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The Community Health Clinic of McKinney Earned a 2020 Gold Rating from the NAFC Quality Standards Program McKinney, TX (June 2020) – The Community Health Clinic of McKinney earned a 2020 Gold Rating from the National Association of Free and Charitable Clinics (NAFC) Quality Standards Program. By self-attesting that the organization has certain policies and procedures in place, it is able to highlight its commitment to providing quality care to patients.

The mission of the National Association of Free and Charitable Clinics is to ensure the medically underserved have access to affordable health care. The NAFC and its members are dedicated to ensuring that patients receive quality health care. To quantify and qualify the care provided at the Free and Charitable Clinic network, the NAFC formalized a set of Quality Standards for member organizations.

NAFC Members voluntarily submit information to the NAFC on the various policies and procedures in place to attain their standards rating and attest/pledge that they successfully incorporate these standards within their organization.

NAFC Quality Standards elements include policies and procedures related to the following areas: Administrative, Enhanced Access and Continuity of Care, Identifying and Managing Patient Population information, Planning and Managing Care, Providing Self-Care Support and Community Resources, Tracking and Coordinating Care, and Measuring and Improving Performance.

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About the Community Health Clinic of McKinney (CHC) is a 501(C)(3) public charity providing compassionate care and a medical home to the uninsured of Collin County. Our mission is focused on the needs of the medically underserved indigent of Collin County and to ensure that all families have access to quality healthcare regardless of the ability to pay. Since opening its doors in 2004, CHC has served more than 20,000 patient visits. Volunteer physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, physical therapist, nurses, translators and non-medical volunteer staff. Our program is provided as a charitable service and is funded through generous donations from our patients, community and city organizations, businesses, civic groups, faith-based organizations and individuals. Follow CHC on Twitter at @CHCMcKinney and on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/CommunityHealthClinic/>

About the National Association of Free & Charitable Clinics The National Association of Free & Charitable Clinics (NAFC) is the only nonprofit 501c(3) organization whose mission is solely focused on the issues and needs of the medically underserved throughout the nation and the more than 1,400 Free and Charitable Clinics and Pharmacies that serve them. The NAFC has earned the Platinum Seal of Transparency from GuideStar. Founded in 2001 and headquartered near Washington, D.C., the NAFC is working to ensure that the medically underserved have access to affordable quality health care and strives to be a national voice promoting quality health care for all. For more information about the NAFC, please visit <http://www.nafclclinics.org>. Follow the NAFC on Twitter at @NAFCclinics and on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/NAFCclinics>