

# Aazaar Abdul-Rahim

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## Biography

Aazaar Abdul-Rahim, the co-defensive coordinator at the University of Maryland, has built a reputation for blending strong recruitment skills with adaptive defensive strategies. A native of the Washington, D.C. area, Abdul-Rahim achieved success at the high school level before making collegiate stops at Alabama, Boston College, and UMass. His return to the DMV region at Maryland has led to a surge in local recruiting success, with the Terrapins attracting some of the best talents in the area. Abdul-Rahim's defenses prioritize aggression, versatility, and discipline, aiming to mold athletes who are both physically dominant and mentally prepared.

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## Statement

My mission is to develop complete student-athletes: disciplined on the field, resilient in life, and prepared to impact their communities.

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## Feature

Boston College Hires Aazaar Abdul-Rahim As Defensive Backs Coach - Sports Illustrated  
An elite recruiter is heading to Chestnut Hill

<https://www.si.com/college/bostoncollege/football/aazaar-abdul-rahim-boston-college-defensive-backs-coach>

Aazaar Abdul-Rahim joins Nick Saban's staff at Alabama - The Washington Post  
[https://www.washingtonpost.com/sports/highschools/friendship-collegiate-football-coach-aazaar-abdul-rahim-joins-nick-sabans-staff-at-alabama/2014/02/18/462f9396-98ec-11e3-b931-0204122c514b\\_story.html](https://www.washingtonpost.com/sports/highschools/friendship-collegiate-football-coach-aazaar-abdul-rahim-joins-nick-sabans-staff-at-alabama/2014/02/18/462f9396-98ec-11e3-b931-0204122c514b_story.html)

Co-DC Aazaar Abdul-Rahim talks about coming home, returning to Maryland  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yIpAF3gutGE>

Maryland football's 'lion tamer,' is back home - The Diamondback  
<https://dbknews.com/2024/08/22/maryland-football-aazaar-abdul-rahim-defense/>

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## PRINCIPLES

- Holistic Development: Prioritizes athlete growth academically, socially, and athletically.
  - Consistency & Discipline: Expects players to maintain focus and composure at all times.
  - Innovation: Continuously adapts schemes to maximize the strengths of his roster.
  - Team-First Mindset: Urges each athlete to support one another, fostering a unified, competitive culture.
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