

On Wednesday, March 5, 2025, a Federal Court issued a preliminary injunction prohibiting certain actions related to Executive Orders 14187 and 14168, which is effective immediately. You can review the court's order and the Executive Orders at <https://nsf-gov-resources.nsf.gov/files/Washington-v-Trump-NoticeOfCourtOrder-3-5-2025.pdf>.

The Order prevents NSF employees from withholding federal funding because a health care entity or health professional provides gender-affirming care.

The Court's Order also prevents NSF from implementing the requirements contained in Sections 3(e) and 3(g) of Executive Order 14,168, *Defending Women from Gender Ideology Extremism and Restoring Biological Truth to the Federal Government*.

Pursuant to the Court's directive this notice is being provided "to all Defendants, and agencies and their employees, contractors and grantees."

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