

Celebrating National Hospital Week

The event also honored Cover the Uninsured Week

In recognition of National Hospital Week and Cover the Uninsured Week (May 9-14), the Harris County Hospital District partnered with the City of Houston Department of Health and Human Services to host a celebration and health fair at Lyndon B. Johnson General Hospital on May 14. “Healthcare has a role in the lives of every member of our community, as does the public hospital,” said Dr. Margo Hilliard, LBJ Administrator. “National Hospital Week gives us an opportunity to honor the dedicated professionals across the county and the community they serve.” More than 200 people attended the event including the health fair to receive free screenings for blood pressure, asthma, lead and glucose. Former patient Juanita Arreola shared her testimony and thanked hospital staff. “They are responsible for me being here today,” Arreola said. “And we’re here to celebrate the health care you provide for people like me.”