

Join Us in Celebrating: Hispanic Heritage Month!

Did You Know?

Dr. Fernando E. Rodriguez Vargas was a dentist, scientist, and a Major in the U.S Army. He was born in Adjuntas, Puerto Rico. In 1921, he was the first to find conclusive evidence on the cause of cavities and tooth decay. He identified three bacteria of the *Lactobacillus* species that play a major role in the formation of cavities. This discovery helped to identify how important oral hygiene is and was the foundation for further research in this field!

