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You all know the genesis of the restrictions on travel and conferences/meetings/light refreshments was largely a result of a lack of stewardship for DOJ's and later the GSA's conferences.

However, you may not be aware of the Executive Order or OMB policy directive that have in the recent past, and will in the future alter how we do business. I think it is important that you see first hand what the Department and NIH have to respond to so when directed we understand the details of why NIH publishes and issues restrictive policies for travel/conferences/meetings.

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<http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/memoranda/2012/m-12-12.pdf>

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