Media Advisory: MDBIOLAB TO VISIT OXON HILL HIGH SCHOOL

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WHO: MdBio Foundation, Inc. Oxon Hill High School

WHAT: MdBioLab Visit

WHEN: Tuesday, April 5, 2016 - Friday, April 8, 2016

WHERE: Oxon Hill High School

6701 Leyte Drive • Oxon Hill, MD

BACKGROUND:

As part of MdBio Foundation Inc., strategy to increase student interest in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) careers, the Foundation's mobile laboratory program - MdBioLab will visit the students of Oxon Hill High School for four days. The custom-built mobile laboratory will provide students with an opportunity to participate in innovative STEM education science experiments to encourage STEM awareness and workforce development. Students will participate in authentic STEM-based career experiences to observe the types of careers they can pursue in STEM, and to increase student experience and confidence with laboratory concepts and techniques. Media interested in attending should contact the Office of Communications at 301-952-6001.

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Prince George's County Public Schools (PGCPS), one of the nation's 20th largest school districts, has 201 schools and centers, more than 133,000 students and nearly 20,000 employees. The school system serves a diverse student population from urban, suburban and rural communities located in the Washington, DC suburbs. PGCPS is nationally recognized for college and career-readiness programs that provide students with unique learning opportunities, including dual enrollment and language immersion.