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WELCOME TO OUR QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER UPDATE!

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Nasruddin Rupani Honored with 2026 Houston Community Impact Award

We are pleased to share that our Chairman, Nasruddin Rupani, has been honored with an award from the Network of Behavioral Health Providers in Houston in recognition of his dedication to expanding access to healthcare and strengthening communities

In his remarks, Mr. Rupani humbly shared:

"This award is not mine alone; it belongs to every family who welcomed us into their community and every staff member who shows up each day as an instrument of service. True human development happens not in boardrooms, but at the doorstep, when we meet a parent seeking guidance or a patient seeking hope."

Parent Education Session with Dr. Ram Kairam, Pediatric Neurologist

On February 10, we hosted our first Parent Education Session led by our Pediatric Neurologist, Dr. Ram Kairam, on the topic of Advocacy in Special Education. During this session, parents had the opportunity to learn valuable information, ask questions, and connect with other families facing similar experiences.

We also offered a virtual option, allowing parents, partners, and educators to engage in the conversation from home. A special thank you to Action Behavior Centers for sharing their resources on ABA therapy and for providing breakfast for attendees.

The session received positive feedback from participants, and we're excited to announce that we plan to host many more educational sessions in the pipeline! To learn more, stay connected [here](#).



Launch of Avicenna Allied Health Institute



Ibn Sina's New Venture! We are proud to announce the launch of our healthcare training school in Houston, Texas, bringing high-quality, workforce-driven allied health education to the Greater Houston community. Licensed and approved by the Texas Workforce Commission, this institution is dedicated to preparing students for in-demand healthcare careers through hands-on training, hybrid learning models, and employer-aligned curricula. Launching with flagship certificate programs in Medical and Dental Assisting Programs, Avicenna Allied Health Institute aims to equip students with the skills needed to meet regional workforce needs.

Inaugural Class Kickoff & Orientation Ceremony!



Meet the Team:



David Brand, Ed.D
Director of Institutional
Effectiveness



Yameen Parpio
Director of Academics



Zehra Raheem
Academic Coordinator



Visit of Former Houston Mayor Annise Parker

We were delighted to welcome former Houston Mayor Annise Parker to our clinics! During her visit, she toured our Wilcrest clinic and learned more about the recent expansion of our services. Parker has been a long-time supporter, having joined us for the grand opening of our South Post Oak clinic in 2012, and we are grateful for her continued encouragement of our mission to provide quality healthcare to the community.



Welcome To Our Team!

We are delighted to warmly welcome these talented new providers to our team and community!



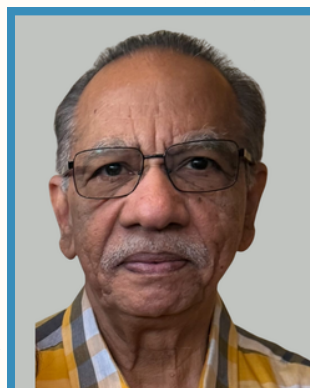
**Arwa
Al-Mazrouai, LPC**
Behavior Health
Clinician



**Zarina
Rasheed, DDS**
Pediatric
Dentist



**Nadeem M
Dhanani, MD**
Urologist



**Rasheed
Kareem, MD**
Pain Medicine
Specialist –
Anesthesiologist

Together, We Are Stronger!

As we celebrate 25 years of service, we continue to build new partnerships while strengthening the meaningful relationships we have cultivated over the years. We were honored to welcome several organizations to tour our clinics, meet our dedicated staff, and learn more about the work we do to serve the community. Creating a healthier community is not something we can do alone, which is why we are always grateful for opportunities to collaborate and work together toward a shared mission!



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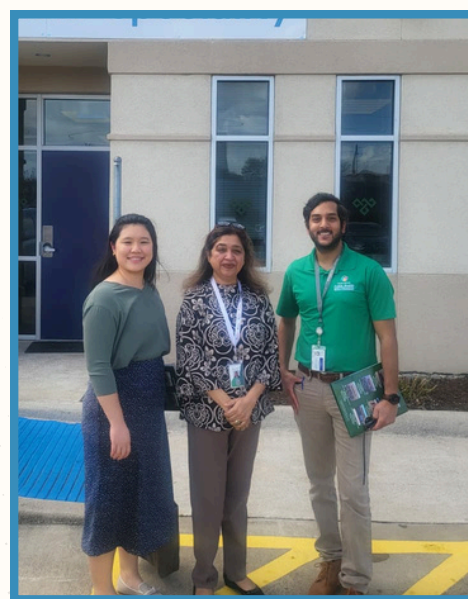
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Spirituality & Health



Harris County
Public Health

Here For You – Right In Your Community

We kicked off the year by participating in **58 community events**, reaching **over 7,000 people across the Greater Houston Area!** Through health screenings, educational resources, and information about our programs and services, we were able to connect with families and support their journey toward healthier lives. We are truly grateful to our partners and community organizations for making these moments possible and helping us serve the community.



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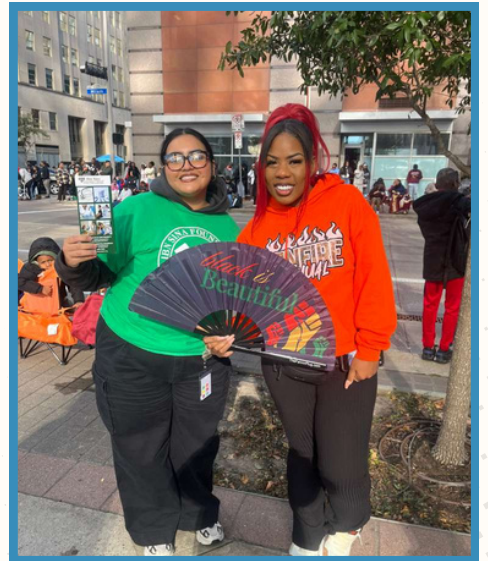
Houston Mayor
Iftar Dinner



Gulf Coast Region
Blood Center
Blood Drive



City of Houston
International Women's
Day Conference



Martin Luther King Jr.
Day Parade



Ibn Sina Foundation Recognized by AstraZeneca US Accelerate Change Together on Health Equity

We are proud to share that Ibn Sina Foundation has been selected as a 2025 awardee of AstraZeneca's US Accelerate Change Together (ACT) on Health Equity – Community Solutions Challenge. This national recognition highlights our continued commitment to advancing health equity and providing accessible, high-quality care to underserved communities across Greater Houston.

Through this initiative, Ibn Sina Foundation helps address transportation barriers by providing free, reliable rides to medical appointments, pharmacies, and follow-up care for 1,000 low-income individuals, seniors, and families in transit-limited neighborhoods.

We are grateful to the AstraZeneca ACT on Health Equity team for their partnership and support as we continue serving our community with excellence.



Share The Blessings

Your donation helps us continue making a meaningful impact in the lives of families across our community. As we begin celebrating 25 years of service, your support allows us to provide affordable, compassionate care—including medical, dental, specialty, diagnostic, and mental health services—to those who need it most, helping families stay healthy and thrive.

Click [HERE](#) to Donate!