



**NCAA Division I Working Group on Transfers
Summary of Key Takeaways
July 6, 2020, Videoconference**

- 1. Notification of transfer date.** The NCAA Division I Working Group on Transfers continued its discussion of whether there should be a time by which a student-athlete must indicate their intent to transfer in order to access the uniform transfer exception under development. The working group is initially supportive of a notification date that aligns with existing NCAA Transfer Portal trends across all sports and provides student-athletes with adequate time to make an informed decision about initiating the transfer process.

The working group will seek feedback on a notification date that balances student-athletes' interests with institutions' programmatic decisions, while taking into account different academic calendars and the conclusion of varying seasons of competition. The working group will engage with the NCAA Division I Football Oversight Committee, NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Oversight Committee, NCAA Division I Women's Basketball Oversight Committee and the NCAA Division I Student-Athlete Experience Committee on an approach to notification date(s) that aligns with identified principles and is consistent with the NCAA Division I Council's transfer eligibility resolution (NCAA Proposal No. R-2020-6).

- 2. Student-athlete informed decision-making.** The working group discussed how to best ensure student-athletes possess the information to make informed decisions about initiating the four-year transfer process. The working group agreed that mandatory education should be developed to help student-athletes understand the implications of transferring, including, but not limited to, whether their existing academic record projects a likelihood of maintained academic progress at their new institution. The working group agreed that the NCAA Division I Student-Athlete Advisory Committee could assist in developing an educational module that could be utilized by Division I student-athletes prior to entering the NCAA Transfer Portal.
- 3. Future videoconference.** The working group will hold its next videoconference at 2 p.m. Eastern time July 13.