

Celebrating National Doctors' Day



However, in addition to the doctors whose name we easily recognize, there are countless others who carry on the quite work of healing each day in communities throughout the United States -- indeed, throughout the world. Common to the experience of each of them, from the specialist in research to the general practitioner, are hard work, stress, and sacrifice. All those Americans who serve as licensed physicians have engaged in years of study and training, often at great financial cost. Most endure long and unpredictable hours, and many must cope with the conflicting demands of work and family life.



As we recognize our Nation's physicians for their leadership in the prevention and treatment of illness and injury, it is fitting that we pay special tribute to those who serve as members of the Armed Forces and Reserves and are now deployed in support of Operation Desert Storm.



Whether they carry the tools of healing into the heat of battle or stand duty at medical facilities in the Persian Gulf and elsewhere, these dedicated physicians -- along with thousands of nurses and other medical personnel -- are vital to the success of our mission. We salute them for their courage and sacrifice, and we pray for their safety. We also pray for all those who come in need of their care.

In honor of America's physicians, the Congress, by Senate Joint Resolution 366 (Public Law 101-473), has designated March 30, 1991, as "National Doctors Day" and has authorized and requested the President to issue a proclamation in observance of this day.

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Health Information Professionals' Week

We would like to congratulate our H.I.S department for their efforts in keeping our patients' medical records safe and secure. Thank You H.I.S. Team!



Paula Gomez Inducted to NACHC Grassroots Hall of Fame



Join us in congratulating Brownsville Community Health Center Executive Director Paula Gomez who was inducted into the NACHC Grassroots Hall of Fame for her lasting contributions to insuring the creation, survival and strength of Health Centers and the Health Center movement! She was inducted into the Grassroots Hall of Fame during the NACHC Awards Reception on March 20th, during the Policy & Issues in Washington DC.