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***In the name of Allah, the Most Kind, the Most Merciful***

## **News and Events**

### **Sad Demise of Ayatullah Mohamed Taqi Behjat - Qum, Iran**

It is with deep sorrow that The World Federation has learned of the passing away from this temporal abode of a renowned scholar, symbol of piety, epitome of God-consciousness: Ayatullah Mohamed Taqi Behjat (ra).

### **The World Federation launches Eye Clinic in Basra, Iraq**

In August 2009, The World Federation will expand its Aeinullah Eye Clinic project to Basra, Iraq. Learn more about how you can be part of this vision to reality.

### **New Zainabiya Health Centre Opens – Pottenahali, India**

Access to affordable health care facilities in the developing world is a growing concern. In May 2009, The World Federation opened the Zainabiya Health Centre in Pottenahali, India.

### **ZCSS Alipur School Results**

The Zainabiya Child Sponsorship Scheme's school in Alipur, India has been and still is a role model school for many across the sub-continent.

### **CHB News Flash 81: Health Forum – Arusha, Tanzania**

Planning ahead is essential for a community that is visionary. The Central Health Board (CHB) of The Africa Federation is one organisation that is determined to improve health and wellness for the betterment of the community it serves.

### **Stanmore holds Ayam-e-Fatimiya with Syed Mohamed Naqvi**

Ayam-e-Fatimiya is more than a gathering to remember Sayyida Fatima (SA). It is a time when believers are spiritually charged and their love for the Ahlul Bayt (AS) increases that much more.

### **Workshop on 'Constructing a Healthy Family' – Orlando, Florida**

More and more communities across the world are finding success in holding workshops and courses from which members can benefit from.

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