



University of Colorado **Denver**

BUDGET REDUCTION PRINCIPLES

We believe that budgetary decisions must be guided by a set of principles that reflect our core values. Our budgetary response to the COVID-19 crisis thus concentrates on:

- **Keeping our community healthy and safe.**
- **Supporting and valuing our students, faculty, and staff.**
- **Striving to balance the viability of our operations, the values we place on the learning experience for our students, and our commitment to excellence.**
- **Innovating for the future as we pursue and refine our strategic priorities and amplify our potential for impact as a comprehensive public urban research university.**
- **Ensuring thoughtful, responsible decision-making using the best available data, expertise, and wisdom.**
- **Encouraging and sustaining broad consultation and transparency in the decision-making process.**