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 REMINDER!! MEDIA ADVISORY Representative Geraldine Thompson to Host Opioid Epidemic Virtual Forum

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*** MEDIA ADVISORY for TOMORROW, January 12, 2021 at 10:30 a.m.***

Representative Geraldine Thompson to Host Opioid Epidemic Virtual Forum

Orlando, FL – On Tuesday, January 12, 2021 from 10:30 am to 12:00 pm, **Representative Geraldine Thompson (D-Windermere)** will host an Opioid Epidemic Virtual Forum with featured speakers. This event will also provide attendees with resources to manage stress brought on by the pandemic.

Event is free but participants are encouraged to register.

"Many people are in distress and suffering from anxiety due to COVID-19. Opioid use and overdoses have gone up. House District 44 will present COPING in response to the opioid epidemic," stated **Representative Thompson**.

- WHO: Representative Geraldine Thompson Dr. Aaron A. Wohl, MD, FACEP Dr. Kendall Cortelou-Ward, PhD Andrae Bailey
- **WHAT:** Virtual Forum on the Opioid Epidemic
- **WHEN:** Tuesday, January 12, 2021 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

WHERE: Registration Link: http://opioidepidemicforum.rsvpify.com

Forum:

https://myfloridahouse.webex.com/myfloridahouse/j.php? MTID=medfac2ff6b226e5c12b772ee1617d252

* Additional details about featured speakers attached to this email.

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