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Health on the Homefront: Addressing the Health Needs of Members of the U.S. Armed Forces, Veterans and Their Families

June 16-17, 2014

Hampton Roads Convention Center, Virginia

Early bird registration extended through June 6th!

We are pleased to invite you to learn, contemplate, deliberate and exchange ideas about military health challenges, strengths and solutions. The health of our military and their families is vital to the health of the Commonwealth and our country. Nearly 2.4 million people, or **one in four Virginia residents, are active duty military, veterans or family members.**

We welcome all with an interest in the health of those who serve or have served their country, - especially military health and behavioral health, primary care, public health, behavioral health professionals, concerned citizens, advocates, educators, policy makers and planners.

The program has tracks on behavioral health, public health, and primary care topics. We will tackle such pertinent and disparate topics as Force/Fleet Readiness surveillance, suicide prevention, addiction, malaria prevention, survivor assistance, water contamination, and PTSD. Be prepared to be challenged and inspired.

An impressive line-up of speakers awaits you, including:

- **Ret. Major General Graham**, Former Director, U.S. Army Forces Command
- **Mrs. Carol Graham**, recipient of the US President's Call to Service Award
- **Marissa Levine, MD, MPH**, Virginia Commissioner of Health
- **Cynthia Romero, MD**, Director, EVMS' M. Foscue Brock Institute for Community and Global Health, former Commissioner of Health, past President, Medical Society of Virginia
- **Ret. Col. S. Avery Davis, MD**, Walter Reed Army Medical Center, member of the Order of Military Medical Merit
- **Stephen Deutsch, MD, PhD**, Anne Armistead Robinson Endowed Chair and Professor and Chairman of the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Eastern Virginia Medical School
- **Jan Kemp, RN, PhD**, National Mental Health Program Director for Suicide Prevention and Community Engagement, Department of Veterans Affairs Mental Health Services
- **Harold Kudler, MD**, Associate Director of the VA's Mid-Atlantic Mental Illness Research, Education, and Clinical Center (MIRECC) for Deployment Mental Health
- **Jane Lewis, PhD**, Senior Director of Quality Improvement and Standards, Region Ten Community Services Board
- **Paul Aravich, PhD** Eastern Virginia Medical School; former Chair of the Virginia Brain Injury Council; former Chair of the Virginia Public Guardian and Conservator Advisory Board

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