

Doctor Spotlight



DR. CRAIG R. RAINER WITH PINOVA DENTAL & BRACES



Dr. Craig R. Rainer has been part of the Benevis family for over five years and is currently providing care for patients in El Paso, Texas with Pinova Dental and Braces.

As a child, Dr. Rainer knew he wanted to be a dentist. After graduating from Hampton University, one of the top historically black universities in the world, Dr. Rainer began his dental studies at Meharry Medical College.

Dr. Rainer is passionate about providing excellent patient care. When asked why he decided to join Benevis, he shared he did not want to be consumed with the back-office management. Instead, he wanted to be 100% focused on caring for patients and practicing dentistry.



While in the miliary, Dr. Rainer treated adults but coming to Benevis allowed him the experience of working with pediatric patients also. The funny conversations with kids have kept a smile on Dr. Rainer's face during his busy days.

According to Meharry Medical College, the School of Dentistry receives 2,000 applications and only admits 60 students each year. Benevis is proud to have 18 Meharry Dental School graduates choose to practice with Benevis, including Dr. Rainer.

Benevis is proud to be a standout amongst Dental Service Organization's when it comes to being a place where Black or African-American dentists choose to practice. According to the ADA, only four percent of U.S. dentists are Black or African-American. However, 21% of Benevis Dentist team members are Black or African-American. Of those, 32% graduated from an Historically Black College and University. Our mission to embrace diversity in the patients and communities we serve is mirrored in the doctors that we hire. Building lasting relationships with HBCUs is one of the top ways that we uphold our mission.