A PLAYBOOK TO CONNECT STUDENT ATHLETES TO HEALTH COVERAGE
Your impact extends beyond the playing field when you connect students to FAMIS and FAMIS Plus - Virginia’s state sponsored child health insurance programs.
✓ Do you know how to help a student who is uninsured get health insurance?
✓ What are the FAMIS programs?
✓ What keeps people from applying for FAMIS programs?
✓ Who is eligible?
✓ Who can apply for a student?
✓ Do these programs provide high quality health care?
✓ How much do the FAMIS programs cost?
✓ What are the ways to apply?
✓ Does enrollment have to be renewed annually?
✓ Where can I go to learn more?
✓ Where can families go for help?
Health for success

Students *With* Health Insurance:

- Miss less school and are more likely to graduate
- Have a regular medical provider and can readily access treatment for conditions like ear infections & asthma and get preventive care, like annual check ups and vaccinations
Eligibility for the Famis programs

Who is Eligible?

• Students under 19 attending your schools.

• Virginia residents and US citizens or qualified legal immigrants.

• Families whose income is within the FAMIS programs limits.

A family of 4 can make as much as $51,455 per year and the children still qualify.