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News From the Hill

News From the Hill: January 4, 2019

The 116th Congress convened on January 3rd for the start of its two-year legislative session. As new members were sworn in and sought to organize their offices, congressional leaders were negotiating with the White House to resolve a partial government shutdown. The agencies funded by the seven unfinished Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 appropriations bills (Homeland Security, EPA, FDA, etc.) continued to furlough some workers while others completed essential tasks without pay as the shutdown stretched into its second week.



At issue remains the administration's recalcitrant request for at least \$5 billion in funding for a southern border wall and a compromise or alternative path forward has yet to take shape.

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Translational Science Today



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