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**Sent:** Fri, 21 Feb 2020 10:40:17 -0500 **To:** Collins, Francis (NIH/OD) [E]

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Subject: Re: FYI on Senate staff visit

Thanks, Francis.

Hi Tony,

I got asked by Alex Keenan what the NIH needs for the coronavirus response. I said that this had been looked at with great care by you and your staff. If you are asking me for technical assistance, I said, we need about 60 (5) for FY20-21, and more in the long run.

ASFR was in the room but did not have a visible seizure.

Just thought you'd want to know before you meet with the staffers later today.

FC