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## Panel Discussions On Healthcare Best Practices Highlight The Central Texas Healthcare Diversity Summit

On September 16, the Texas Diversity Council hosted their Central Texas Healthcare Diversity Summit at the Seton Healthcare Family Administration Offices in Austin, TX. The event showcased a panel discussion which focused on delivering tailored patient care and addressing diversity in healthcare industry.



“The Central Texas Healthcare Diversity Summit allowed attendees to engage in dialog with top executives while learning healthcare diversity best practices,” said Dennis Kennedy, Founder and CEO of the National Diversity Council.

The half-day event began with registration and a networking session followed by a speech from Geronimo M. Rodriguez, Jr., Vice President of Advocacy & External Affairs at Seton Healthcare Family. After a short 15 minute break, a panel discussion began, which focused on two topics: “Many Faces: Addressing Diversity in Healthcare” and Painting with a Broad Brush: “One Size Does Not Fit All.” These topics addressed diversity in healthcare and administering patient care.

The Texas Diversity Council would like to thank all the sponsors, speakers and attendees for helping to make this event a success.

Central Texas Healthcare Diversity Summit Panelists:

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