

## Dr. Atul Varadhachary named to the Harris County Hospital District Board



Harris County Commissioners Court unanimously approved Dr. Atul Varadhachary's appointment to the Harris County Hospital District's board of managers. Dr. Vardhachary served as the President of the Indo-American Chamber of Commerce of Greater Houston (IACCGH) during 2007-2008 and is currently the president and chief operating officer of Agennix Inc., a private biotechnology company involved in cancer research. He is also an Adjunct Professor at the Baylor College of Medicine and at the Jones Graduate School of Management at Rice University where he teaches a course on Entrepreneurship in Biotechnology.

The Harris County Hospital District is a taxpayer-financed government agency dedicated to providing high-quality medical and dental care to Harris County residents. The hospital district's board of managers sets policy for and oversees the administration of the district and its publicly owned facilities, including Ben Taub, LBJ and Quentin Mease hospitals and more than a dozen community clinics.

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## Rick Pal on the Asia Society's 2009 Corporate Conference's panel



Rick Pal, a board member of IACCGH, recently served as a panelist on "Innovation and Entrepreneurship as Drivers of the future for US and China" at Asia Society's 2009 Corporate Conference. As a follow-up, Charles Foster and Rick Pal were invited to ABC studios to be interviewed by Miya Shay on a program named 'Visions'. The segment aired on Sunday March 8, 2009 on the channel ABC 13. Watch this interesting interview by visiting the link below.  
<http://abclocal.go.com/ktrk/video?id=6697655>