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MEDIA ADVISORY


WHEN: Tuesday, March 10, 2020, starting at 2 p.m.

WHERE: The Alabama Department of Public Health
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Satellite Downlink Coordinates

C BAND (Analog):
Satellite: Galaxy 16
Transponder: 8C
Orbital Position: 99 degrees West
Downlink Frequency: 3860 MHz
Polarity: Vertical; Audio: 6.2-6.8

Ku BAND (Digital – For Media Only):
Satellite: Galaxy 17
Transponder: 14K
Slot: A; Bandwidth 9.0; FEC 3/4; Sym Rate 6000
Orbital Position: 91 degrees West
Downlink Frequency: 11966.5 MHz
Polarity: Vertical; Audio: 6.2-6
Satellite technical questions: 1-800-811-6047 after 1:30 p.m.

**Webcast Information**
News conference will also be available via “live” webcast. Microsoft Edge, Google Chrome, Safari, Firefox or VLC Player are required to view the webcast. The Google Chrome and Firefox options require special extensions to access the webcast. Visit www.alabamapublichealth.gov/alphtn/webcast-test-connections.html for instructions on adding the appropriate extensions prior to the news conference.

View webcast:
Go to www.alabamapublichealth.gov/alphtn
Click on the “view webcast” link

The On Demand program will be posted to the website the afternoon of March 11.
Webcast technical questions: 1-800-946-6307 or 334-206-5618

**Audio Bridge Information**
News conference will also be available by phone bridge. Call 1-888-557-8511. Enter access code 972-1530 #. Press # again to listen to the conference.
(This is a “listen only” line.)

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