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FASEB Statement on FY 2024 Senate LHHS Appropriations Support for Nonhuman Primate Research

The Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology (FASEB) applauds the Senate Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies (LHHS) Appropriations Subcommittee for its investment and support for nonhuman primate (NHP) research in its fiscal year (FY) 2024 spending package. The [proposed bill](#) includes \$30 million for the National Primate Research Centers to expand, remodel, and renovate research facilities, an essential step toward increasing primate capacity in the U.S. and reducing our dependence on foreign imports. Additionally, the Senate [report](#) directs the National Institutes of Health (NIH) to develop a strategic management plan for NHP resources. As highlighted in FASEB's [sign-on letter](#) to the Senate Committee earlier this year, a national plan will bolster research collaborations and ensure NHPs and associated resources are readily available for investigators to continue research fundamental to science and public health. FASEB strongly encourages Congress to include these provisions in the final FY 2024 appropriations package to foster a sustainable research environment for the next generation and solidify the U.S.'s leadership in scientific innovation.

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