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PRESENTS:

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“The CHL Program – Capacity-Building and Environmental Change to Prevent Childhood Obesity in the Pacific Region”

This presentation will provide background and overview of the USDA-funded Children’s Healthy Living (CHL) program. This will include a description of the approach to build childhood obesity prevention capacity across the U.S. Pacific Jurisdictions (Alaska, American Samoa, Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas, Freely Associated States of Micronesia, Guam and Hawai’i). Additionally the concept and design of a community based randomized controlled intervention trial in the region will be described.

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Date:

Thursday, March 8, 2012

Time:

12:00 noon to 1:00pm

Location: Biomed Bldg, room D-207, UH-Manoa

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