Sequestration Recap

- $1.55 Billion Cut in FY13
- FY13 Final NIH Budget: $29.15 Billion
- $18.8 Billion Cut Over 10 Years
- “…it’s just fine”
Non-Defense Discretionary Spending Under BCA and Sequester

$ in billions

Budget Control Act of 2011
CBO Estimate of Sequestration Caps, March 2013
FY14 Budget and Appropriations Process

“House Republicans so far are engaged in something of a legislative charade with Democrats . . . ”

Congressional Quarterly News
June 10, 2013
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Source: Fiscal Year 2014 budget – The Path to Prosperity: A Responsible, Balanced Budget
FY14 House Appropriations Bottom Line

House LHHS Subcommittee Allocations

- FY13: $156.5 Billion
- FY13 (Seq.): $149.6 Billion
- FY14 (House): $121.8 Billion
- FY14 (Senate): ?
The National Institutes of Health (NIH) Director, Dr. Francis Collins, yesterday warned about the damage that could be caused by the automatic $85 billion in cuts to all federal discretionary spending that took effect on March 1. NIH Director Francis Collins and other health experts warn that the so-called sequestration would slow scientific progress, delay clinical trials, and put a generation of young researchers at risk if NIH’s $31 billion budget for this year is trimmed by $1.5 billion.
Senate Appropriations Chairwoman Barbara Mikulski (D-MD)
February 20, 2013
“I am going to lead a bipartisan trip…to the NIH when we get back . . . Not only will we be spending just a couple of hours together one afternoon in Washington, but also perhaps learn something together that we can practice…trying to solve problems together.”

Leader Cantor statement at Milken Global Conference
April 29, 2013
House Majority Leader Eric Cantor (R-7th-VA)
May 9, 2013
Effects of Sequestration

Dina Faddah’s Story

“Many of my role models—top scientists with amazing ideas and the potential to change the world—are unable to get funding. I can’t erase the fear that this is my future.”
Georgia Universities
May 29, 2013
Legislative Update

NIH Director’s Report to the Advisory Committee to the Director
June 13, 2013

Pat White
Associate Director for Legislative Policy and Analysis
NIH