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Media Advisory

TOWN HALL COMMUNITY CONVERSATION ABOUT PRESCRIPTION AND COUGH MEDICINE ABUSE

What: Prescription Drugs & Other Medicine Abuse by Our Children & Teens - A Town Hall Community Conversation To Bring Parents & Other Community Stakeholders Up-To-Speed on These Issues Prescription and Cough Medicine Abuse

The Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America (CADCA) and the Consumer Healthcare Products Association (CHPA) in partnership with The Miami Coalition and the City of Hialeah will host a community conversation on how to prevent teen abuse of prescription drugs and nonprescription medicine, including cough medicine, Tuesday, November 29, at the City of Hialeah Educational Academy in Hialeah, Fla.

The goal for this event is to bring these issues to the forefront on our community's radar and generate a sense of urgency for parents to talk about these issues with their children and teens. Parents and all attendees will leave this event with ideas and tangible strategies for addressing the issues of prescription drugs and other medicine abuse.

Senator Rene Garcia and Representative Eddy Gonzalez are scheduled to attend.

When: Tuesday, November 29, 2011, 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Where: Hialeah Educational Academy, 2590 West 76 Street (an innovative, results-driven charter high school) www.hialeaheducationalacademy.com

Who: In Partnership with Washington, D.C.- based organizations Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America (www.CADCA.org) and the Consumer Healthcare Products Association (www.chpa-info.org), The Miami Coalition (www.miamicoalition.org) and the City of Hialeah have teamed up with these innovative organizations to make sure our families have the information they need to have these essential conversations with their children and teens.

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