

BLUE HEN **STRONG** FUND

The **Blue Hen Strong Fund** launched in May 2020 to directly and immediately address the urgent needs of our UD students who are facing challenges as a result of the coronavirus pandemic. The funds will ensure they continue to succeed at UD and beyond with grants to cover tuition, access to technology and advancements to online learning tools, career readiness support and so much more.

To date, the fund has provided secure housing for a number of students after residence halls closed in the spring; created a laptop loan program for students to have the hardware and software needed to succeed while remote learning; and provided tuition assistance for struggling students who faced new financial challenges as a result of the pandemic.

As the effects of the pandemic continue, students' needs grow and evolve. A gift of any amount to the fund will help them overcome this difficult time.

At UD, when we face challenges, we face them together.

WE ARE BLUE HEN STRONG.

