

An Honor For Dr. Basheer Ahmed



Imam Majid, Vice President - ISNA; Dr. Farooq Selod, Past President – Islamic Med. Ass. and Dr. Kavakci, Imam – Islamic Center of North Texas presenting the award to Dr. Basheer Ahmed

(FORT WORTH, TX) Longtime Fort Worth resident and founder of Muslim Community Center For Human Services (MCCHS), Dr. Basheer Ahmed was honored at a regional conference for his services to the community. The Islamic Society of North America (ISNA) presented him with an award for his work medicine and social services. For over a decade, MCCHS is helping families with social and psychological needs and helping prevent domestic violence and abuse. Al Shifa Clinic, also founded by Dr. Ahmed provides free health care services to the uninsured regardless of their background, religion or ethnicity.

Dr. Ahmed acquired his medical education in India, Pakistan and the UK. He came to the United States in 1968 and along with his practice has been involved in teaching medical students at UT Southwestern. He said that he is grateful to ISNA and the community for their appreciation and could



not have done his work without their support. Dr. Ahmed acknowledged local imams, Masajid and his team of volunteers for their continued support. He said that "almost everyone" who volunteers on our board is still serving after 12 years and it shows their dedication.