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Select Subcommittee Hearing Notice

June 19, 2020

TO: Members, Select Subcommittee on the Coronavirus Crisis

FROM: James E. Clyburn, Chairman

SUBJECT: Hearing on “Accountability in Crisis: GAO’s Recommendations to Improve the Federal Coronavirus Response”

DATE: Friday, June 26, 2020

TIME: 9:00 a.m. E.T.

On **Friday, June 26, 2020, at 9:00 a.m. E.T.**, the Select Subcommittee on the Coronavirus Crisis will host a hybrid in-person/remote hearing on “Accountability in Crisis: GAO’s Recommendations to Improve the Federal Coronavirus Response.”

This hearing will convene using WebEx, which has been approved by the House. The Chairman, the witness, and other Members at their discretion will convene in person in 1324 Longworth House Office Building. **Please note that strict adherence to the [Attending Physician’s Guidelines](#) is required for all participants.** Pursuant to these guidelines, “face coverings are **REQUIRED**” in the hearing room, and entry will not be permitted without a face covering. In addition, seating arrangements will be “in accordance with social distancing guidelines” and “every effort should be made [to] adhere to six-foot social distancing guidelines.”

Members attending remotely are asked to connect by 8:30 a.m. to ensure their participation and troubleshoot any connectivity issues. Pursuant to H. Res. 965, and to effectuate the House Physician’s Guidelines, only Members, witnesses, counsel for witnesses, and approved Committee staff are allowed into the WebEx platform or the hearing room. All other staff may watch the hearing via livestream on the Select Subcommittee [website](#).

Members should RSVP to Senam Okpattah at Senam.Okpattah@mail.house.gov or by responding to the email that circulated this Notice by Wednesday, June 24, and indicate whether they plan to attend in-person or remotely. Please do not reply to all. Members who plan to appear remotely will be sent the meeting invitation link via an Outlook invitation.

If any Members would like to submit documents, exhibits, or other materials into the hearing record, they may submit them through the Committee's electronic repository at Oversight_Clerks@mail.house.gov. Members are encouraged to submit such materials at least 24 hours prior to the hearing so they may be circulated to all Members prior to the hearing. Submitting such materials after this period, or during the hearing, may delay both their distribution to other Members and their approval for entering into the record.

At approximately 8:00 a.m. E.T., on Friday, June 26, 2020, the Committee will generate a centralized email thread with staff. This email thread may be used to raise issues concerning a Member's connectivity, audio, or video, or to ask miscellaneous questions, such as where a Member is in the queue for questioning.

Members who have difficulty connecting may contact Cameron MacPherson with the Majority staff at (202) 306-4406 or Ashlee Vineyard with the Minority staff at (202) 680-3089.

Attached are WebEx user guides that demonstrate how to: (1) join the hearing using various devices; (2) edit WebEx profiles, including adding a profile picture and changing WebEx user names; and (3) ensure the best user experience by employing general best practices (e.g., optimal lighting and sound conditions).

Members interested in testing WebEx before the hearing should contact Amy Stratton to arrange a test session.