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Government Shutdown and Your Federal Project (UPDATE)

The partial shutdown of the Federal Government went into effect a month ago, as many of you already know. The shutdown primarily affects those agencies that have not been funded through the end of the Federal fiscal year (FFY) 2019. This includes:

- National Science Foundation (NSF)
- National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)
- Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
- Departments of Agriculture
- Department of Commerce
- Department of Homeland Security
- Housing and Urban Development (HUD)
- Department of Interior
- Department of Justice
- Department of State
- Department of Transportation.

With the exception of NSF, the affected agencies have not yet issued guidance on how the shutdown will impact their grant and contract operations.

The National Science Foundation (NSF) has posted information on their website addressing the various assistance and contract-related policy and systems issues that may arise during the lapse in appropriations of the Federal Government. NSF is providing this information as a service to its proposers and awardees in the hopes that it will address most of the questions, which may arise during this time period. Visit NSF's page, [Information About the Government Shutdown for NSF Proposers and Grantees](#).

[Agency Contingency Plans and FAQs](#) for all Federal agencies can be found on the OMB website. A few of the agencies have updated their plan since ORA's announcement dated January 3, 2019, [Impact of Government Shutdown on Your Federal Project](#).



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