

From: Fauci, Anthony (NIH/NIAID) [E]
Sent: Tue, 17 Mar 2020 02:48:31 +0000
To: Pardis Sabeti
Subject: RE: Planning for a hearing on Global Health Security Team

Pardis:

Sorry that I did not respond sooner. I am getting over 1500 emails per day and this one got lost in the pile. Anything that you can do to help would be welcome.

Best,

Tony

From: Pardis Sabeti [REDACTED] (b) (6)
Sent: Tuesday, March 3, 2020 9:31 PM
To: Fauci, Anthony (NIH/NIAID) [E] [REDACTED] (b) (6)
Subject: Fwd: Planning for a hearing on Global Health Security Team

Dear Tony,

I hope that all is well given our current circumstances. I am sure you are very busy, so apologize for the intrusion, but would love your insight if you have a moment.

I just had a very interesting talk today with Wendy Ginsberg on the House Committee on Oversight and Reform, with an opportunity to testify at a hearing next Wednesday (email attached).

While I am very excited for an opportunity to advocate for further funding and operational support for pandemic preparedness, I also recognize that this format may not be the right one to do so. Moreover, I may not be the right person to do so, as I think you, Francis, or Eric Lander would do far better than me.

I imagine they have already asked you to participate, and would just love any insight you might have as to whether I should consider doing this, and if so, how I should proceed. I really only would want to do so if it is a place where I can help the larger infectious disease community and make a positive nonpolitical impact.

Thanks so much for your consideration,

Pardis

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From: Ginsberg, Wendy <[REDACTED] (b) (6)>
Date: Mon, Mar 2, 2020 at 8:54 AM
Subject: Planning for a hearing on Global Health Security Team
To: [REDACTED] (b) (6)>