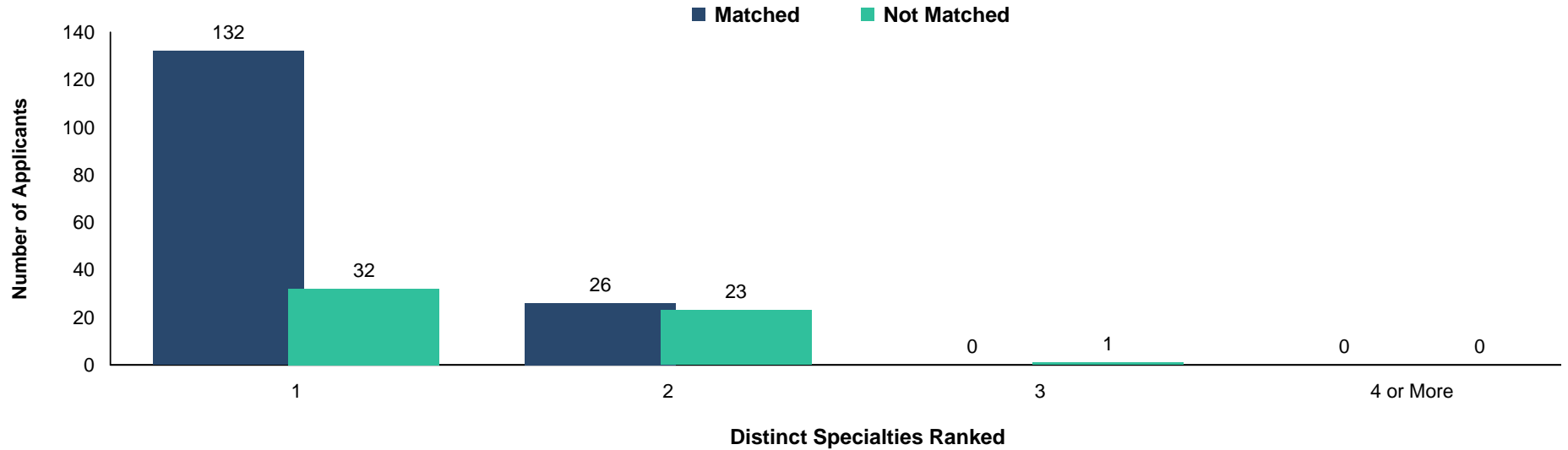
| Measure | Matched (n=158) | Unmatched (n=56) |
|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 13.7 | 7.3 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.2 | 1.4 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 249 | 245 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 256 | 250 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 5.9 | 5.9 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 19.1 | 11.6 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.7 | 3.7 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 8.7 | 7.4 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 43.0 | 19.6 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 34.2 | 28.6 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 2.0 | 3.8 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 22.2 | 28.8 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

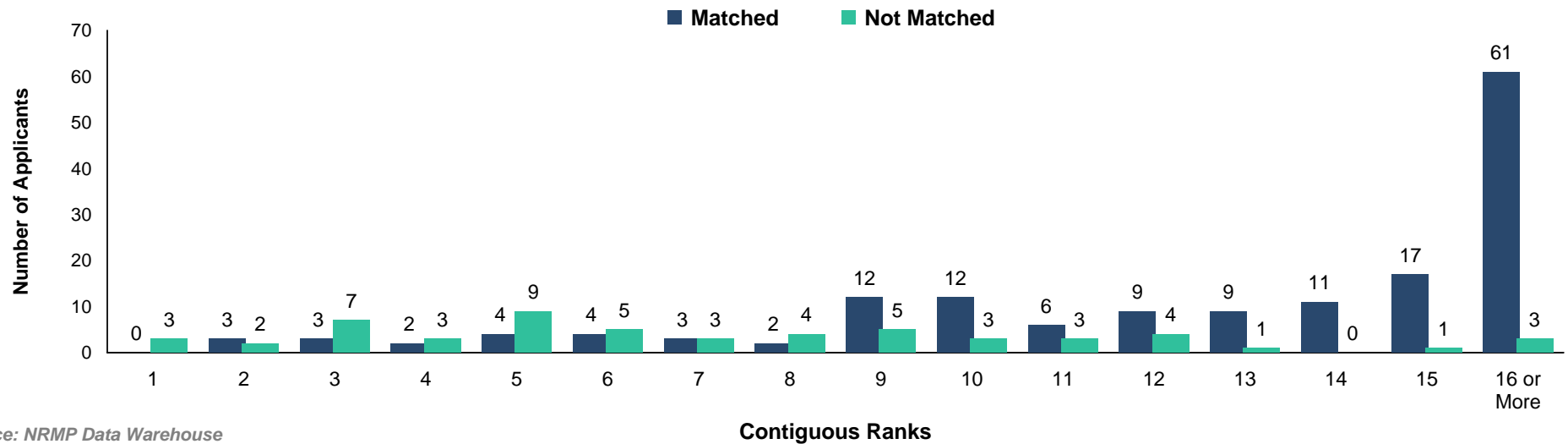
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**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
Plastic Surgery**



**Chart
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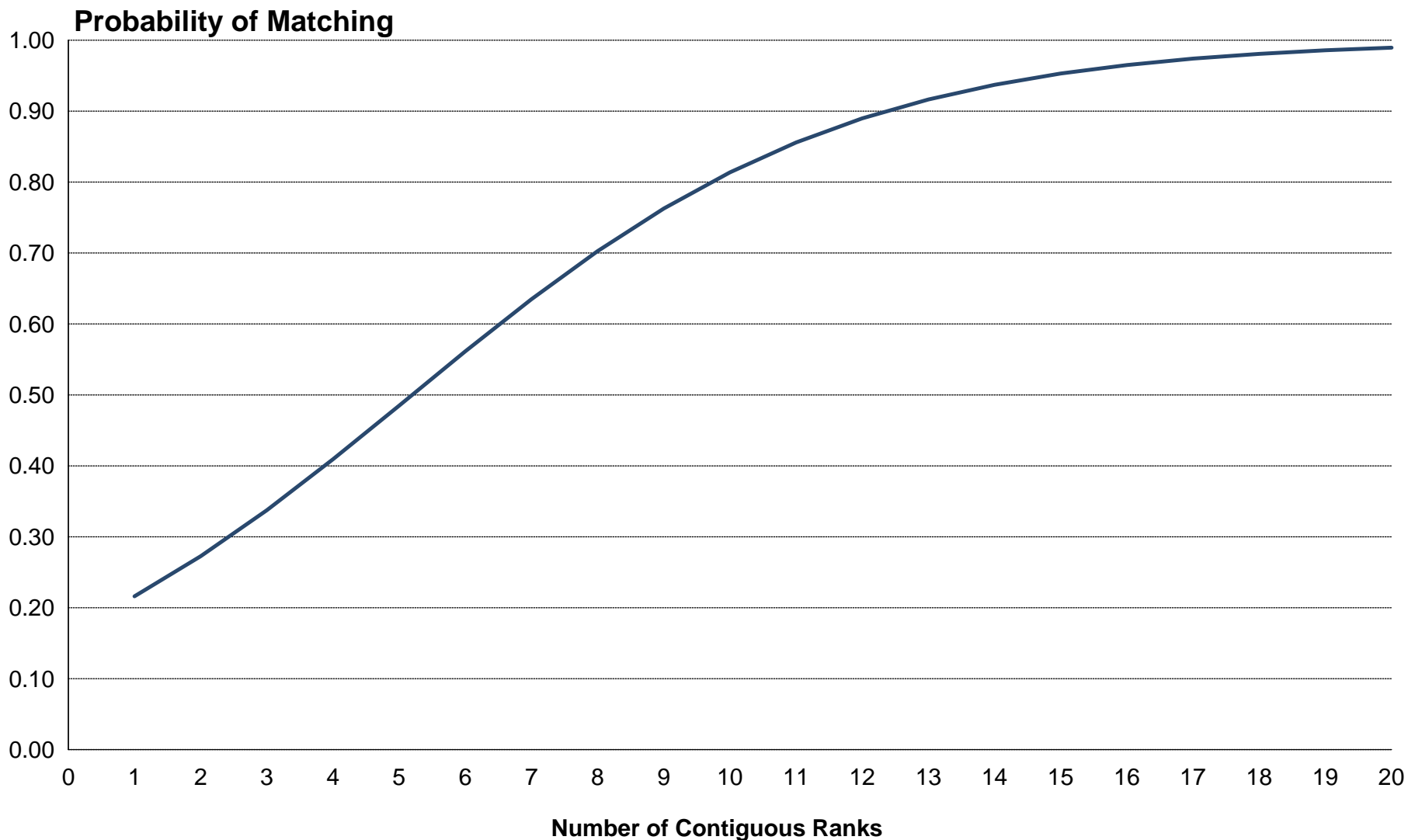
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
Plastic Surgery**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

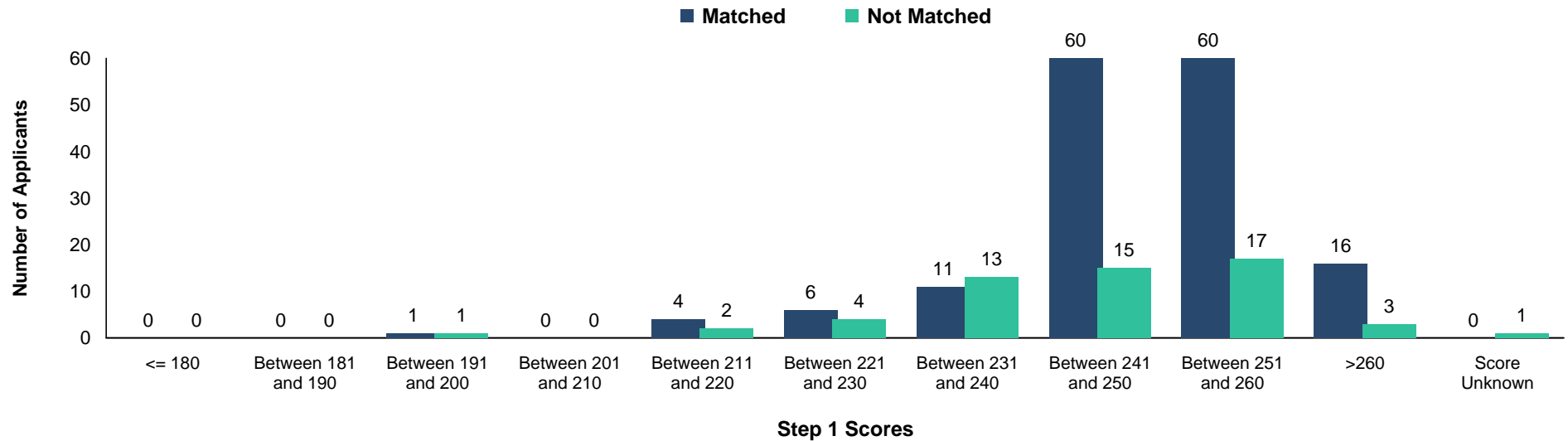
Plastic Surgery



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

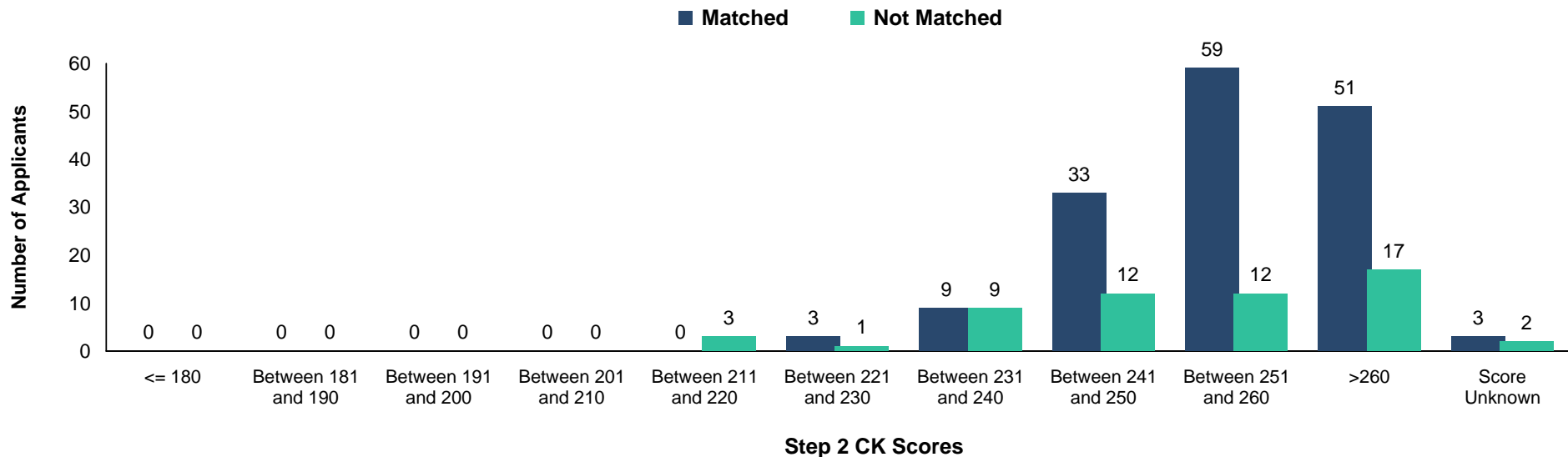
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Plastic Surgery**



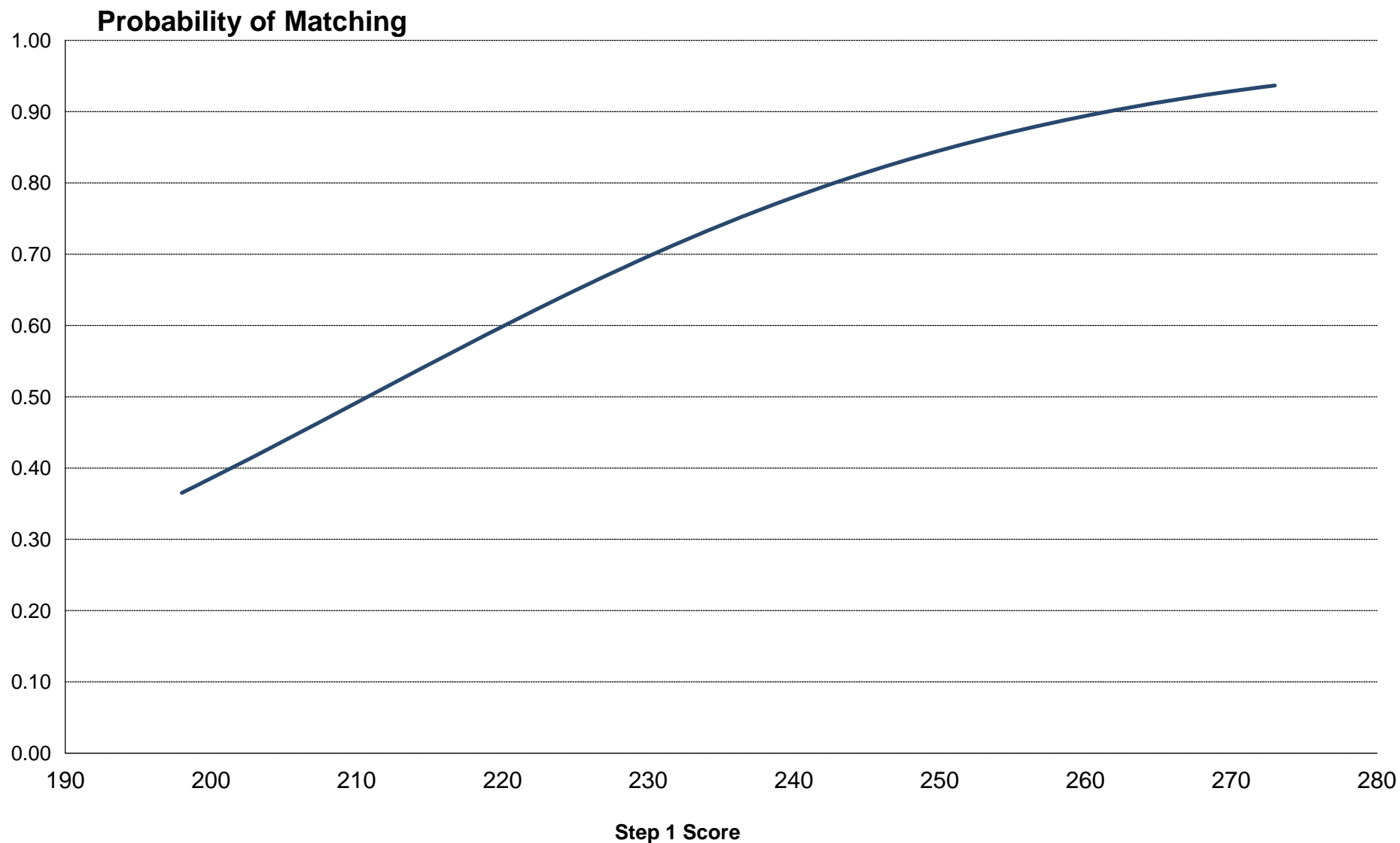
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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Plastic Surgery**



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

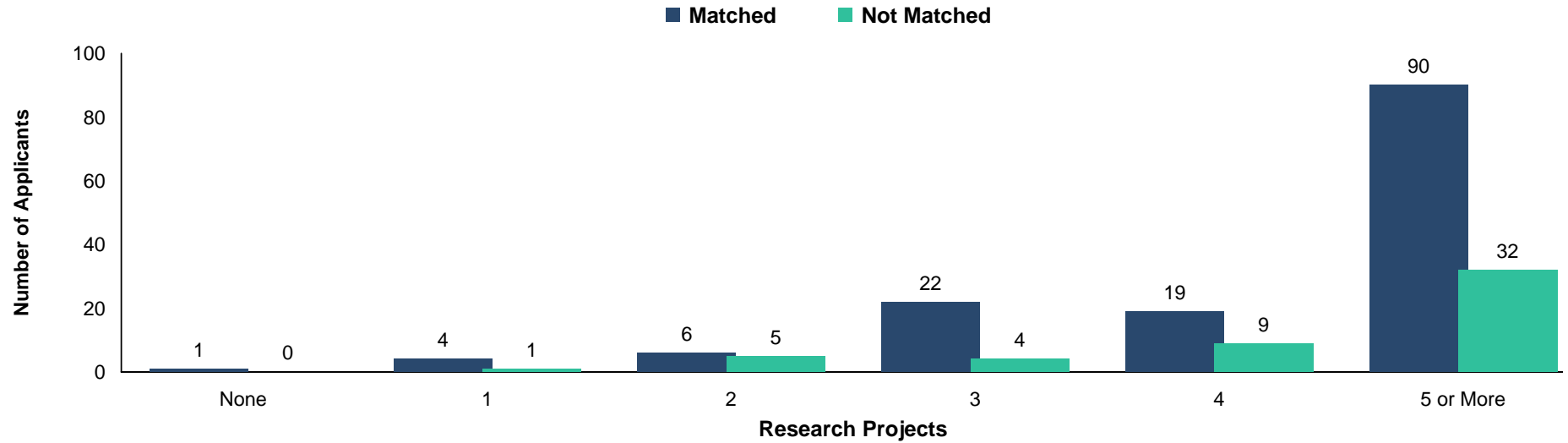
Plastic Surgery



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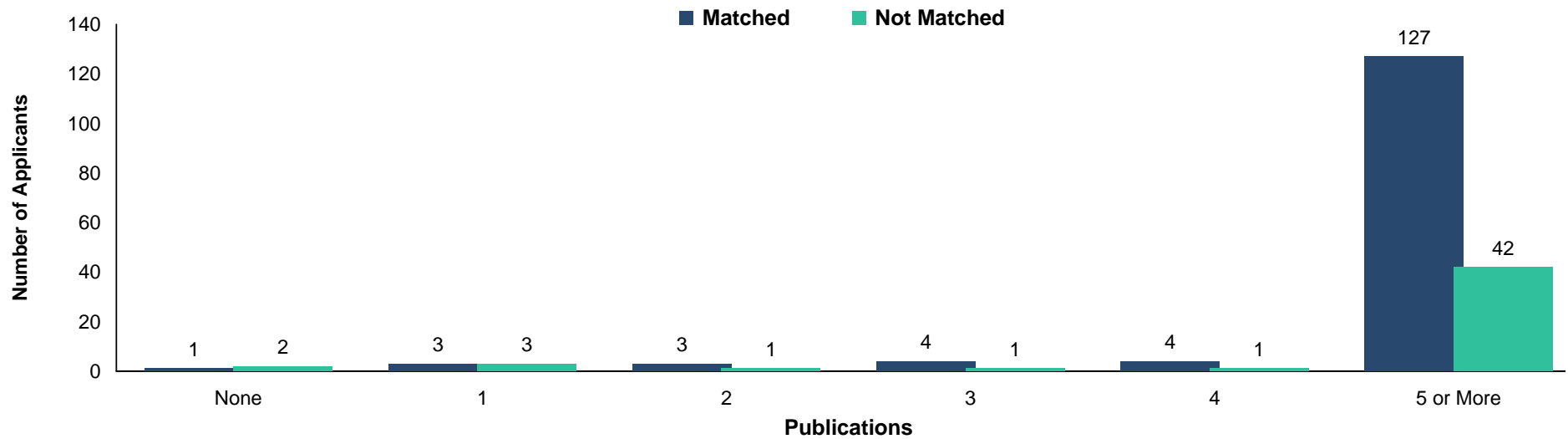
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**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
Plastic Surgery**



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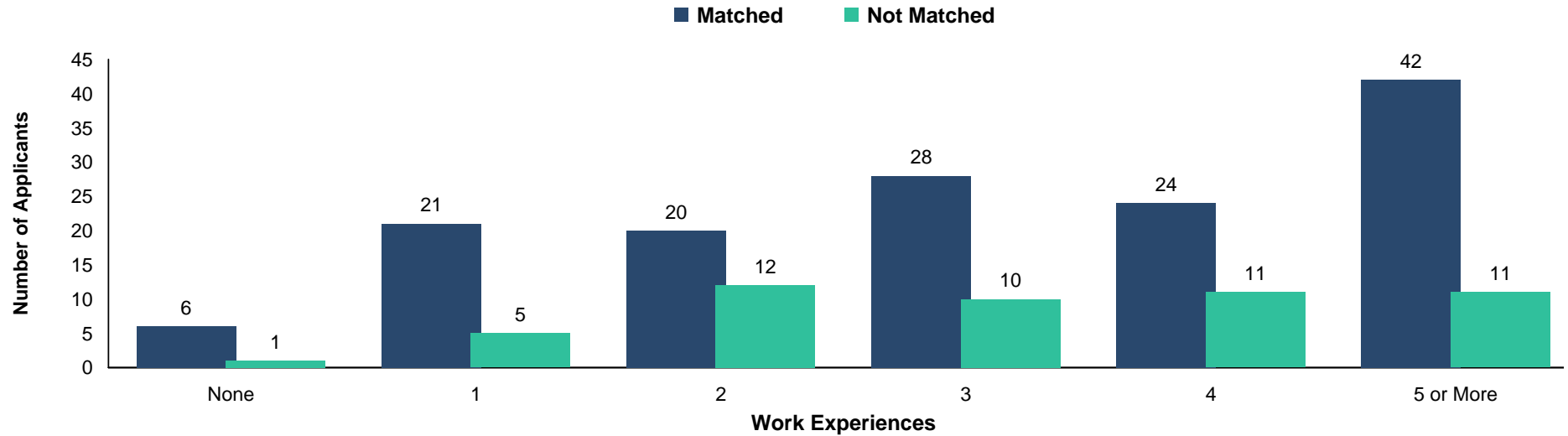
**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
Plastic Surgery**



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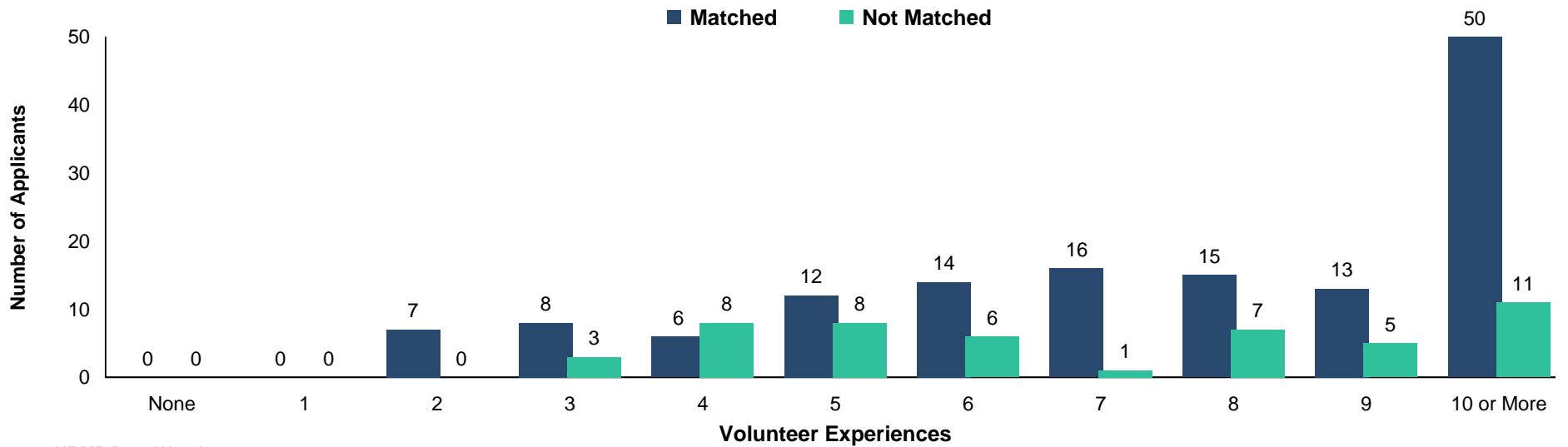
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**Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Plastic Surgery**



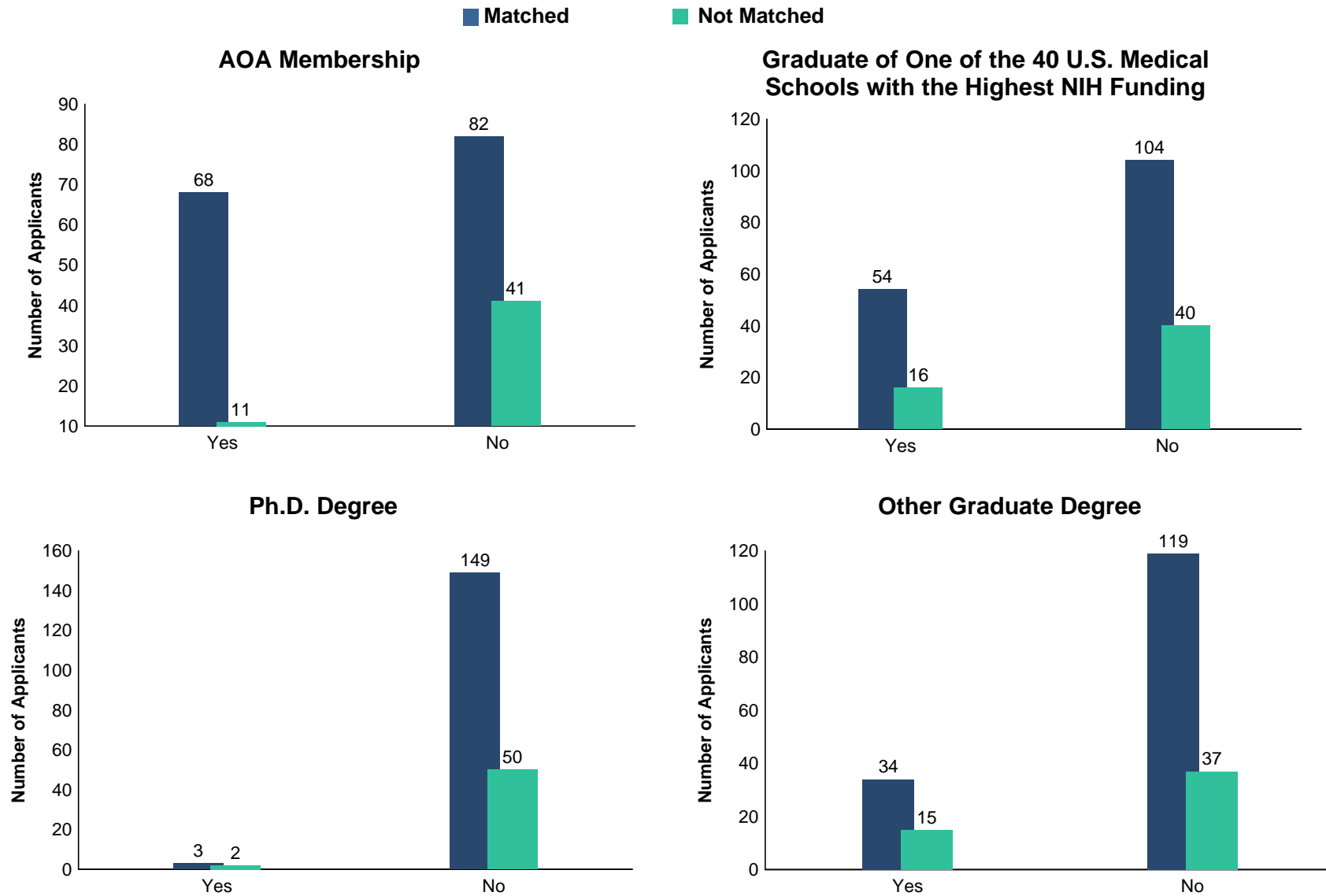
**Chart
PS-8**

**Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Plastic Surgery**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Plastic Surgery**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

P Psychiatry

**Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors
Psychiatry**

| Measure | Matched (n=1,029) | Unmatched (n=106) |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 11.0 | 5.3 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.1 | 1.3 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 227 | 216 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 241 | 229 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 3.1 | 2.9 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 5.6 | 4.1 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.6 | 3.3 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 7.7 | 6.4 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 6.8 | 1.9 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 29.6 | 20.8 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 4.7 | 5.4 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 17.4 | 18.1 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

Chart P-1

**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
*Psychiatry***

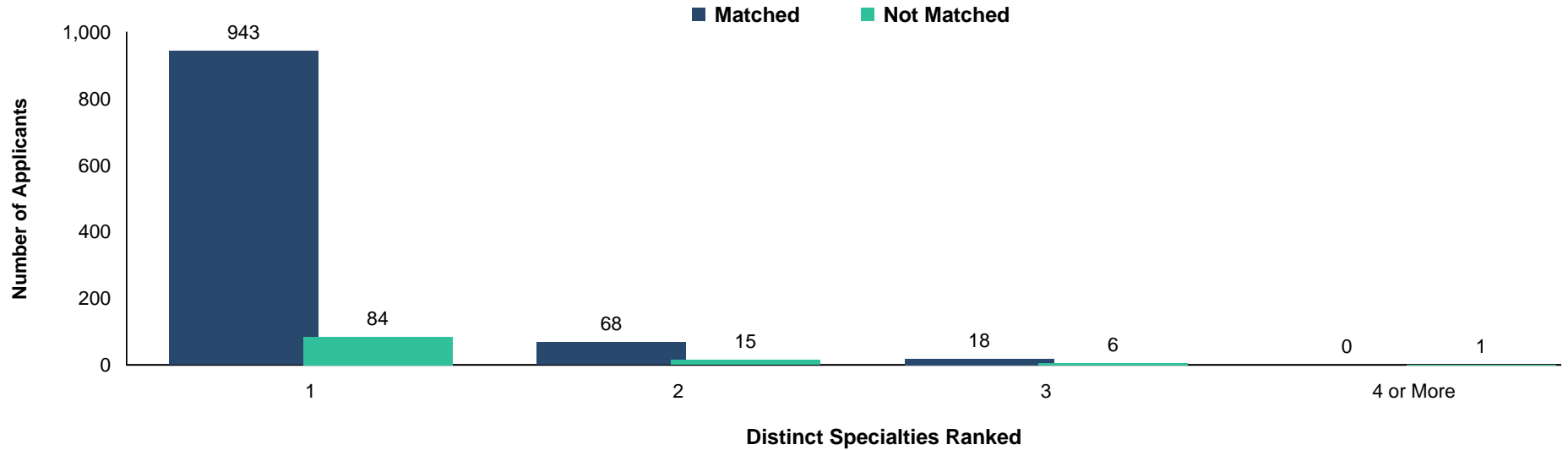
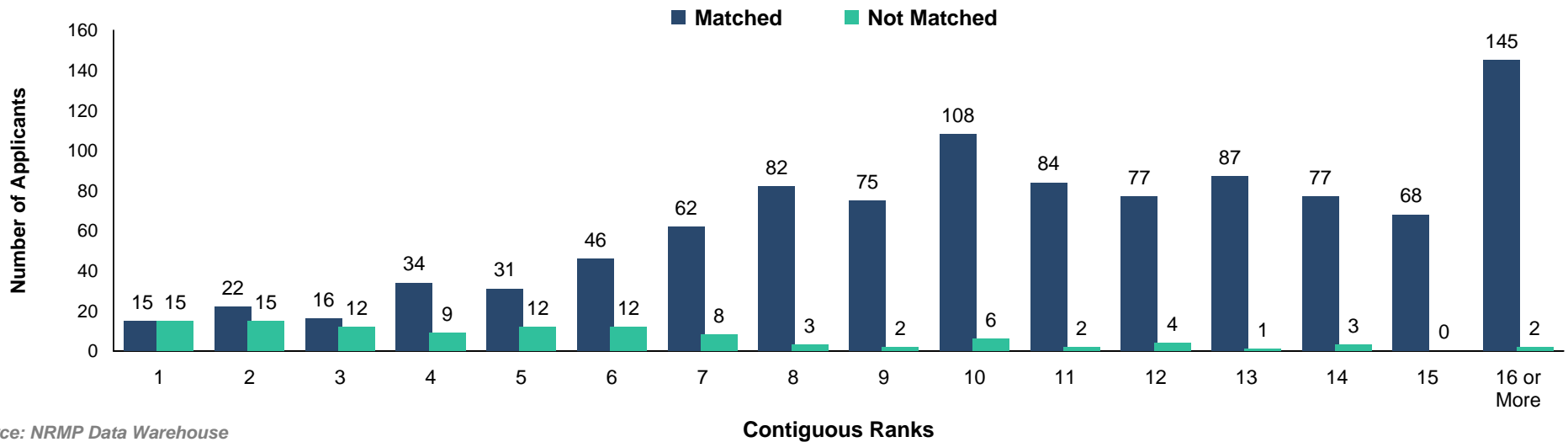


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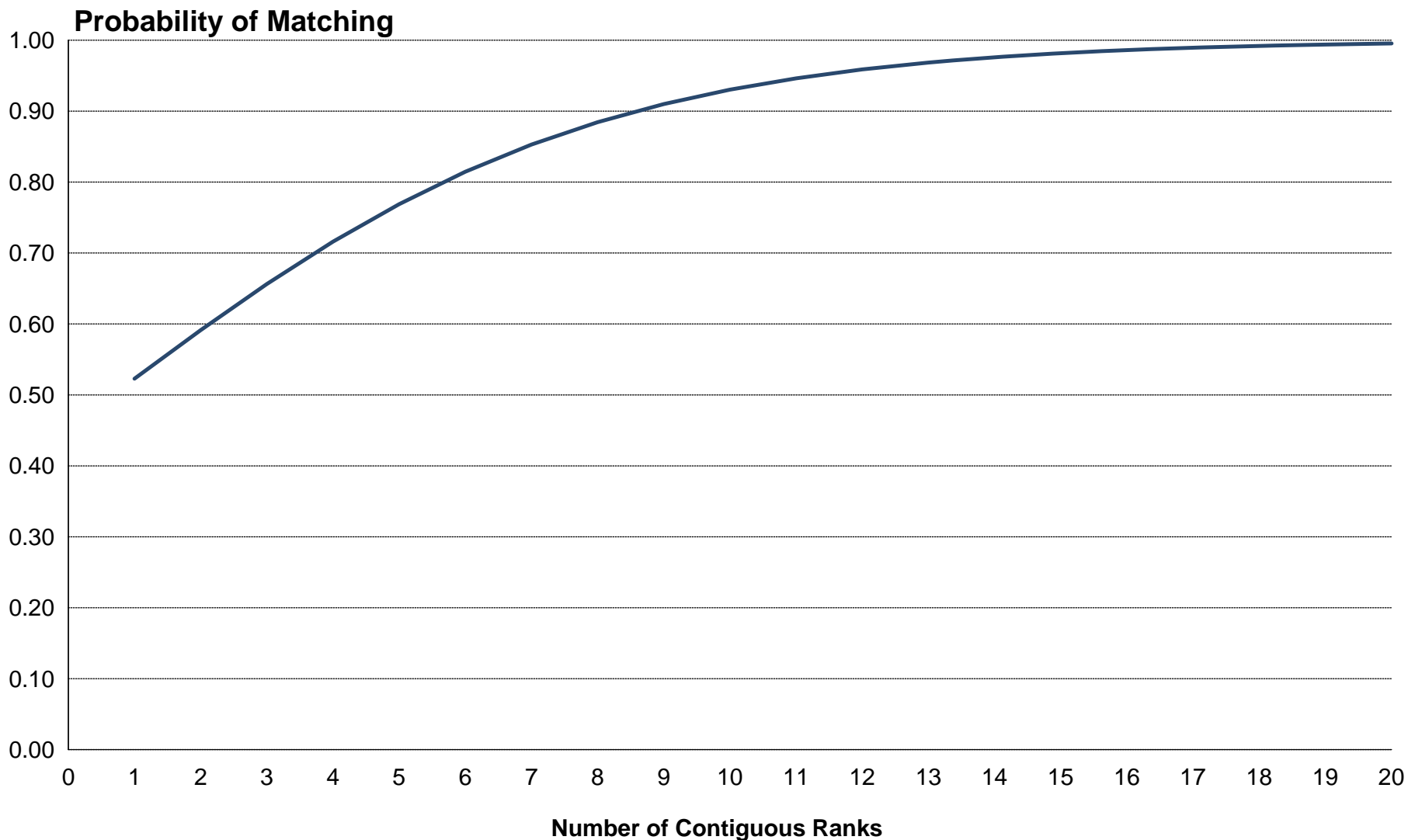
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
*Psychiatry***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

Psychiatry



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

Chart P-3

USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Psychiatry

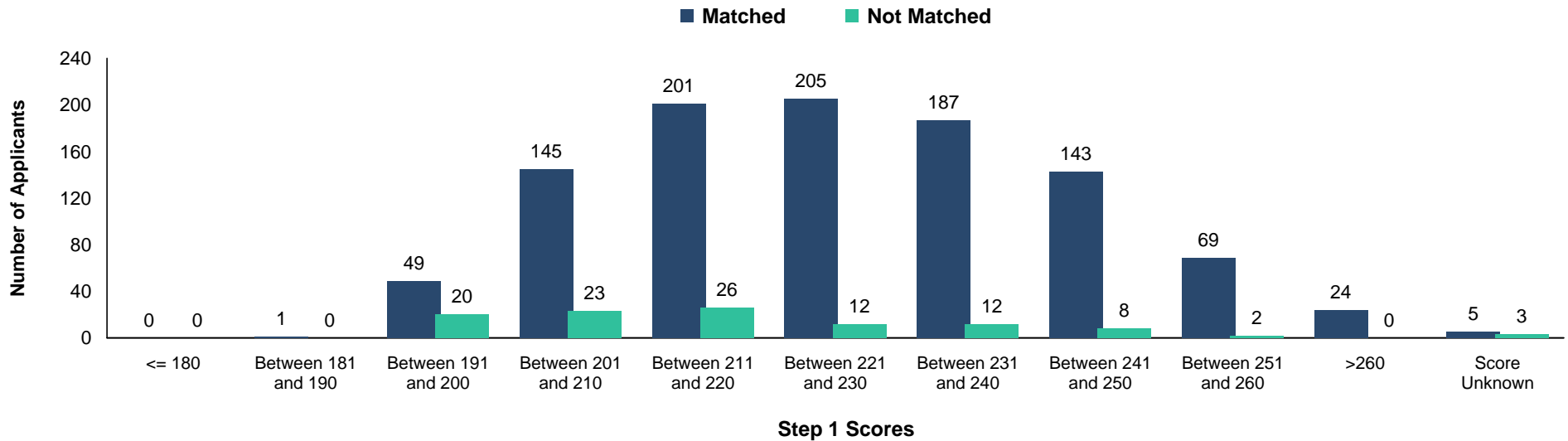
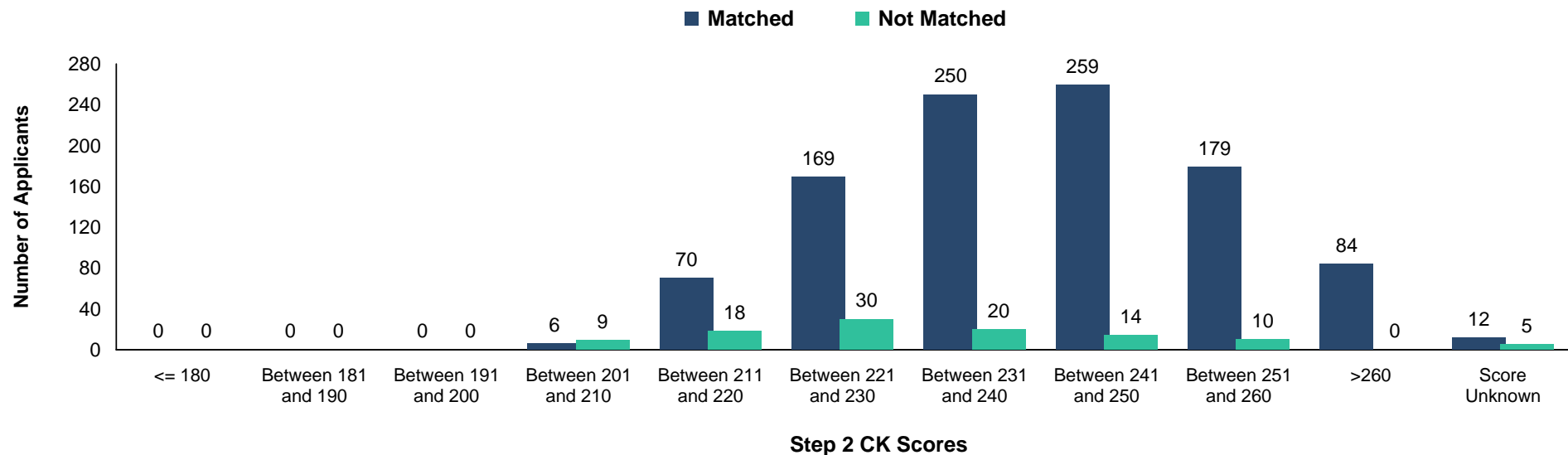
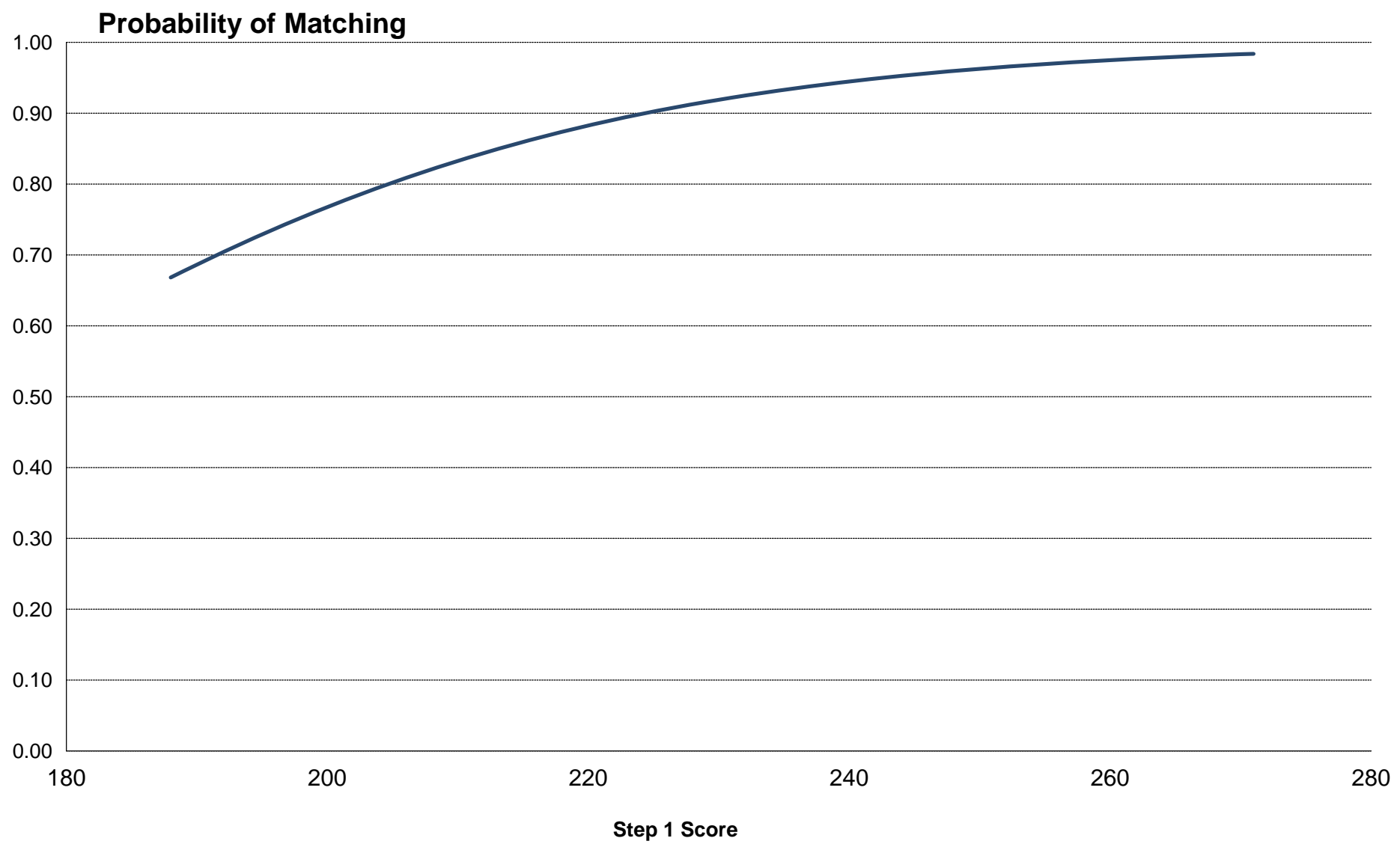


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USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Psychiatry



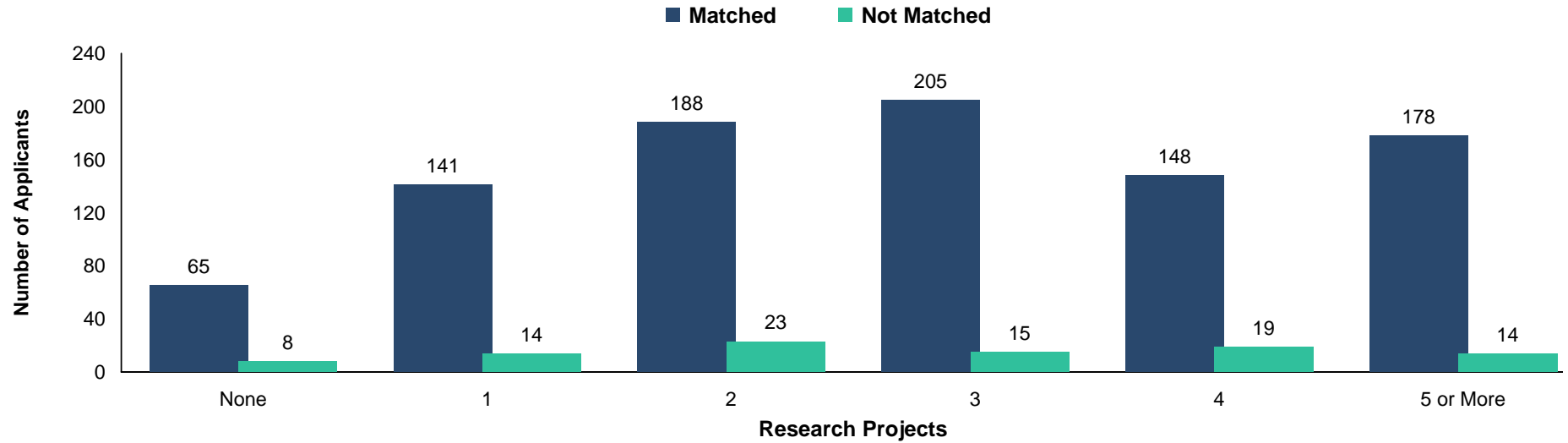
Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score *Psychiatry*



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants.

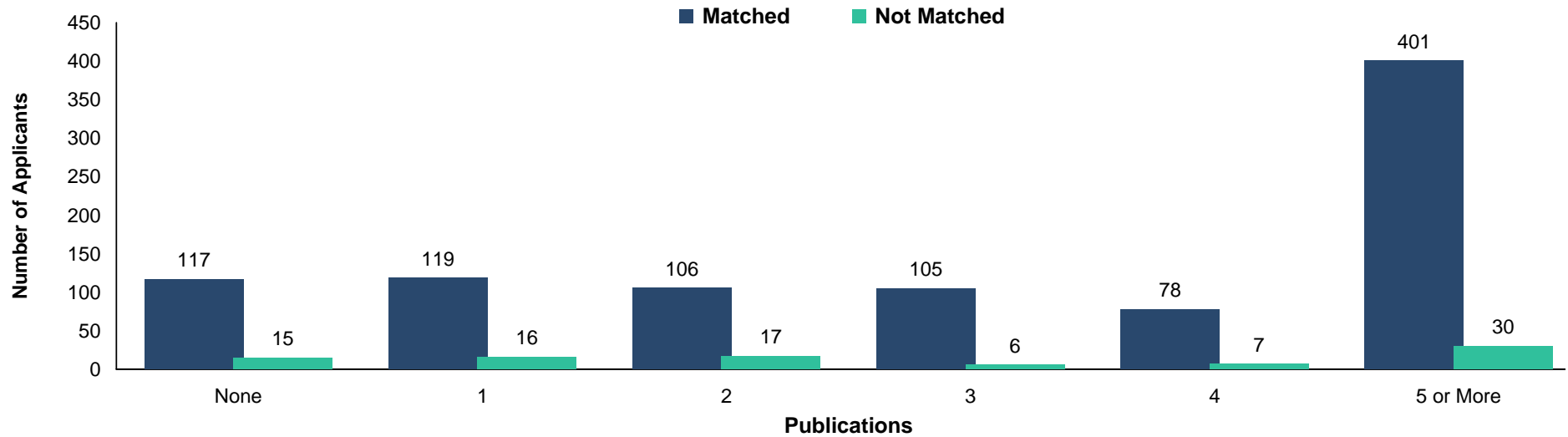
**Chart
P-5**

Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors *Psychiatry*



**Chart
P-6**

Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors *Psychiatry*



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Chart P-7 Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Psychiatry

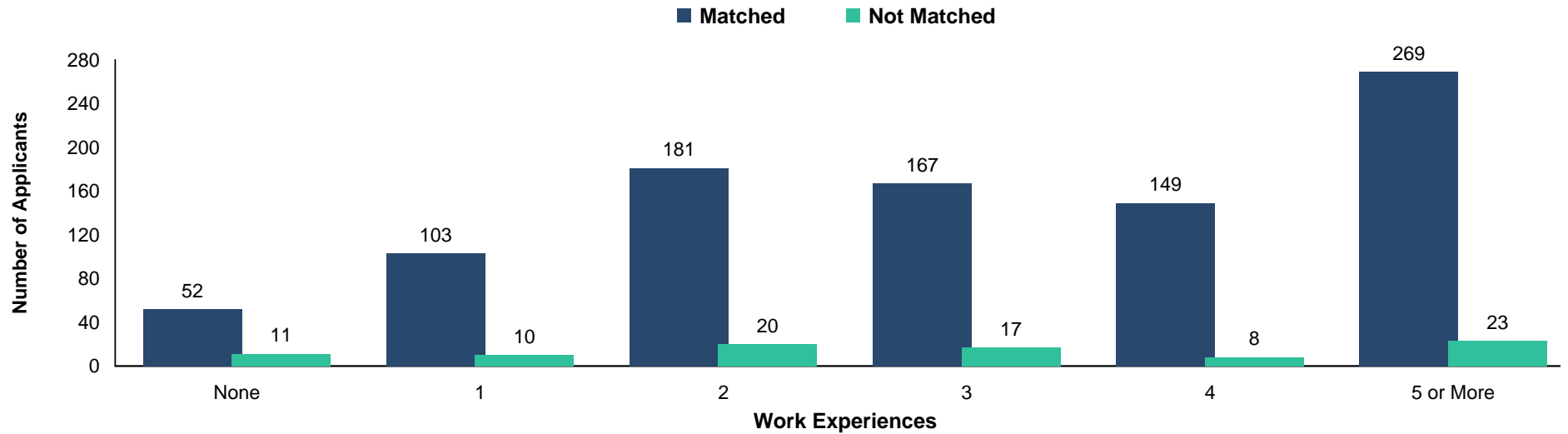
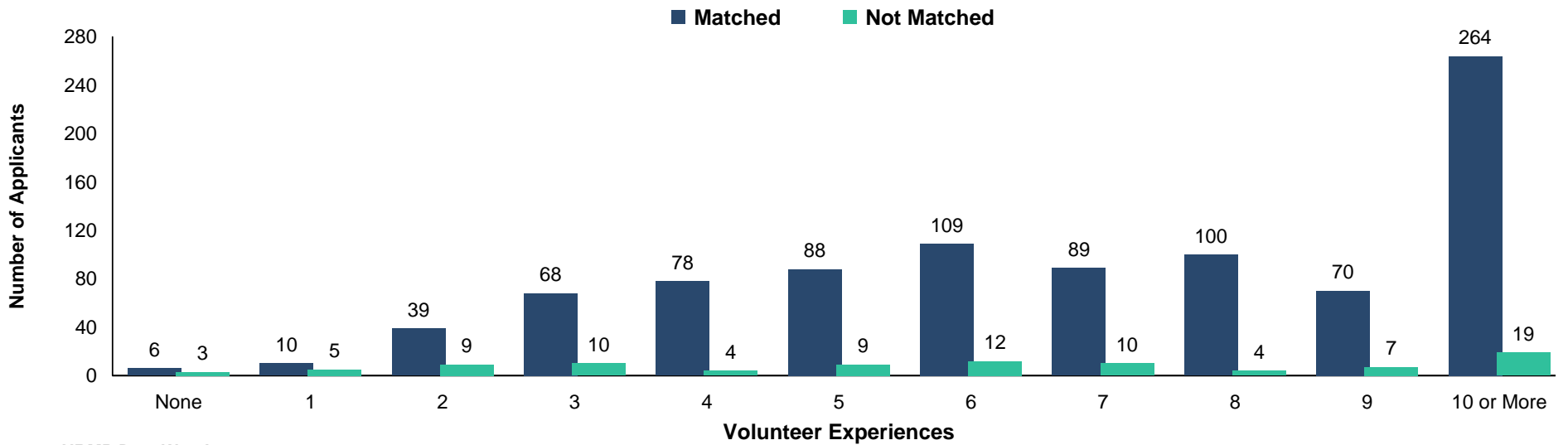


Chart P-8 Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Psychiatry

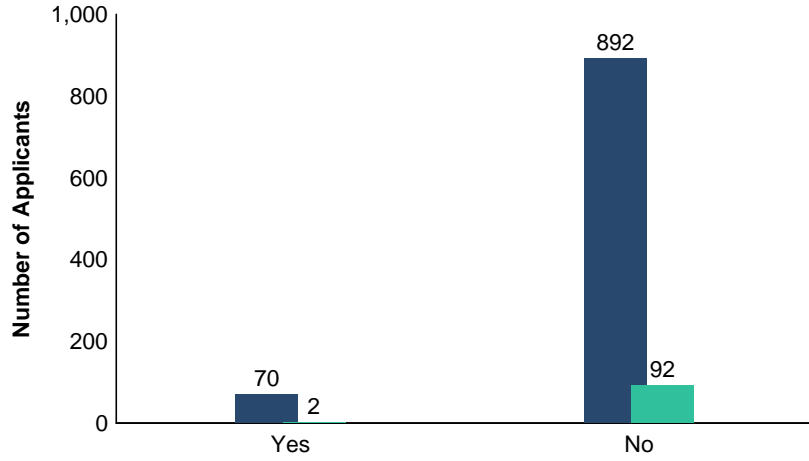


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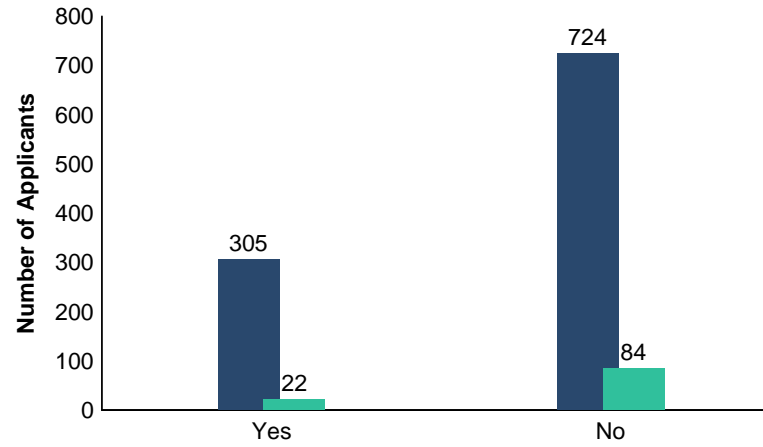
**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Psychiatry**

■ Matched ■ Not Matched

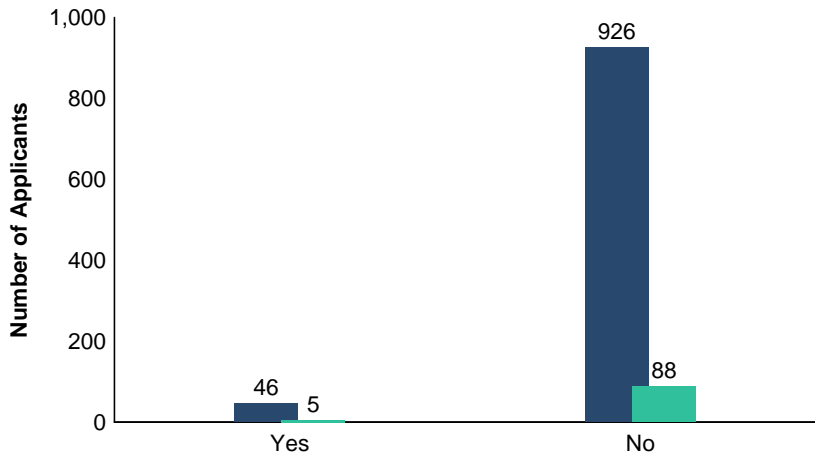
AOA Membership



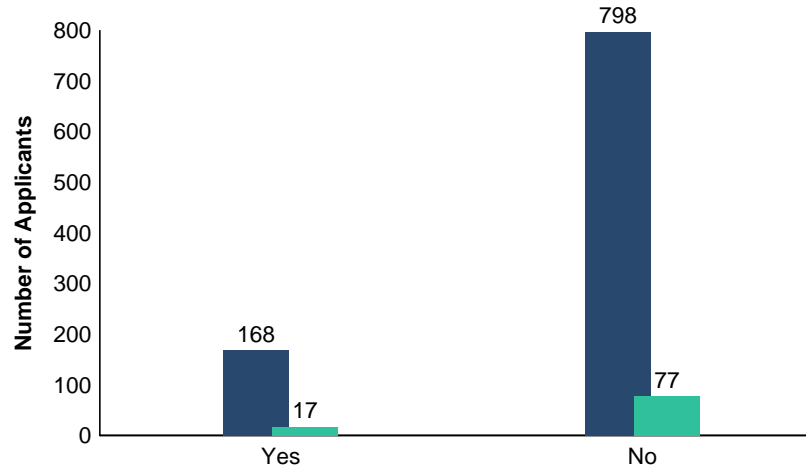
Graduate of One of the 40 U.S. Medical Schools with the Highest NIH Funding



Ph.D. Degree



Other Graduate Degree



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

RO Radiation Oncology

Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors Radiation Oncology

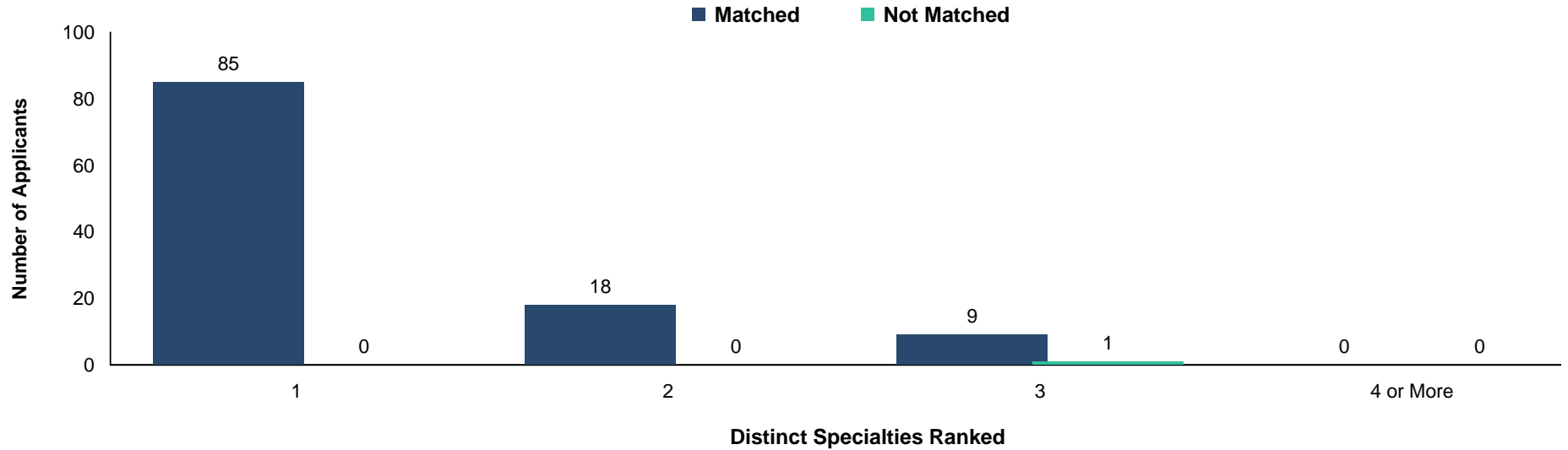
| Measure | Matched (n=112) | Unmatched (n=1) |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 14.0 | 5.0 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.3 | 3.0 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 243 | 256 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 250 | 260 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 5.7 | 3.0 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 18.3 | 13.0 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.5 | 3.0 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 6.6 | 6.0 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 22.3 | 100.0 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 46.4 | 0.0 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 19.2 | 0.0 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 25.2 | 0.0 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources: NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

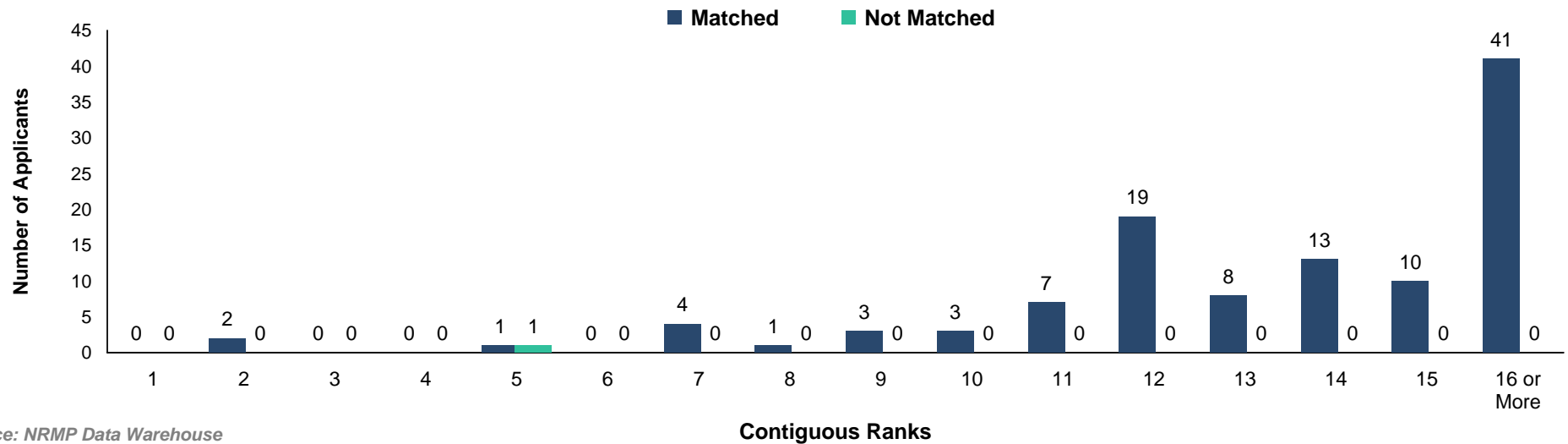
**Chart
RO-1**

**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
*Radiation Oncology***



**Chart
RO-2**

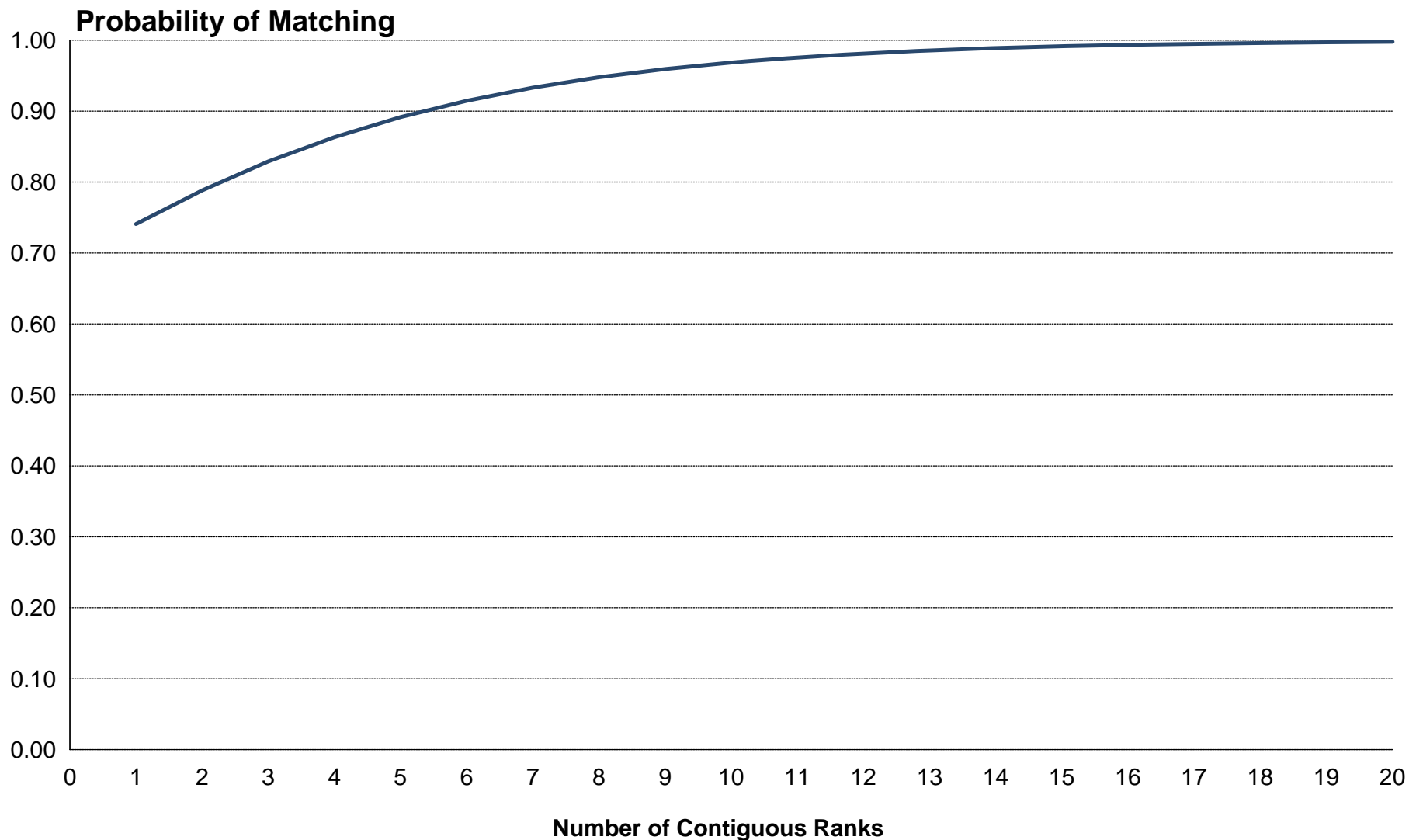
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
*Radiation Oncology***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

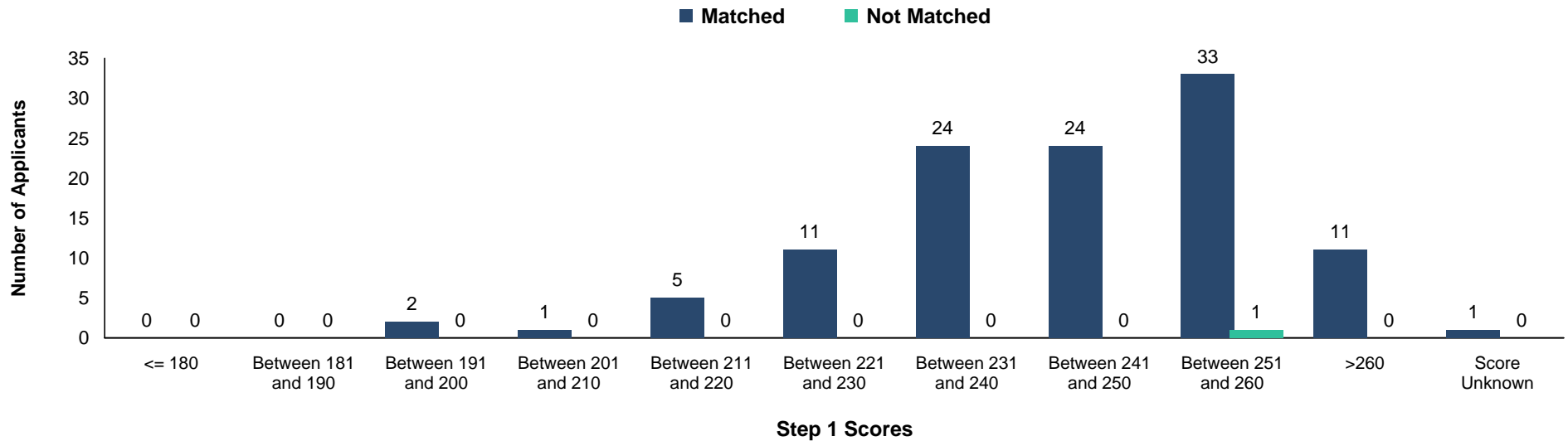
Radiation Oncology



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Note: Probabilities calculated based on 2018-2020 applicants

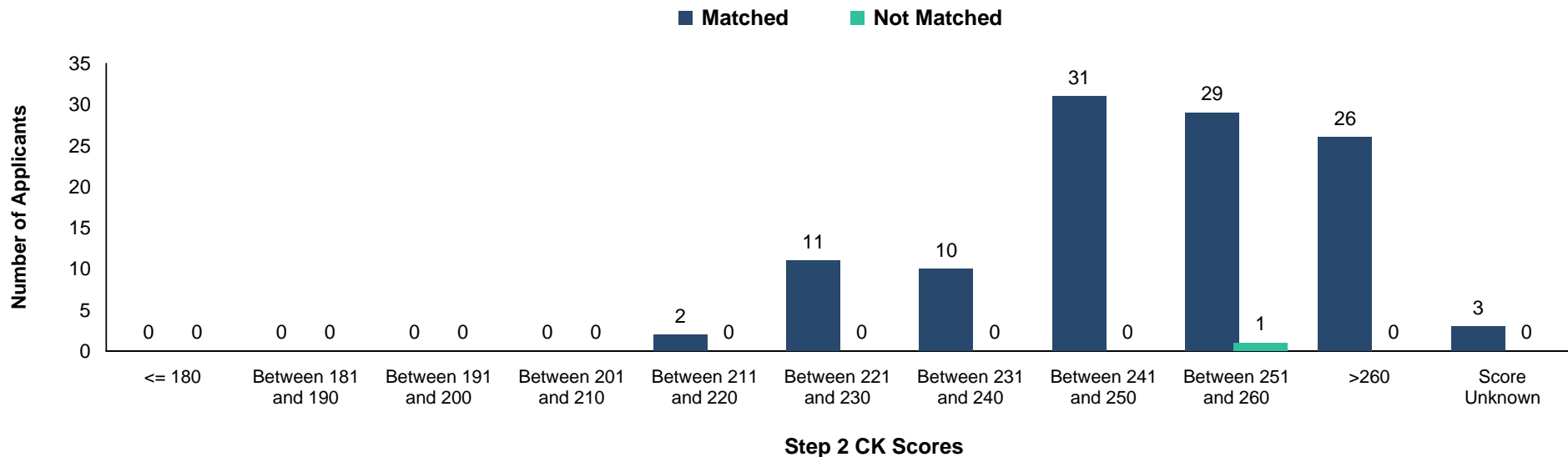
**Chart
RO-3**

**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Radiation Oncology**



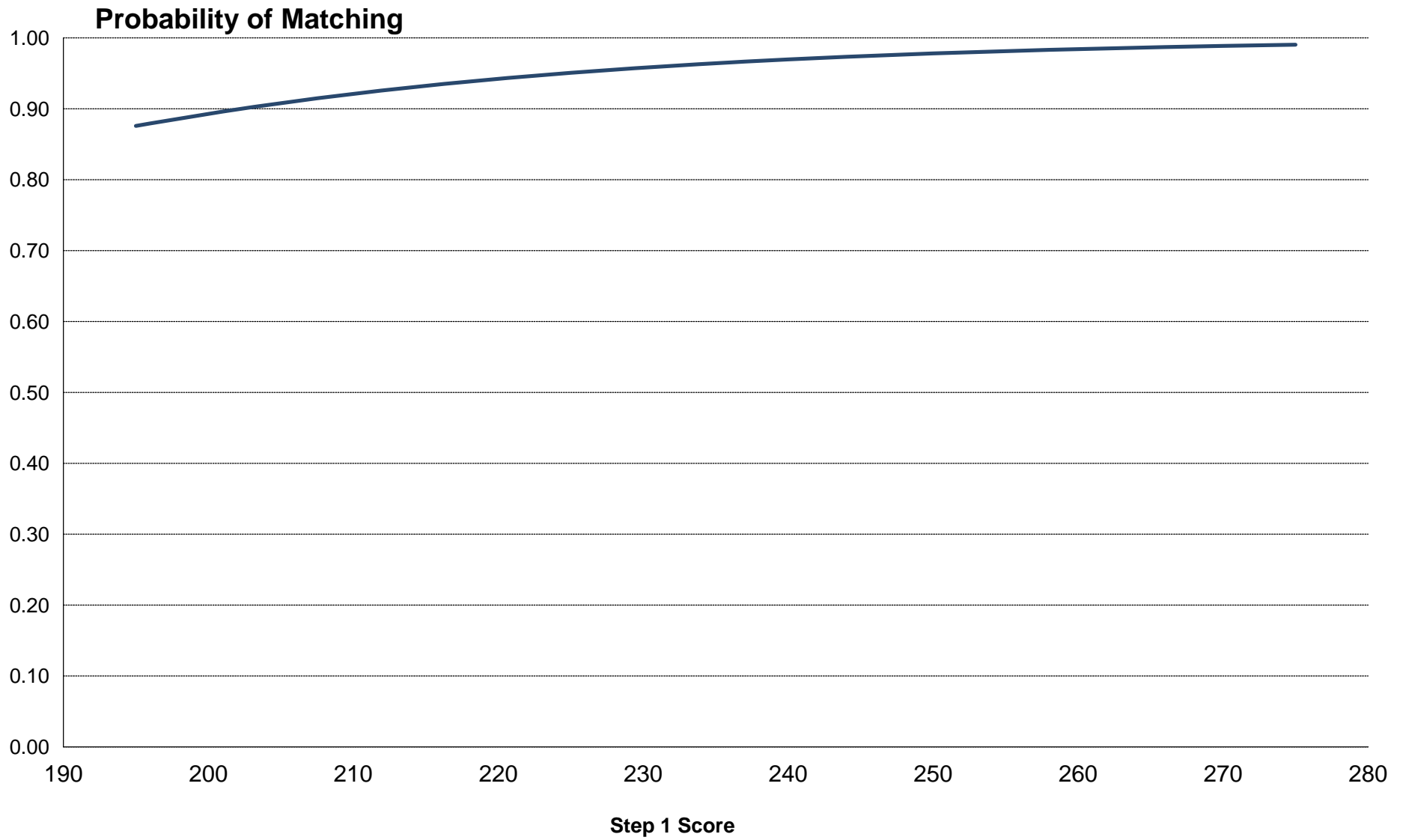
**Chart
RO-4**

**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Radiation Oncology**



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

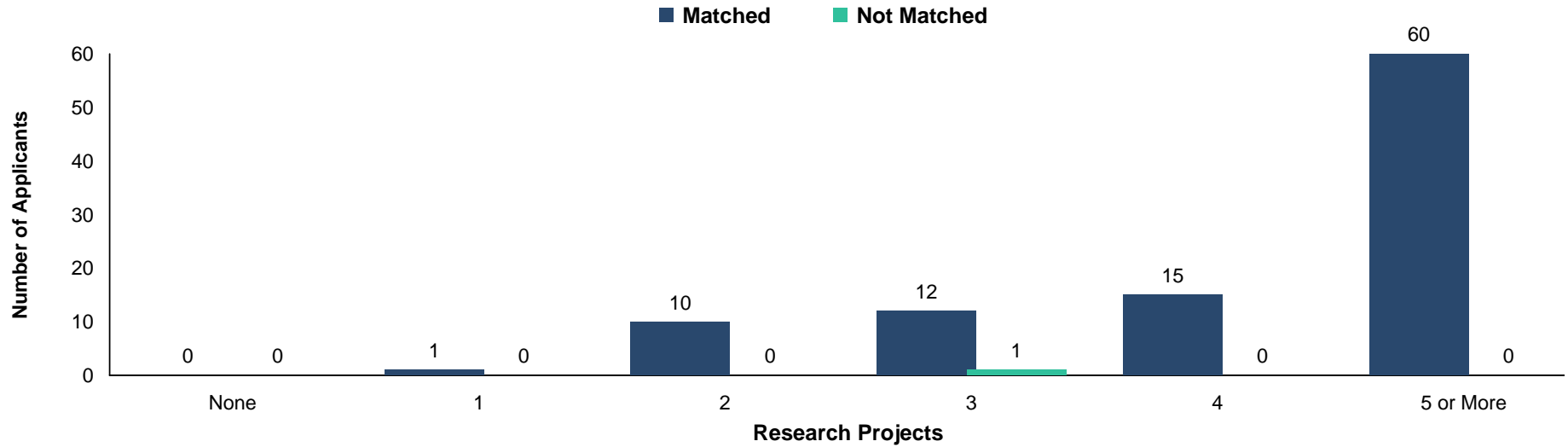
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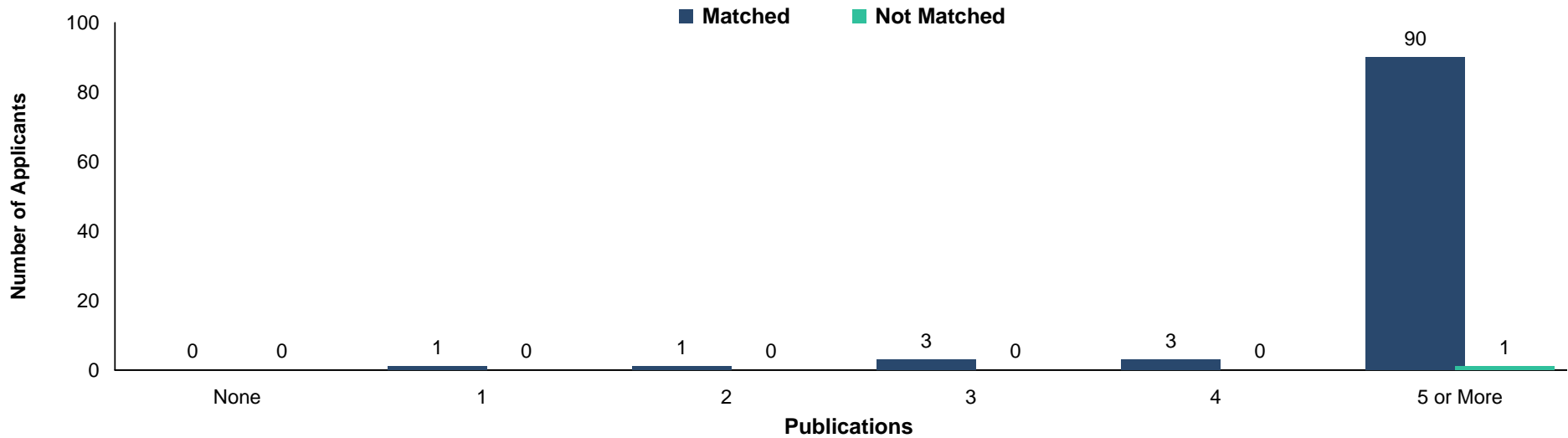
**Chart
RO-5**

**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
*Radiation Oncology***



**Chart
RO-6**

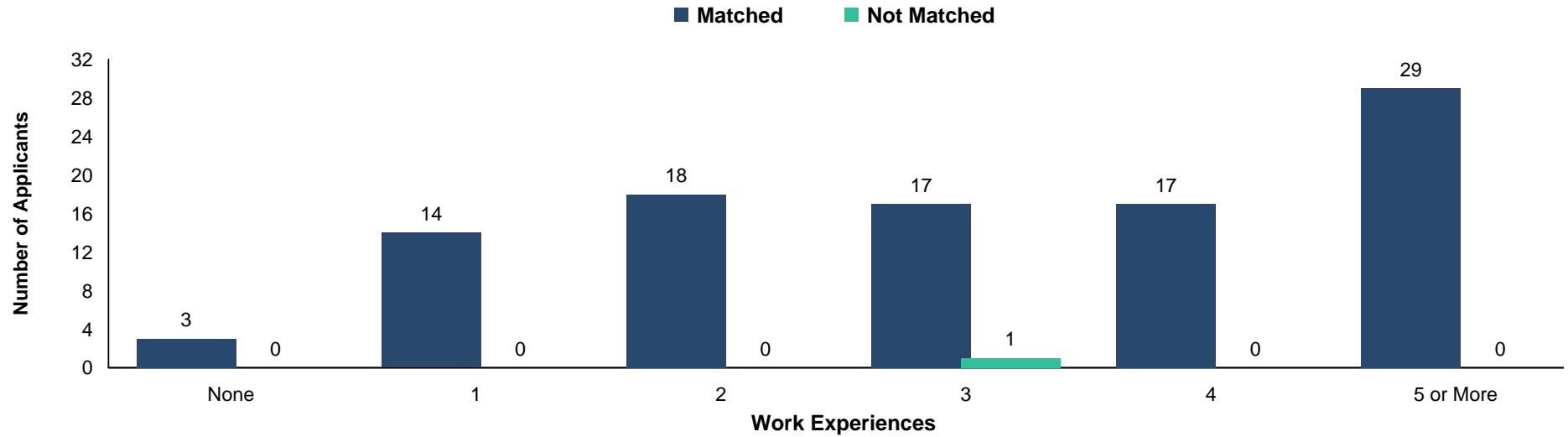
**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
*Radiation Oncology***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

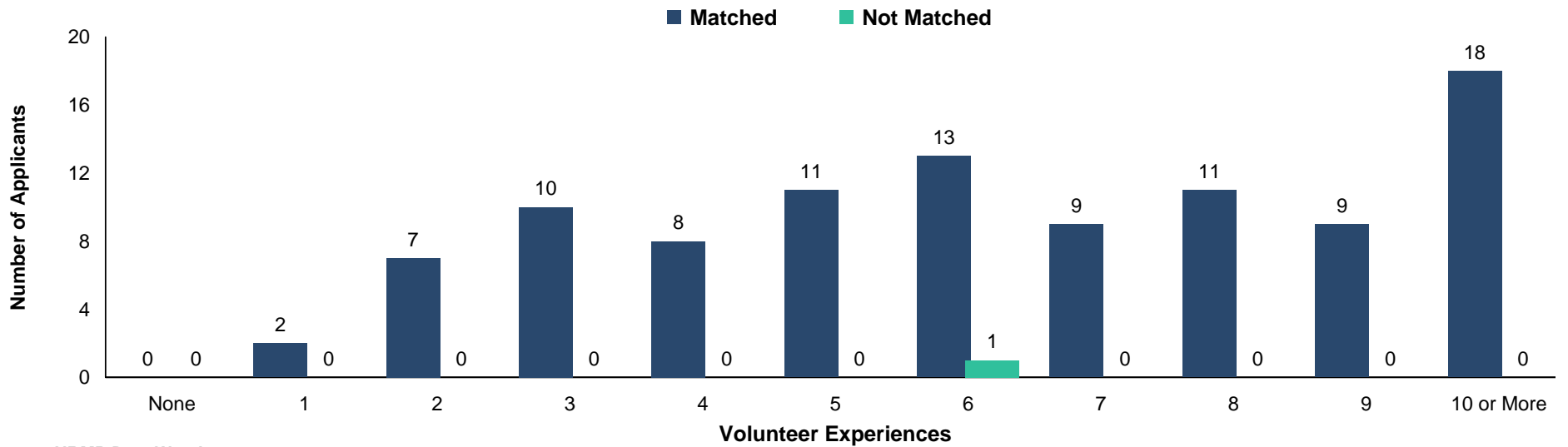
**Chart
RO-7**

**Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Radiation Oncology**



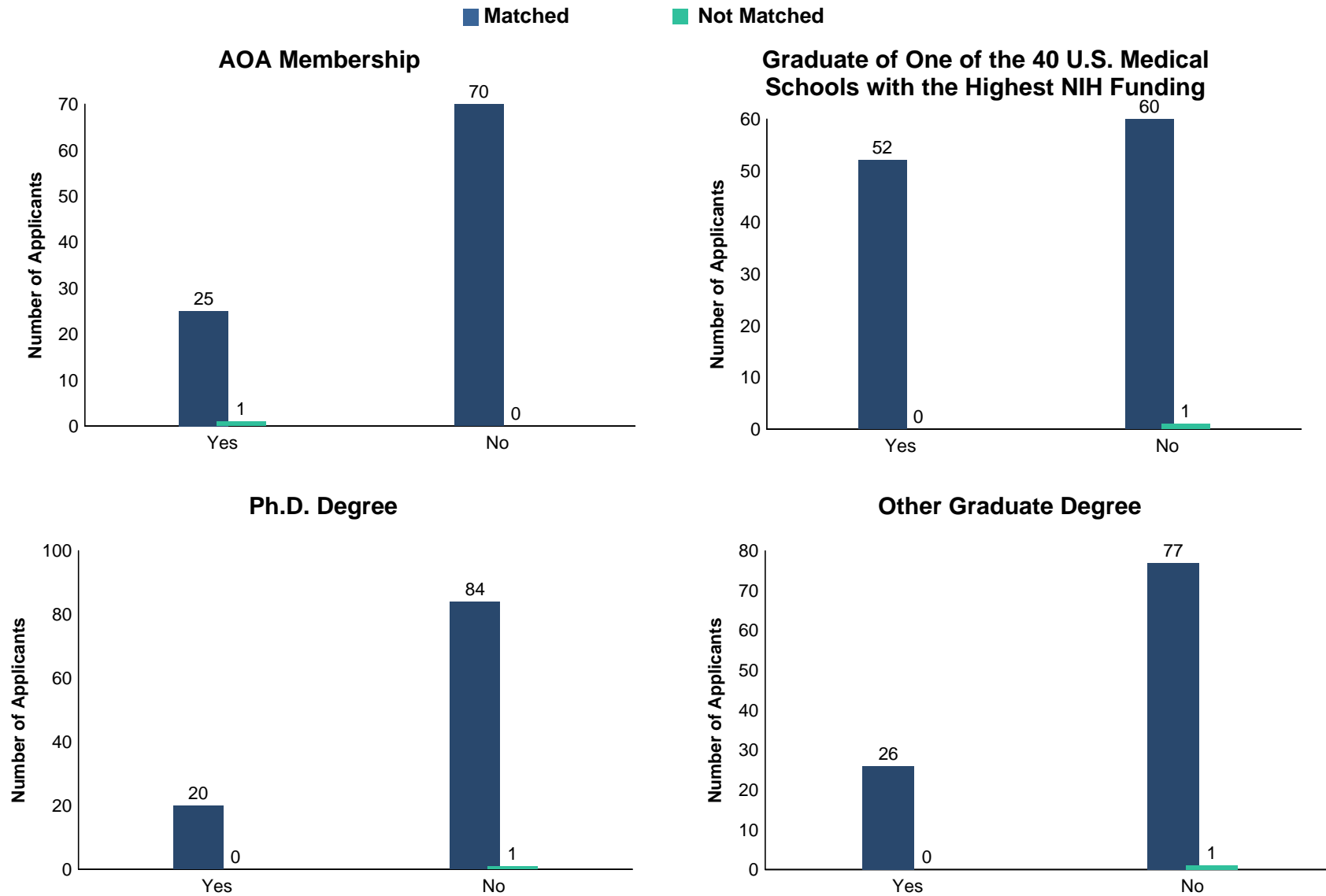
**Chart
RO-8**

**Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Radiation Oncology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

**Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Radiation Oncology**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse. Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding from NIH: <http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>

VS **Vascular Surgery**

Summary Statistics on U.S. MD Seniors *Vascular Surgery*

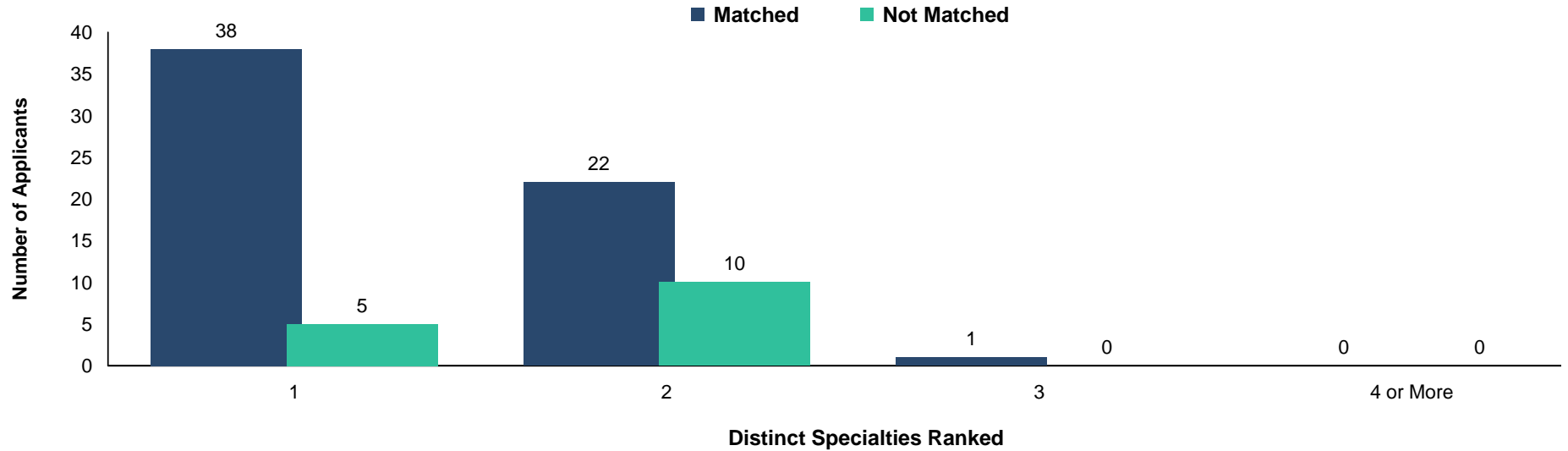
| Measure | Matched (n=61) | Unmatched (n=15) |
|---|-------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Mean number of contiguous ranks | 15.2 | 10.3 |
| 2. Mean number of distinct specialties ranked | 1.4 | 1.7 |
| 3. Mean USMLE Step 1 score | 239 | 230 |
| 4. Mean USMLE Step 2 score | 247 | 238 |
| 5. Mean number of research experiences | 4.7 | 3.4 |
| 6. Mean number of abstracts, presentations, and publications | 10.5 | 6.0 |
| 7. Mean number of work experiences | 3.3 | 3.3 |
| 8. Mean number of volunteer experiences | 6.5 | 6.9 |
| 9. Percentage who are AOA members | 13.1 | 20.0 |
| 10. Percentage who graduated from one of the 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding | 39.3 | 13.3 |
| 11. Percentage who have Ph.D. degree | 0.0 | 6.7 |
| 12. Percentage who have another graduate degree | 30.0 | 33.3 |

Note: Only U.S. MD seniors who gave consent to use their information in research are included.

Sources. NRMP Data Warehouse; Top 40 U.S. medical schools with the highest NIH funding in measure 10 is from the NIH website (<http://report.nih.gov/award/index.cfm>).

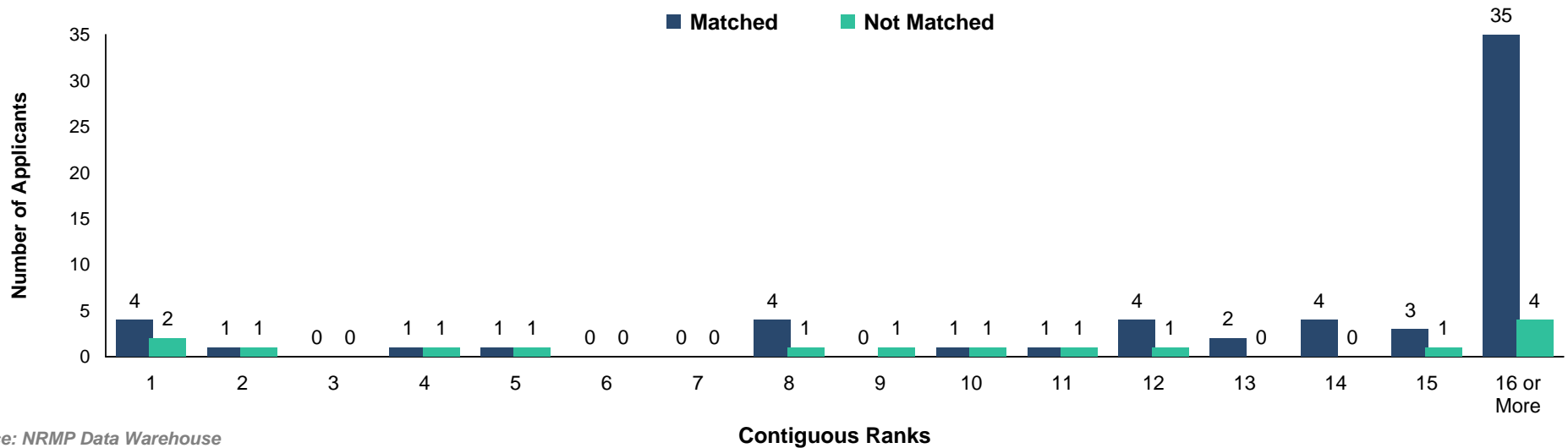
**Chart
VS-1**

**Number of Distinct Specialties Ranked by U.S. MD Seniors
*Vascular Surgery***



**Chart
VS-2**

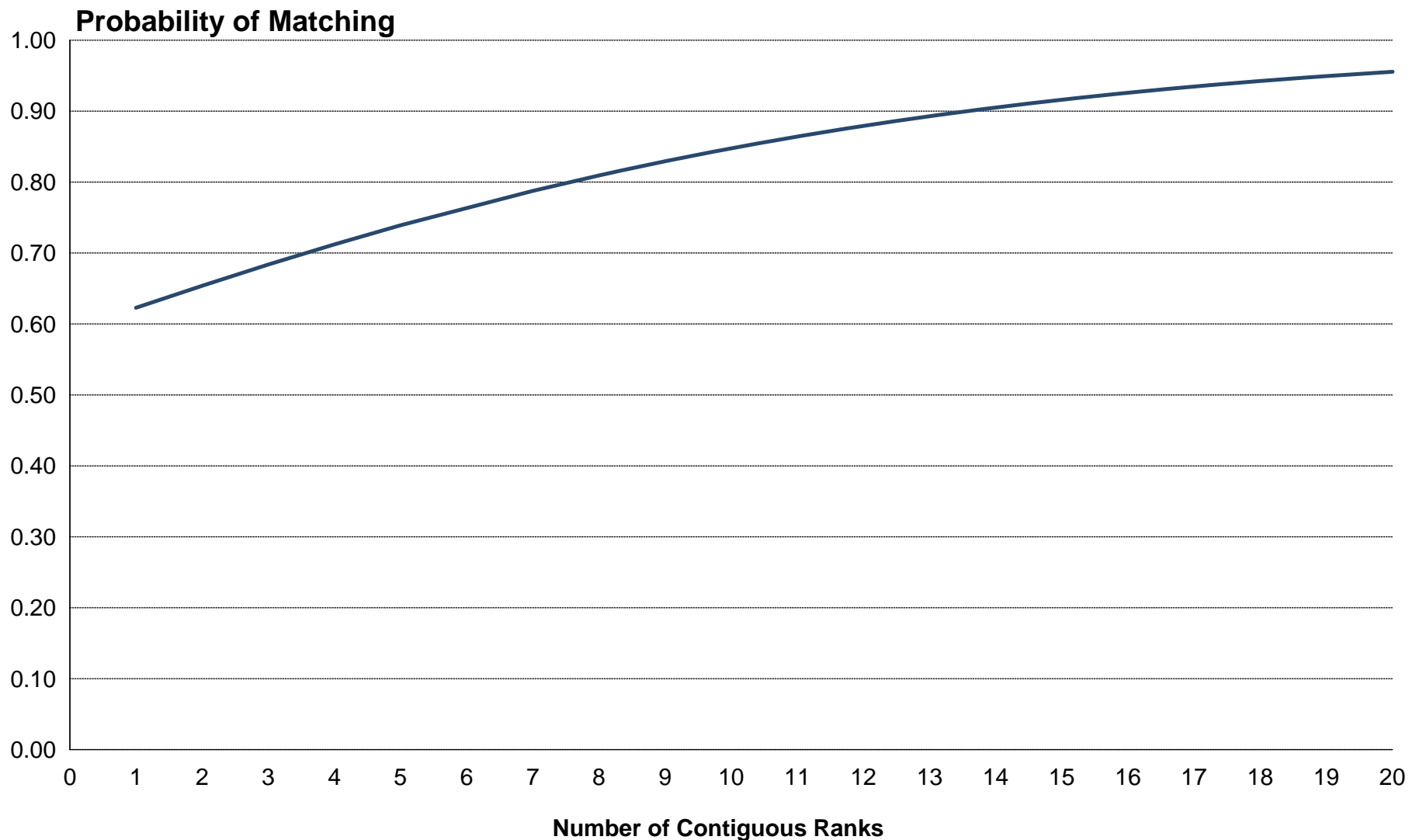
**Number of Contiguous Ranks of U.S. MD Seniors
*Vascular Surgery***



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by Number of Contiguous Ranks

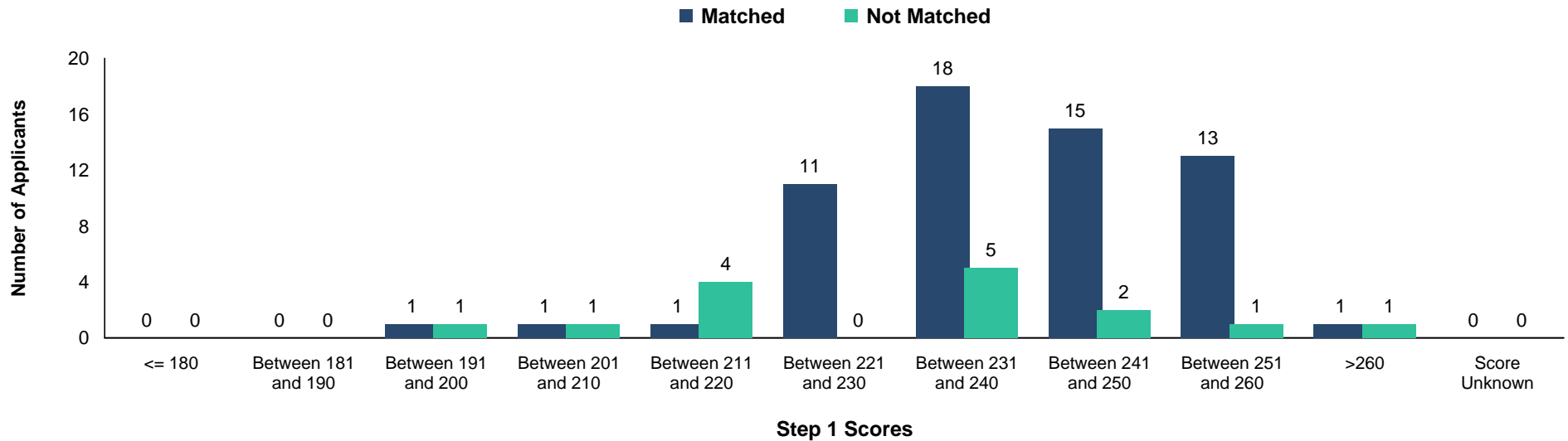
Vascular Surgery



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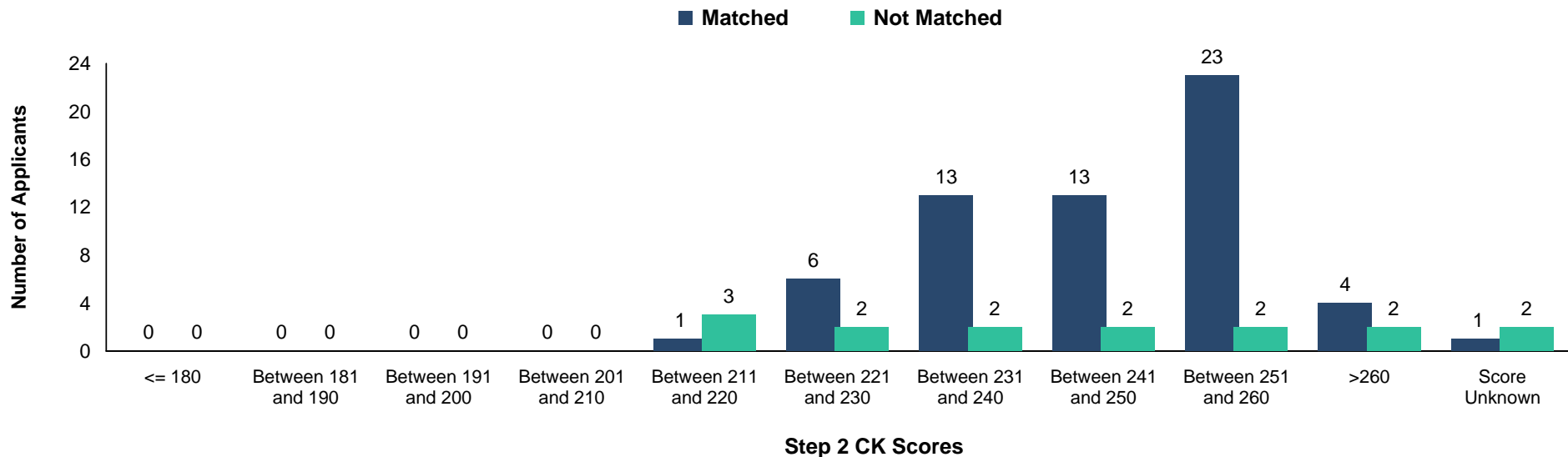
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**USMLE Step 1 Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Vascular Surgery**



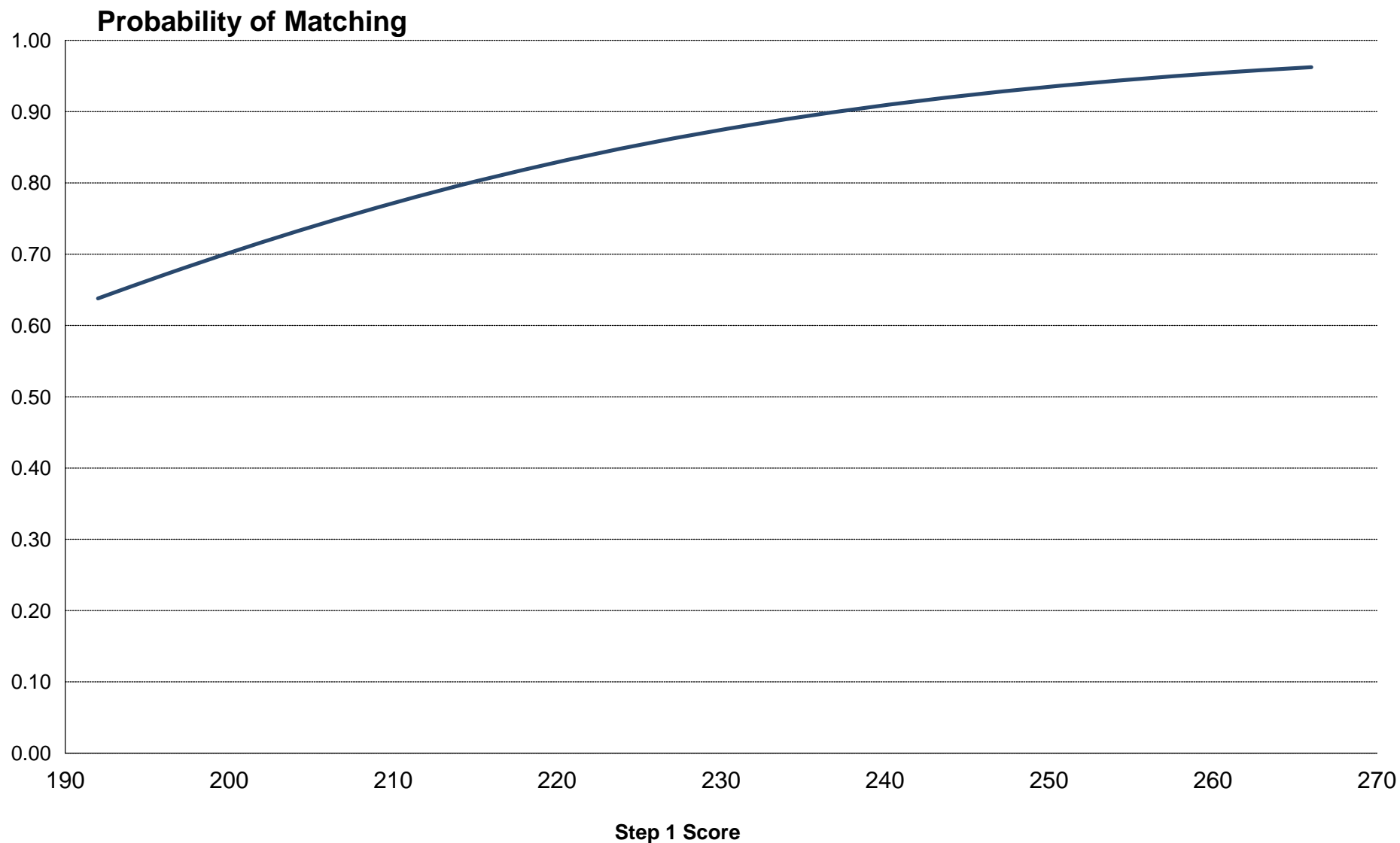
**Chart
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**USMLE Step 2 CK Scores of U.S. MD Seniors
Vascular Surgery**



Probability of U.S. MD Seniors Matching to Preferred Specialty by USMLE Step 1 Score

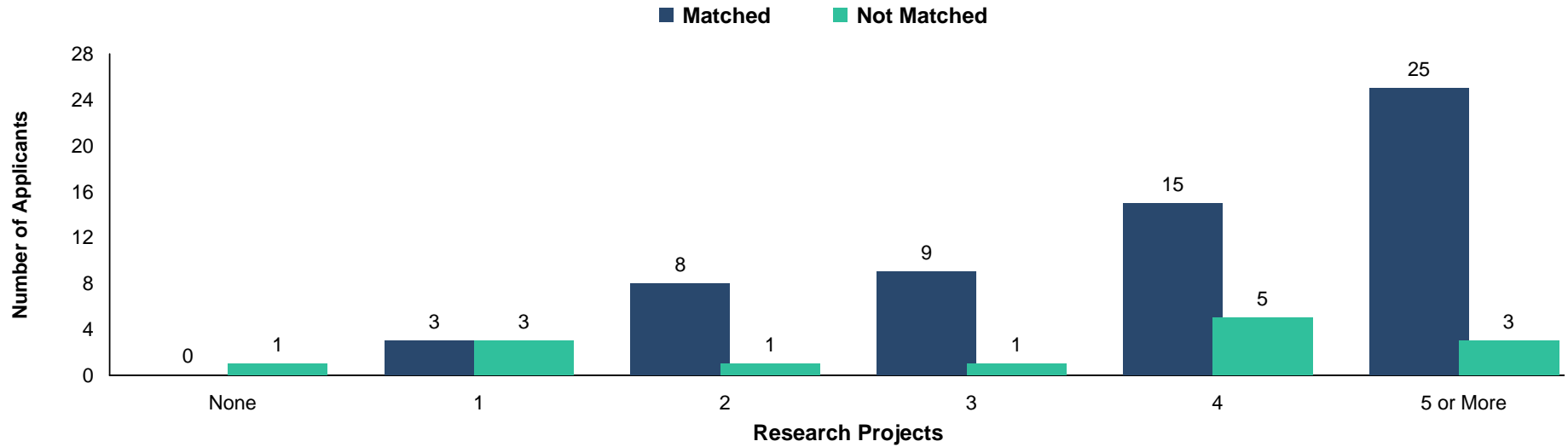
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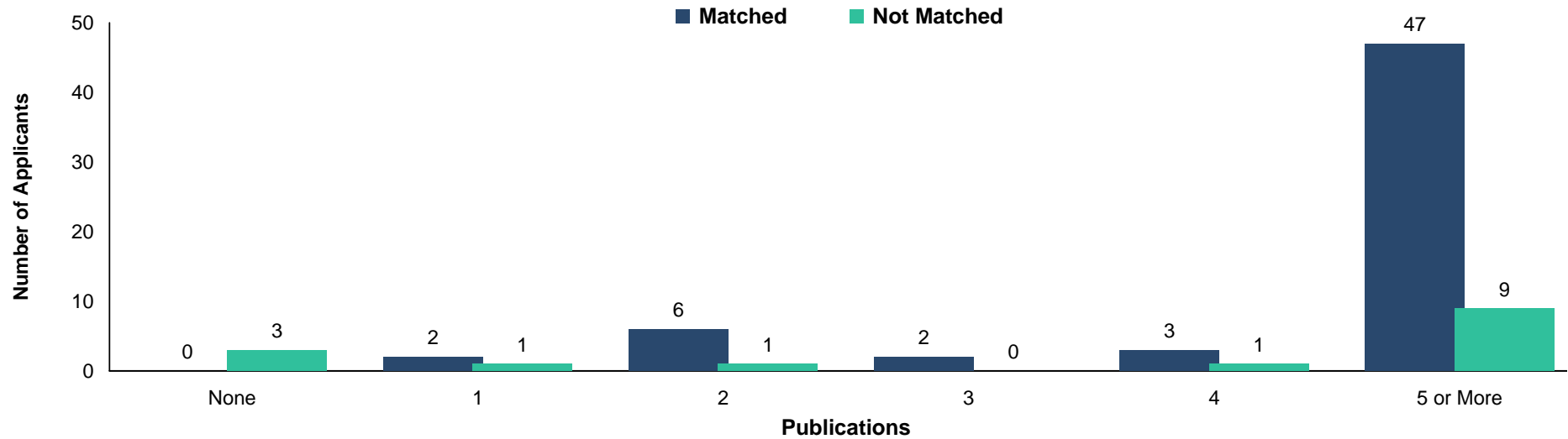
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**Number of Research Projects of U.S. MD Seniors
*Vascular Surgery***



**Chart
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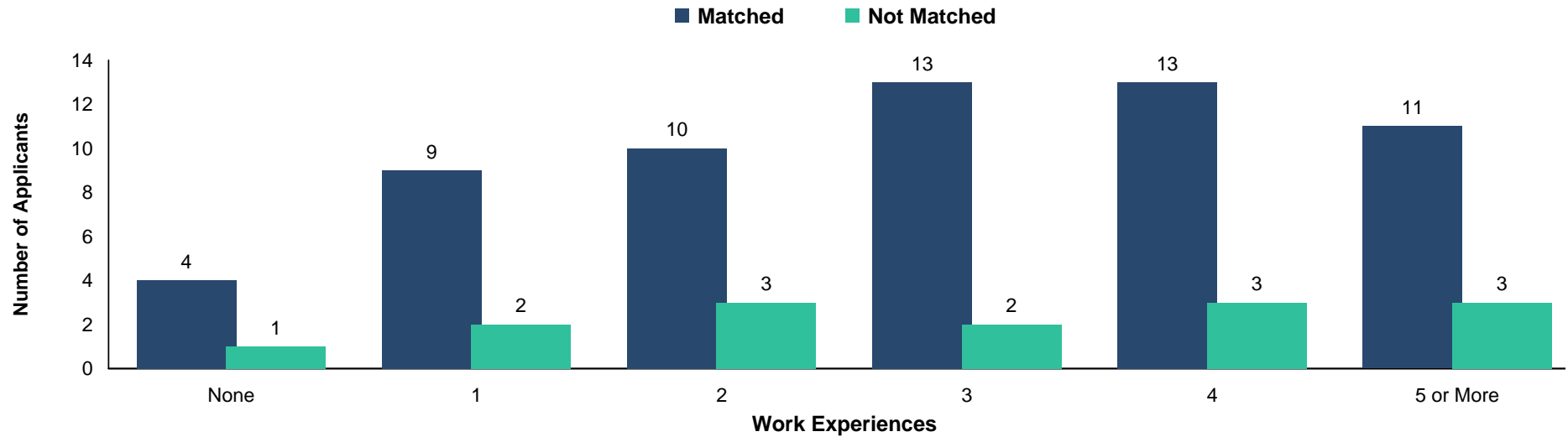
**Number of Abstracts, Presentations, and Publications of U.S. MD Seniors
*Vascular Surgery***



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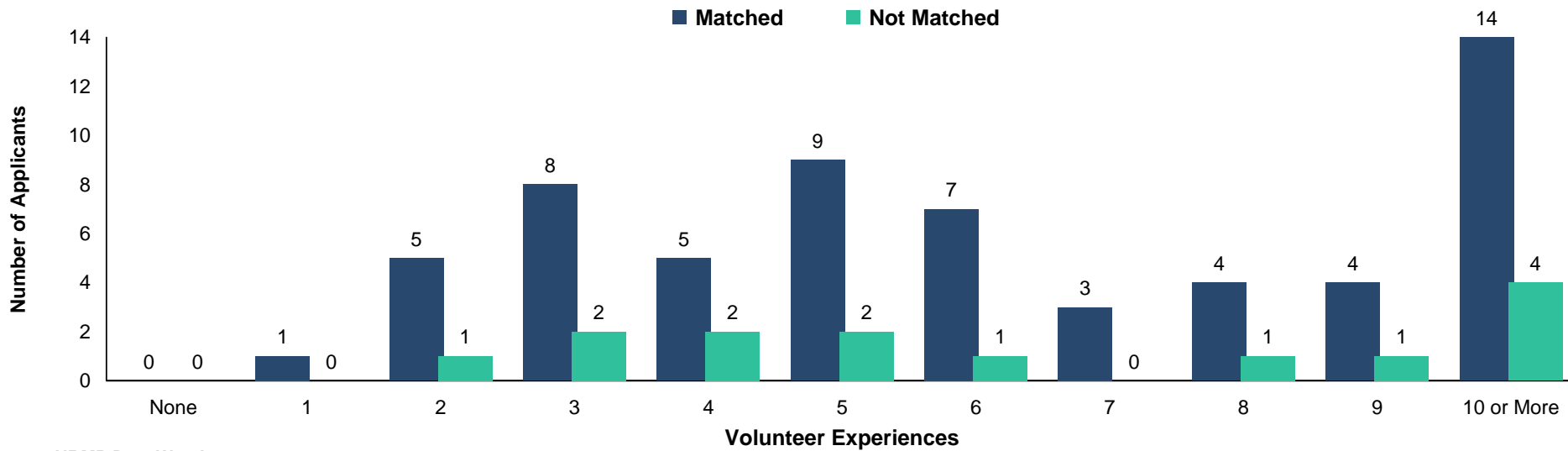
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**Number of Work Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Vascular Surgery**



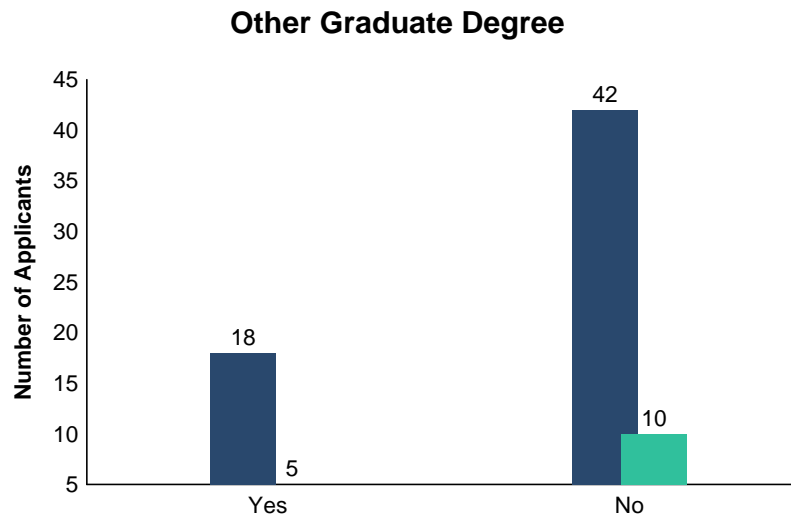
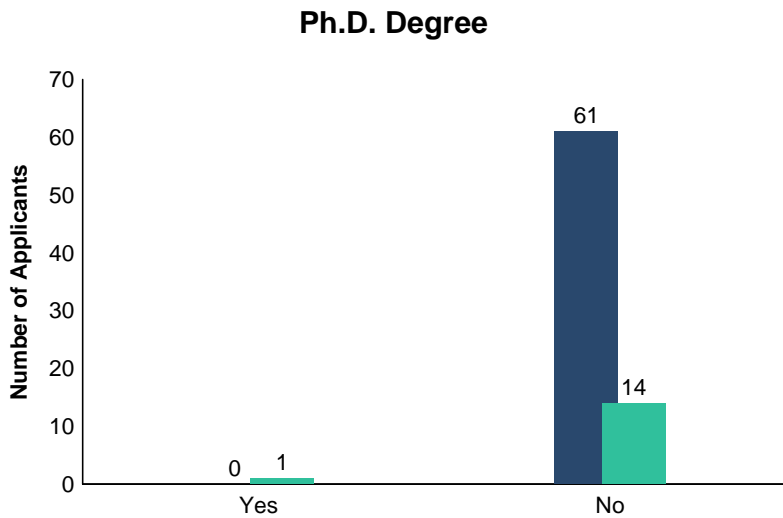
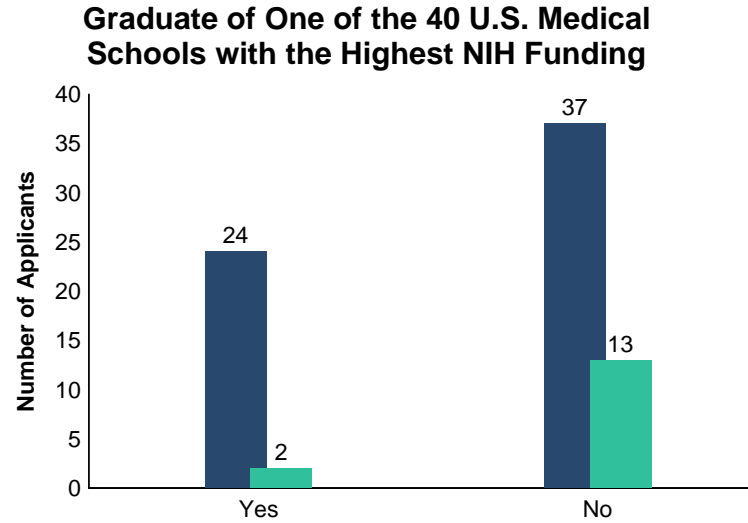
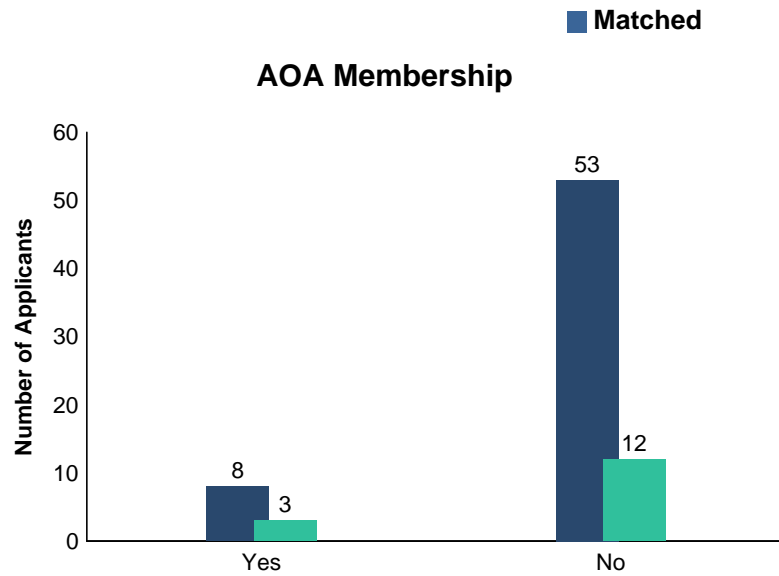
**Chart
VS-8**

**Number of Volunteer Experiences of U.S. MD Seniors
Vascular Surgery**



Source: NRMP Data Warehouse

Other Characteristics of U.S. MD Seniors
Vascular Surgery



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