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The State of Health in the European Union

by

Xavier Prats-Monné
Director General of DG Health
European Commission

Presentation by

Donna Shalala
Professor of Political Science

When: Monday, March 5, 2018, 5:00-7:00pm
Where: University of Miami, Storer Auditorium, School of Business
Coral Gables, Florida

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Dr. Donna Shalala cordially invites the Department of Health Sector Management and Policy to:

**The State of Health in the European Union**

*Coping with the impact of demography, technology and globalization*

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