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**DOROTHY BROWN IS THE BLACK HISTORY MONTH SPEAKER
AT HINES VETERAN ADMINISTRATION HOSPITAL**

What: The Honorable Dorothy Brown, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County, will be the featured speaker at Hines Veteran Administration Hospital's Annual Black History Month Celebration. More than 300 guests, including veterans and hospital employees, are expected to attend.

Clerk Brown's keynote address will focus on how her personal experiences relate to African American history.

"Black History Month is a special time when we focus on the roles that African Americans have played in helping to shape our great nation," said Clerk Brown. "We will continue to play significant parts in a multitude of fields, and I am most honored, as the first African-American Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County, to be a part of history in the making."

When: Thursday, February 2, 2006
11:30 a.m.

Where: Edward Hines, Jr., Veteran Administration Hospital
Facility Auditorium
5th Avenue and Roosevelt Road
Hines, IL

Details: Edward Hines, Jr. VA Hospital, located 12 miles west of downtown Chicago, offers high quality comprehensive primary care, extended care and mental health care to patients served by the VA Great Lakes health Care System. The hospital's focus is on the overall health and well being of veterans. A full range of medical, geriatric and mental health services are provided.

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