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## *House of Representatives*

**HONORING DR. EJAZ GHAFFAR AS A DISTINGUISHED LEADER  
IN CENTRAL FLORIDA FOR ASIAN AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH**

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**HON. DARREN SOTO**  
OF FLORIDA  
IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
*Wednesday May 27, 2020*

Dr. Ejaz Ghaffar graduated from Khyber Medical College in Peshawar, Pakistan. After graduation, he completed his residency at North Shore Community Hospital in Forest Hills, New York.

Having a longstanding passion for inpatient medicine, Dr. Ghaffar joined a Hospitalist group and moved to Orlando. For the last 20 years, he has worked as a hospitalist and was elected by his peers as chairman of the Department of Medicine at Osceola Regional Medical Center. He would later be elected as the Chief of Medical Staff and would play a critical part in

overseeing the rollout of numerous quality improvement and safety projects.

Dr. Ghaffar is currently the Site Director for Graduate Medical Education at Osceola Regional Medical Center and has played a key role in starting the Internal Medicine Residency program at Osceola Regional Medical Center. He is glad to be part of the amazing journey that transformed Osceola Regional Medical Center from a small community hospital to a major teaching facility in Central Florida.

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MEMBER OF CONGRESS