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Sunday, February 9

2:00 - 6:00 Registration

(Registration 8:00 - 5:30 each day of the Conference)

3:00 - 4:00 State Parent Delegate **Regional Meetings**

5:00 - 7:00 Surgeon General's Reception Honoring America's **Families**

Monday, February 10

8:00 - 9:00 Opening Ceremonies

Joint Service Color Guard and Singers West

Invocation

Reverend Jeffrey Jerimah

Pastor of Fourth Presbyterian Church Bethesda, Maryland

Welcome

Dr. Louis W. Sullivan

Secretary of Health and Human Services

Charge to Participants

Dr. Antonia C. Novello

Surgeon General

9:00 - 9:30 Break

Monday, February 10 (continued)

9:30 - 10:40 Concurrent Panel Sessions

Panel 2A—Healthy Children Ready to Learn: What Are the Roles of Parents, Educators, Health Professionals, and the Community?

Panel 2B—Special Issues that Impact Children and Families: Substance Abuse, HIV, and **Violence**

10:45 - 1:15 Parent Work Groups

Lunch During Work Group

10:45 - 12:00 **Concurrent Panel Sessions**

Panel 1A—Early Childhood Issues That Affect School Readiness and Health

Panel 1B—Helping Families Get Services: Some New Approaches

12:00 - 1:15 Luncheon Speaker Dr. Willie Epps

1:20 - 1:50 Security Check

for President's Keynote Address

2:00 - 2:30 Keynote Address

George H. Bush

President of the United States of America

2:30 Break

2:30 - 5:30 **Exhibits Open** 4:00 - 5:00 Workshops 1-14

 Everyone	State Parent Delegates	4.	General Participants

Tuesday, February 11

8:30 - 9:00 Keynote Speech

Edward Madigan

Secretary of Agriculture

9:00 - 9:15 Break

9:15 - 12:15 Parent Work Groups

9:30 - 10:45 **Concurrent Panel Sessions**

Panel 3A-Disabilities

Panel 38—Exploring Comprehensive Health and Education Models for Young Children

Lunch Durina Work Group

10:45 - 11:00 Break

11:00 - 12:30 Concurrent Panel Sessions

Panel 4A-Children With Special Health Care Needs: Lessons Learned

Panel 48—Parenting: The Critical Role

12:30 - 3:30 **Parent** Work Groups

12:30 - 2:00 Lunch

2:00 - 3:30 **Concurrent Panel Sessions**

Panel 5A-Child Care: Two **Perspectives**

Panel 5B-Healthy Start, Head Start. Even Start and WIC: Integrating Health Education and **Social Service Programs**

3:30 Break

3:30 - 5:30 **Exhibits Open**

4:00 - 5:00 Workshops 15-28

Wednesday, February 12.

8:30 - 9:00 Keynote Speech

Lamar Alexander

Secretary of Education

9:00 - 9:10 Speech

Roger B. Porter

Assistant to the President for Economic and Domestic Policy

9:10 - 10:30 Findings of Parent Work Groups

10:30 - 11:45 Responder Panel

11:45 - 12:15 Meeting Summary

Dr. Antonia C. Novello

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Drug-Free Children: Parents Speak Out!

Monday, February 10 ■ Tuesday, February 11 4:00 - 5:00

We invite the parents to attend an open forum to share your views on a variety of topics related to raising drugfree children. A panel of representatives from the Department of Education and the Department of Health and Human Services will be present to hear your comments and answer questions about topics such as:

- ✓ What do children from birth to age seven need to know. about drug prevention?
- ✓ How does drug use affect the lives of young children?
- ✓ How can parents prepare children to lead drug-free lives?
- ✓ How can schools and communities help?
- ✓ What preschool and early elementary programs include drug prevention?
- ✓ How important are drug education curricula for preschool and early elementary school children?