Pronoun-Antecedent Quiz

Revise the following sentences to correct errors in pronoun-antecedent agreement. There are several possible correct answers.

1.	A teacher might appear to be trustworthy, but they don't always keep their promises.
2.	If anybody asks the president a question, they get a blank stare in response.
3.	Each American citizen must take care of their own medical expenses.

4. The school held their pep rally in the gymnasium.

1

Teachers might appear to be trustworthy, but they don't always keep their promises. A teacher who appears to be trustworthy might not always keep his or her promises.

2

Anybody who asks the president a question gets a blank stare in response.

If anybody asks the president a question, he or she gets a blank stare in response.

If reporters ask the president a question, they get a blank stare in response.

3.

American citizens must take care of their own medical expenses.

Each American citizen must take care of his or her own medical expenses.

4.

The school held its pep rally in the gymnasium.

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The students, faculty, and staff held their pep rally in the gymnasium.