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### **Governor Unveils Youth Anti-Smoking Billboard, Receives Award; Emphasizes Commitment to Quality Abbott Preschool Programs**

Governor Christie Whitman tomorrow will unveil a new youth anti-smoking campaign billboard at the North Arlington Middle School. In addition, the Governor will be recognized for her leadership in utilizing the 1998 tobacco settlement to establish a comprehensive statewide tobacco prevention program.

The Governor will also visit a preschool in Newark where she will again reiterate her commitment to quality preschool programs in the state's Abbott districts. Later, the Governor will attend a Free Cuba Task Force "Grito de Yara" celebration luncheon and will stroll the downtown area in Clinton.

In addition, Governor Whitman will make a guest appearance on "Late Show with David Letterman"