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*The Pan American Health Organization,
The U.S. Department of Health & Human Services,
The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention,
and the 1997 World Health Day Advisory Committee*

*Cordially invite you to join our
1997 World Health Day celebration*

*“Emerging Infectious Diseases:
Reduce the Risk”*

Monday, April 7, 1997 - 9:00 a.m.

with keynote speaker

David Satcher, M.D., Ph.D.

Director, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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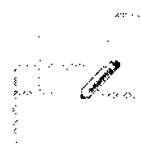
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Subject: Carol LaFavor Speaking Request 10/10

Ms LaFavor has asked that I give a talk in Minneapolis on 10/10
she will forward a formal request. I told her I would not still be the AIDS Director NAPO, but she
wanted me anyway

eric



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*Eric did not attend P&F/af
on calendar
thanks*

The Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS) presents its compliments to participants and observers who attended the third meeting of the Programme Coordinating Board (PCB) and has the honour to refer to the report of that meeting, in particular paragraph 47 concerning the next PCB meeting.

Taking into consideration the fact that UNAIDS will be presenting to the fourth meeting of the PCB a consolidated programme budget and workplan for the 1998-1999 biennium, which integrates the cosponsors' workplans, it has been found necessary to change the dates originally set for this meeting, which will now take place on 7 and 8 April 1997. Further information and announcements relating to the meeting will be sent out in the usual way.

The Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS takes this opportunity to renew to participants and observers the assurance of its highest consideration and looks forward to future collaboration.

Geneva, 11 October 1996

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With the compliments

of

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Avec les compliments

du

Dr Hu Ching-Li

Sous-Directeur général



EMC-C8-87-33

10 January 1997

To: Interested Parties

Meeting of Interested Parties for the
Division of Emerging and other Communicable
Diseases Surveillance and Control

I have pleasure in inviting you to attend a Meeting of Interested Parties for the Division of Emerging and other Communicable Diseases Surveillance and Control (EMC) on Wednesday afternoon 9 April and Thursday morning 10 April 1997, in the Executive Board Room at WHO headquarters. The purpose of this meeting is to review the progress of the programme during 1996, and to present proposed plans of action and the budget for 1997 through 1999.

The provisional agenda is enclosed for your review. Documentation for the meeting, including the annual report for 1996, and the budget for 1997-1999, will be sent to you at the beginning of February 1997. The working languages of the meeting will be English and French and interpretation facilities will be provided.

For your information, we are inviting all the major EMC donors, and representatives of non-governmental organizations with which we have close contact. We regret, however, that we are unable to cover any expenses on this occasion. The WHO regional offices and related programmes at headquarters will also be represented.

If you have any queries or would like further information, please contact Mr M. Szczeniowski whose direct telephone number is (41-22) 791 4697 and Email: szczeniowskim@who.ch.

We look forward to receiving your formal acceptance of this invitation and shall be glad to receive in due course the name(s), title(s) and contact information of your representative(s), so that we may proceed with the administrative arrangements.

I should like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continuing interest in and support of the work of the Division of Emerging and other Communicable Diseases Surveillance and Control.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Hu Ching-Li".

Dr Hu Ching-Li
Assistant Director-General

ENCL: (1) Provisional agenda

**World Health Organization
Division of Emerging and other Communicable Diseases
Surveillance and Control**



**Meeting of Interested Parties
Geneva, 9-10 April 1997
Executive Board Room**

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Introduction

Report on EMC activities
October 1995 - March 1997

Discussion

Financial Report 1996

Planned Activities and Budget
1997 - 1999

Conclusions and
Recommendations

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**DEPARTMENT OF STATE
OFFICE OF MEDICAL SERVICES
HIV TESTING POLICY**

HIV and ELISA testing are routine procedures done as part of the pre-employment and in-service clearance examination. These tests and others are performed to identify a number of diseases and medical conditions that would result in a limited medical clearance. In the case of pre-employment examination, M/MED recommends against hiring individuals who would not be worldwide available. HIV infections are one of many medical problems or conditions which would limit worldwide availability. For in-service individuals, a restricted clearance would be issued to match a pre-existing health problem to a post with adequate medical facilities.

In the Foreign Service context, there are four important reasons for testing:

1. **ACCESS TO ADEQUATE FACILITIES:** Most overseas posts do not have access to the medical resources necessary to maintain the health of individuals infected with the HIV virus. It is essential for a person infected with the HIV virus to have easy, quick access to high quality medical resources. Particularly in today's medical environment where new HIV therapies are rapidly becoming available, early access to high quality medical care will have an impact on the evolution of the HIV infection in many individuals especially those who are newly infected. Early diagnosis and prophylactic treatment of opportunistic infections will increase the quality and prolong the life of HIV infected individuals.
2. **ACTIVATION OF A LATENT HIV INFECTION:** There is a strong suspicion among experts that exposure to other infectious diseases can activate the latent HIV virus and cause progression to AIDS. M/MED will not send a person infected with HIV to a post where there is a high incidence of infectious diseases such as tuberculosis and infectious diarrhea.
3. **LIVE VACCINE:** For many posts, where the incidence of contagious diseases is high, vaccination with live vaccines is frequently required. Live vaccines, however, are contraindicated in patients infected with the HIV virus especially those whose immune system has been weakened. Therefore, M/MED will not risk administering live virus vaccines to a person who is infected with HIV.
4. **BLOOD TRANSFUSION:** In most overseas locations where our staff and family members reside, local blood supplies are considered unsafe because of inadequate testing against HIV, Hepatitis B, C, etc. Therefore, members of the Foreign Service Community are called upon to donate blood to fellow members in need. This happens several times a year. While testing of donors just prior to transfusion is done routinely, having previously tested all potential donors makes this "walking blood bank" the safest blood supply at many of our overseas posts.

OPTIONAL FORM 98 (7-90)

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MOTHERS' VOICES

United to end AIDS®

1997 Mother's Day Campaign



February, 1997

Dear Friend:

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While we all hope that further research can address these issues, we must continue to educate the public and our political leaders. And we must rally support for vigorous HIV prevention programs promoting safer sexual behavior. We at Mothers' Voices know with certainty, as do you, more federal, state and local funding, and more private support - both financial and volunteer - are urgently needed.

In 1997, as we have for the past six years, Mothers' Voices is using Mother's Day to continue to educate the public and the politicians. Our annual campaign has generated more than a million messages supporting AIDS prevention and research. Please join us in a massive call for sustained commitment to the fight.

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Thank you for joining us.

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Save The Date

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Tuesday, May 6, 1997

At

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