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IMPROVING CANCER CARE FOR ALL: REAL PEOPLE-REAL PROBLEMS WHY DON'T ALL AMERICANS GET THE BEST AVAILABLE CANCER CARE?

Grand Hyatt Washington, DC May 23-25, 2001

May 23, 2001, Wilson/Roosevelt Room

Opening Night Session: Wilson/Roosevelt Room, Grand Hyatt

6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

- Special presentation of *Where's Shirley?*, a play written by Richard Wilson and Linda Johnson to raise breast cancer awareness
- Cast Includes:
 - La Deva Davis, as "Mary," Jayne M. Jeffries, as "Clara," and Karen Vicks, as "Rose"
- Panelists from participating States will have an opportunity to interact with members of the President's Cancer Panel and speakers from other States.

May 24, 2001, Constitution Ballroom A

- 9:00 Opening Statement Dr. Harold P. Freeman, Chairman, President's Cancer Panel
- 9:15 The District of Columbia
- Dr. Michael Richardson, Chief, Bureau of Chronic Disease, Government of the District of Columbia Department of Health, Washington, DC
 - Dr. Robert L. DeWitty, Assistant Professor of Surgery, Howard University College of Medicine, Washington, DC
 - Bishop Imogene B. Stewart, Advocate, Inner City Communications, Washington, DC
 - Ms. Mary Emma Middleton, Palliative Care Coordinator/Acute Care Nurse, Greater Southeast Community Hospital, Washington, DC
 - Ms. Jacquelyn E. Flowers, Community Representative, Washington, DC
 - Mr. David Dalton, Community Representative, Suitland, MD
- 10:15 Question-and-Answer Session
- 10:35 Break
- 10:55 State of Delaware
- Dr. Paul Silverman, Chief of Disease Prevention and Control, Delaware Division of Public Health, Dover, DE
 - Mr. Mawuna Gardesey, Minority Health Director, Delaware Division of Public Health, Dover, DE
 - Ms. Sharon L. Anderson, Senior VP for Care Management, Christiana Care Health Services, Wilmington, DE
 - Ms. Gail Stevens, Health Center Nurse Manager, Delmarva Rural Ministries, Inc., Dover, DE
 - Ms. Cinthia I. Prado, Latin American Community Center, Wilmington, DE
 - Ms. Judith Lieberman, Community Representative, Dover, DE
 - Ms. Brenda Billingsley, Community Representative, Wilmington, DE
- 11:55 Question-and-Answer Session
- 12:15 Lunch
- 1:15 State of Maryland
- Ms. Marsha Bienia, Director, Center for Cancer Surveillance and Control, Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, Baltimore, MD
 - Ms. Susan Garrett, Clinical Coordinator, Greater Baden Medical Services, Inc., Brandywine, MD
 - Dr. Bea Gaddy, Community Representative, Baltimore, MD
 - Ms. J. Lorette Savary, Community Representative, Kensington, MD
 - Ms. Aide Montoya, Community Representative, Baltimore, MD
- 2:15 Question-and-Answer Session
- 2:35 Break
- 2:45 State of New Jersey
- Dr. Eddy A. Bresnitz, State Epidemiologist/Assistant Commissioner, Division of Epidemiology, Environmental and Occupational Health, NJ Department of Health and Senior Services, Trenton, NJ
 - Ms. Ann Marie Hill, Executive Director, New Jersey Commission on Cancer Research, Trenton, NJ
 - Ms. Evelyn Robles-Rodriguez, Oncology Advance Practice Nurse, Cooper Health System, Sewell, NJ

- Dr. Dean R. Prince, Community Representative, Mountain Lakes, NJ
- Mr. Kevin P. McCartney, Community Representative, Mount Laurel, NJ
- Ms. Janet A. Harris, Community Representative, Orange, NJ

3:45 Question-and-Answer Session

4:05 Summary Remarks, Day 1.....Dr. Harold P. Freeman

4:10 Adjourn

7:00 Town Meeting

Meetings of the President's Cancer Panel are Open to the Public