

April 2020

A Message From MAC President Dr. Muhammad Babar

Dear Friends and Supporters,

Ramadan Mubarak. Although the times require us to be physically distant from our friends and family, I hope you're still able to reflect, pray and share charitable intentions through the technology you have available.

Muslim Americans for Compassion and Interfaith Paths to Peace is hard at work on a digital Iftar Dinner set to take place the evening of May 14th. As soon as we have more information, we'll share it with our audience. Until then, have a safe and blessed Ramadan. When this time passes, I look forward to celebrating with all of you.

Peace and Blessings, Muhammad Babar MD, MBA, MSc

Ramadan Changes and Charity Covered By Local News



The leaders of Muslim Americans for Compassion leapt into action over the last month to help those in need. Health care workers, local shelters and more need assistance in unexpected ways.

Local news station WHAS has graciously covered some of the work done by MAC. Above is a video discussing changes to Ramadan to make it a more virtually connected experience. Below is a link to coverage of some of the charitable endeavors our leaders have been a part of recently. Please enjoy, and thank you to WHAS for the interviews and positive messaging.

Louisville's Muslim-American Community's Charity, Compassion Takes Center Stage as Pandemic Continues During Ramadan

Dr. Babar Shares Message of Compassion with Mayor

Dr. Muhammad Babar shared a message of compassion during his Facebook Live conversation with health care leaders and Louisville Mayor Greg Fischer. He encouraged people to look outside of themselves, consider the point of view and the feelings that the people who serve us are dealing with. It will make everyone safer and ease our time in this crisis.

View Dr. Babar's comments.

Watch the full video here.

APPNA & MAC Donating Hygiene Supply Kits to Help Fight COVID-19

MAC, in collaboration with the Association of Physicians of Pakistani Descent of North America (APPNA), sponsored hygiene supply kits to fight COVID19 and provide food to multiple families for the month of Ramadan on April 22, 2020. Thank you to all who took part in this process.

Watch a Video from Somali Center of Louisville Director Farhan Abdi.





MAC Delivers Lunch to MetroSafe Emergency Communication

MAC volunteer Sohail Zuberi & Dr. Muhammad Babar delivered lunches to MetroSafe Emergency Communication Center in Louisville to show our gratitude in this time of need. Lunch prepared by Subway at Holiday Manor. We're proud to serve these hard workers in times of crisis.

MAC and APPNA Team Up to Bring Lunch to Hospital Staff

Muslim Americans for Compassion (MAC) and the Association of Physicians of Pakistani Descent in Northern America (APPNA) distributed lunch from Subway at Holiday Manor to the staff of the Clark Memorial Hospital in Southern Indiana on April 27th, 2020. Our nation is stronger and safer because of selfless work by so many first responders including healthcare workers. We salute all these heroes who fight against the COVID-19 pandemic while putting themselves at risk. THANK YOU.





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