

**Referral to the Academic Advancement Center  
TRIO/Student Support Services Program**

**Student Information**

First and Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reason for referral (required):**

**Knowledge of student's eligibility status: (At least one required)**

- Low Income
- First Generation college student
- Disability
- Unsure of Students Eligibility

**Referring Faculty/Staff Information**

Name (required): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

How do you know the student?

Does the student know you have referred them to the AAC?  Yes  No

Have you reviewed the AAC application with the student?  Yes  No

The **TRIO Student Support Services Program (SSS)** is a federally funded program through the U.S. Department of Education. TRIO programs began in the mid-60's as a way to help students with the college transition process. The TRIO SSS program started here at Colorado State University in \_\_\_\_\_.

The **objectives** are:

1. To increase educational opportunities in order to promote academic success
2. To enhance student retention
3. To increase graduation rates and
4. To provide support during the 4-year college transfer process.

**Students may qualify** by being a first generation college student, meeting the federal guidelines for low income or by being a student with a disability. **At least 1 eligibility criteria is required. Preference will be given to those students who demonstrate the greatest need for support.**

**Return Referral Form to:**

- 117 L.L. Gibbons Building
- 8100 Campus Delivery
- Fax: (970)491-3476
- Questions? (970)491-6129

**Please cut and give the portion below and give to the student.**

**AAC/TRIO Student Support Services Program Referral Information**

- **Good for you!** A faculty/staff member has referred you to the Academic Advancement Center/TRIO Student Support Services Program.
- **Next Steps** - In order to become an AAC participant and receive services through our office you need to visit [aac.colostate.edu/how-to-apply](http://aac.colostate.edu/how-to-apply) and complete and submit an application.
- **Questions?** Call (970)491-6129