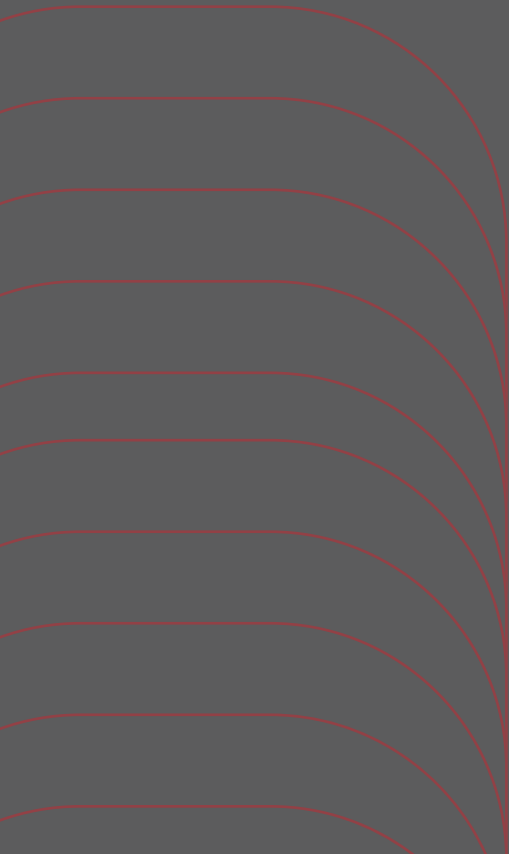


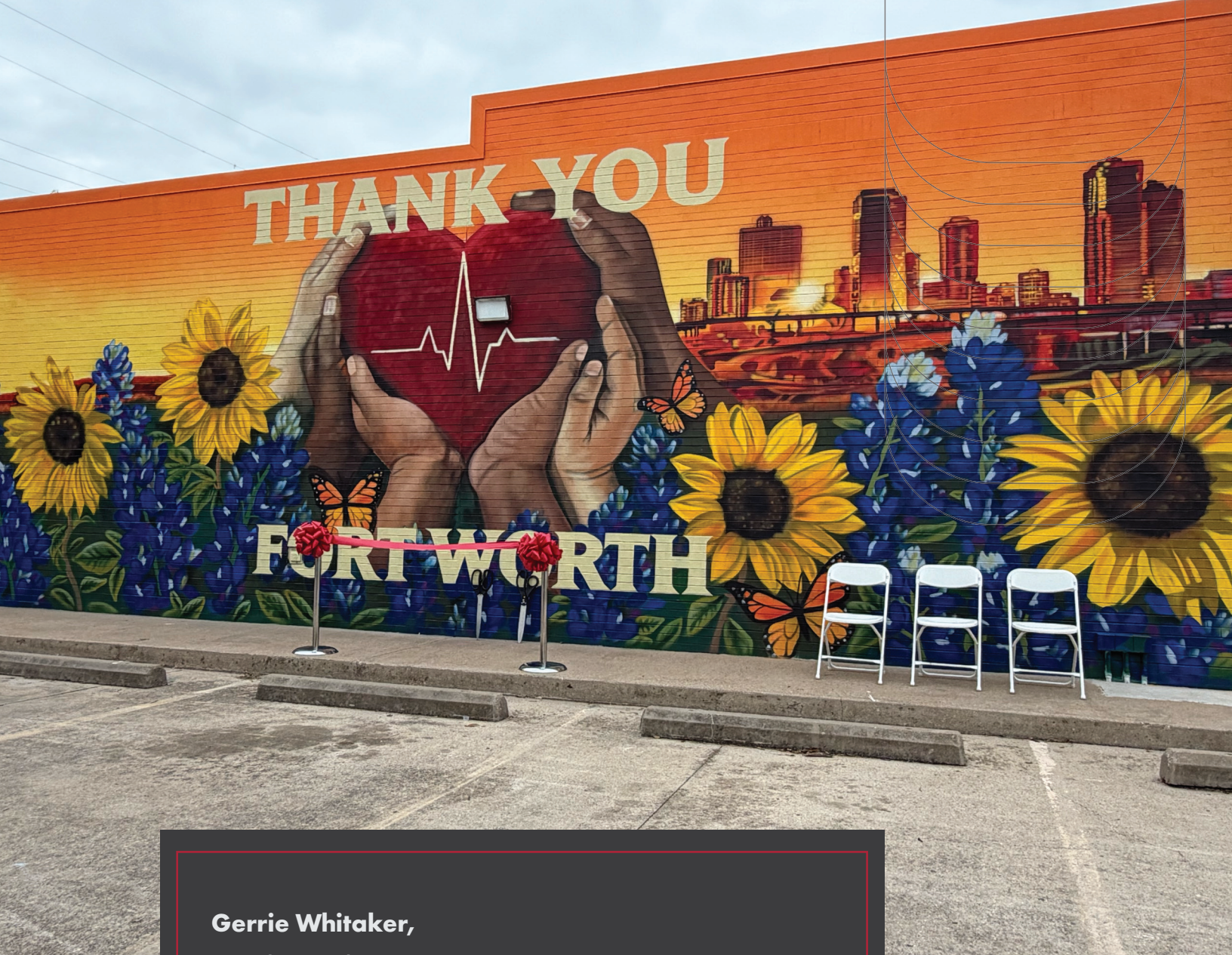


# Status Report

2025-26

NORTH TEXAS AREA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS





**Gerrie Whitaker,**

President and CEO

North Texas Area Community Health Centers

North Texas Area Community Centers (NTACHC) are part of the communities where we have locations in Fort Worth – Northside and Southeast – and in Arlington. Our providers deliver excellent healthcare daily, train OB/GYN residents, and work alongside our community partners. We are committed to our mission: to improve health and wellness through accessible, compassionate and quality healthcare services for all. I know the care is excellent as I'm an NTACHC patient. We would like to be your provider and take care of you and your family.

***Our Vision: To create a healthy community for all people***

***Our Values: Integrity, Compassion, Quality, Respect, Equity***



## **The Morris Foundation Celebrates 40 Year Anniversary With Special Mural at Southeast Community Health Center**

The Morris Foundation commemorated its 40th anniversary with the unveiling of four murals across Fort Worth, honoring four decades of partnership and investment in the community. In April 2026, the first unveiling took place at the North Texas Area Community Health Centers, Southeast Center, featuring a mural by artist Juan Velazquez.

"The Morris Foundation has deep gratitude for our nonprofit leaders and the organizations with whom we've partnered for the past 40 years," said Elizabeth R. Brands, President & CEO of The Morris Foundation. "These murals are a reflection of the Foundation's gratitude to those we've worked alongside, and they are a celebration of the impact achieved when individuals come together to strengthen the entire community."

"This mural represents the resilience and strength of the communities we serve every day," said Gerrie Whitaker, CEO of North Texas Area Community Health Centers. "We are honored to be part of this milestone and grateful for The Morris Foundation's longstanding support."

"Public art has the power to tell stories that words sometimes cannot," said artist Juan Velazquez. "This piece is inspired by the people and purpose behind the organization, and I hope it serves as a source of pride for the community."



## Joyful Beginnings Helps Moms-to-Be and Their Families

Joyful Beginnings is a special program for NTACHC's moms-to-be and families. Becoming a mother is a big change, and NTACHC helps during this time.

- One-on-one sessions with caring professionals
- Healthy habits for moms (eating well, staying active)
- Safe, friendly support groups
- Virtual classes on pregnancy, postpartum and caring for a new baby

### Program Facts

- Service is free.
- There is no obligation to stay in the program.
- Program is open to expectant mothers and families up to a year postpartum.

From classes to supplies to help with car seat installation, NTACHC is here to help.

## NTACHC Trains Baylor Scott & White All Saints Residents

NTACHC has partnered with Baylor Scott & White All Saints to train its OB/GYN residents to get real world clinical experience to deepen their understanding of community health. Through working with our providers who model caring and compassionate healthcare, these residents are learning "on the job" while helping to care for patients.



### Here are some of their stories:

"I was able to see a patient regularly as an antepartum. I was unable to be there for her delivery, but I did see her for several visits postpartum. Being able to take care of patients through the different stages of pregnancy is amazing and reassuring them with someone she already trusts, which makes a huge difference."

"I was able to see a patient in the emergency department and told her about her positive pregnancy test. Then I saw her for her first clinic visit to establish care!"

"A patient had a cesarean section for her first delivery and highly desired a vaginal delivery, if possible. She was able to have a TOLAC induction with a vaginal delivery and was so thankful for the resident team for their help."

## Rocki's Closet

Rocki's Closet allows the Joyful Beginnings families to earn while they learn. Access to the closet is a benefit reserved for actively enrolled participants.

These participants attend classes on parenting and other related topics in order to earn Rocki Bucks. They can then use these bucks for diapers, nursery gear, formula, clothing and more!

To learn about NTACHC's Joyful Beginnings events or Rocki's Closet, visit [ntachc.org/joyful-beginnings](http://ntachc.org/joyful-beginnings), call 682-255-7673 or email [JoyfulBeginnings@ntachc.org](mailto:JoyfulBeginnings@ntachc.org).



## Arlington Community Health Center

The Arlington location is open and accepting new patients in the Vandergriff Building, 1001 N. Waldrop Dr., Suite #708 and offers more space to meet the growing demand for health services in the Arlington area. Prenatal care, pediatrics, women's health and adult health are all offered at this location.



## Behavioral Health Team

Meet NTACHC's behavioral team: director of behavioral health, Joshua Boutte, Ana Maldonado and Gemma Hernandez. To make an appointment, request one on the website: [ntachc.org/behavioral-mental-health/](http://ntachc.org/behavioral-mental-health/)



## NTACHC held back-to-school events to equip local students with backpacks and supplies.





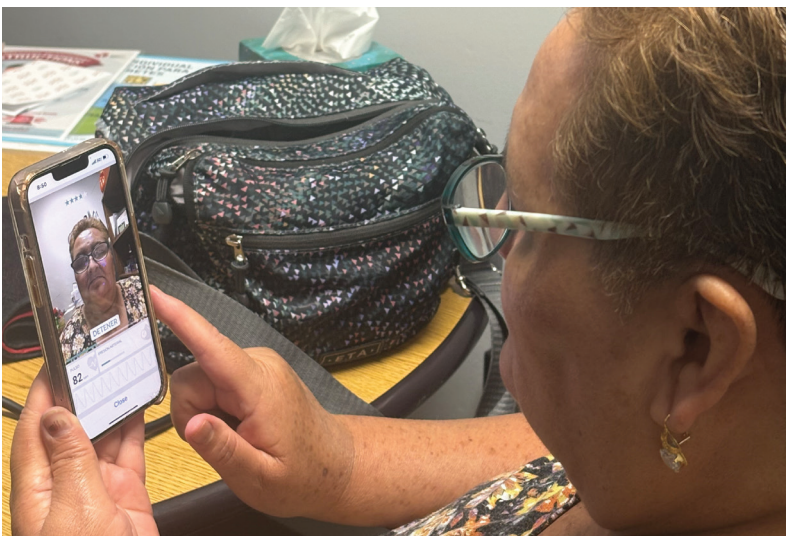
## NTACHC's Living Your Best Life Program Celebrates Five Years of Success in Diabetes and Hypertension Management

NTACHC's Living Your Best Life Program (LYBL) has helped patients manage diabetes and high blood pressure. LYBL has demonstrated exceptional results in controlling hypertension through innovative strategies and dedicated care to address diverse patient needs.

Since joining in 2020, NTACHC has expanded its efforts by participating in the National Hypertension Control Initiative (NHCI), a collaborative project led by the American Heart Association and HRSA. This partnership enabled NTACHC to incorporate remote patient monitoring (RPM) into the LYBL program. Utilizing Bluetooth-enabled blood pressure monitors, RPM has proven to be a game-changer for patients with uncontrolled hypertension.

- 80% of patients enrolled in RPM are now managing their blood pressure effectively.
- More than 350 patients actively engaged in RPM.
- 1,170+ have benefited from LYBL since its launch.

This remarkable achievement demonstrates the effectiveness of RPM in enhancing patient outcomes and underscores NTACHC's dedication to patient-centered care.



## LYBL Recognition

NTACHC was featured in the NHCI Data Integration Roadmap shared by HRSA. This recognition highlights NTACHC's role as a model for other health centers seeking to implement RPM and enhance health outcomes across the country.

LYBL also achieved a significant milestone of accreditation by the Association of Diabetes Care & Education Specialists.

## Patient Demographics

### Ages of Patients

2025

Infant to 17 – 2,165

18 and up – 9,185

2026 (to date)

Infant to 17 – 1,231

18 and up – 5,126

### Total Number of Patients

2025 – 11,350

2026 (to date) – 6,357

### Number of Male & Female Patients

2025

Male – 3,050

Female – 8,301

2026 (to date)

Male – 1,775

Female – 4,581

### Percentage of Patients Below Poverty Line

2025 – 38%

2026 – 39%

### Percentage of Patients Self-Pay

2025 – 61%

2026 – 62%

### Accepted Medical Plans:

Medicaid

CHIP

Medicare

Marketplace Insurance

Private Insurance (see website for list)

## About NTACHC Services

### Women's Health

- Well Women Exams
- Prenatal and Postpartum Care
- Sonograms
- Birth Control and Pregnancy Testing
- Testing and Treatment for Sexually Transmitted Infections
- Lab Services
- Behavioral Health/Counseling
- Pharmacy

### Adult Health

- Same-Day Sick Visits
- Yearly Physicals
- Vaccines
- Diabetes and Hypertension Care
- Lab Services
- Behavioral Health/Counseling
- Pharmacy

### Pediatric Health

- Well Child Exams
- Same Day Sick Visits
- Vaccines
- Lab Services
- Behavioral Health/Counseling
- Pharmacy

### Behavioral Health

- Counseling For Patients of All Ages
- Group or Family Sessions
- In-Person, Via Phone or Video

### Northside Eye Care Center

- Eye Examinations
- Glasses Prescriptions
- Eye Examinations for Glaucoma, Diabetes, Macular Degeneration, Cataracts, Dry Eye, Injury/Infection, Red Eyes

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## Leadership Team

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## AWARDS

National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) Patient-Centered Medical Home (PCMH)



### 2025 American Heart Association Awards



Northside:



Arlington and Southeast:



Congratulations to Tiffany Mayfield, Director of Business Operations, North Texas Area Community Health Centers, for receiving the 2025 Texas Association of Community Health Centers Emerging Leader Award! She exemplifies leadership, innovation and dedication to advancing community health across Texas.



Tiffany Mayfield with TACHC CEO Jana Eubank

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