



NCI Legislative Update

Clinical Trials and Translational Research Advisory Committee

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Discussion Topics

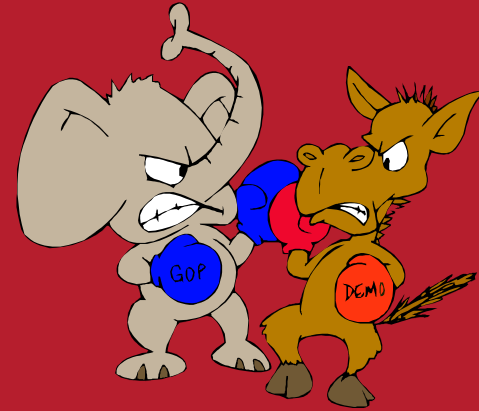
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Appropriations Status – FY 2014

What Happened?



Where are we now?

- Continuing Resolution PL 113-46 on Oct. 16
- Funding at FY 2013 level (NCI= \$1.4 B)
- Expires January 15, 2014

Appropriations Status – FY 2014

What's in the CR?

- Government re-opened immediately
- Debt Limit extended through Feb. 7
- Budget Conference Committee to be appointed
- Pay for furloughed federal employees
- Reporting requirements – conferences > \$100K



Appropriations Status – FY 2014

What's Next?

- Budget conferees create spending plan by 12/13
- Appropriation Subcommittees use new spending level to work on individual bills
- Bills combined into Omnibus bill and passed



If Not --

Full year CR? - Short term CR? - Another shutdown?



Congressional Activities

Hearings on Affordable Care Act

- House (3)
- Senate (2)

Budget Conference Committee Meetings

Projected Schedule

- House (16 days – finish up Dec. 13)
- Senate (through Thanksgiving – weekends)



Congressional Activities - NCI

Briefings

- Childhood Cancer Summit
- Ovarian Cancer
- Cancer Health Disparities

Senate Cancer Coalition Forum

Visits to NIH

- Sen. Baldwin (WI)
- Rep. Peters (CA)
- Committee Staff (HELP)

Visit – and - Legislation



Sen. Baldwin met with trainees at NIH July 15

Sen. Baldwin introduced legislation Sept 26



Legislation of Interest

Next Generation Research Act – S. 1552

- NIH Initiative to improve opportunities
 - Strengthen mentoring
 - Enhance workforce diversity efforts
 - Improve success in awards/renewals
- IOM study of barriers to success
- NAS report on impact of sequestration in 5 yrs



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