

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR COUNSELORS

# ENTERING COLLEGE OFFERS FOR MULTIPLE STUDENTS INTO COMPARE COLLEGE OFFERS

#### Overview

For counselors, here are steps for setting up a student's account in Compare College Offers as a "proxy" for your students. In our current system, each account is connected to one student. For counselors interested in entering in offers from multiple students, you'll need to use a variation of your own email address to create a new account for each student.

This will require the following:

- 1. Use a variation of your email address
- 2. Create a new Compare College Offers account, sign up as a parent, not a counselor
- 3. Validate the account
- 4. Enter the Compare College Offer data
- 5. Send new Compare College Offers and new email account credentials to the student's family (optional)

## **Use a Variation of Your Email Address**

Creating and using a variation of your email address is required so that you are acting as a proxy for your student. Since you do not have your student's email credentials, this will help to create a new, separate Compare College Offers account for each student's offers you'd like to enter

- 1. Use a variation of your email address to create a new account on Compare College Offers.
  - a. If your original email address is <u>suesmith@comcast.net</u>, then you can create variations of your email address such as <u>suesmith+1@comcast.net</u>. By adding +1, this creates a new and different email address, but it will deliver emails to your inbox.
  - b. You can continue making variations by adding one, such as suesmith+2@comcast.net.
  - c. Don't forget to write down all the credentials for each new email address variation you create.

# **Creating a New Compare College Offers account**

After successful creation of a new email variation, you'll need to create a Compare College Offers account with the newly created email address

1. Go to <u>Compare College Offers</u> and begin account creation for your student with the new email address.

- 2. Write down the password you create for each variation of your email address.
- 3. Now log in with the proxy email address and copied password.

## **Compare College Offers Data**

After successful login to Compare College Offers, you may now enter in the data for the student as their proxy.

# **Suggested Next Steps**

- 1. Managing the Compare College Offers account as proxy:
  - a. Share the new email and Compare College Offers log in information with the student or parent.
  - b. Determine with the student/parent that you will continue adding in offers as they are received.