

Mallinckrodt's Unidad Latina Business Resource Group Hosts Annual Hispanic Heritage Day Celebration

The mission of Unidad Latina, a Mallinckrodt Pharmaceuticals' business resource group, is to promote cultural diversity at Mallinckrodt by raising awareness about Hispanic and Latin American culture in the community. In September, the group hosted a Hispanic Heritage Day Celebration at three of the company's St. Louis locations.

As a highlight of the program employees had the opportunity to learn and interact with the following presentations and activities:

- **Multicultural Workshop:** Leading with Multicultural Intelligence – Latino Factor. Employees learned about Leading with Cultural Intelligence and Enhance Cultural Competency.
- **Meet the Leaders of Amiga:** The leaders of Amiga, a non-profit organization committed to supplying the people of Honduras with medical supplies and support. Employees learned from their experiences and how to prepare when getting ready for volunteer work overseas.
- **Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Presentation:** Mallinckrodt is a member of the St. Louis Hispanic Chamber of Commerce. Employees learned about the value the chamber brings to our company and networking events offered by the HCC.
- **Latin America Countries Overview:** Power Point presentation prepared by a Mallinckrodt employee featuring an overview of Latin American countries.

- **Mosaic Project:** The organization gave us a great overview of their project: How is the St. Louis region preparing for a growing population? What will this mean for our family, friends, neighborhood, religious organizations and community groups? Employees learned how to be part of our region's growth through the Mosaic Project, a St. Louis organization focused on regional prosperity through immigration and innovation.



- ***As a special gift for all participant locations, employees had the opportunity to paint a canvas designed by a local artist, inspired in an art form called Mola (traditional Kuna Culture). The pictures were given to each site member to display on each location on behalf of Unidad Latina.***

All participant locations also had the opportunity to enjoy tables with activities, games, recipes, Conversation Club information, as well as several other Hispanic resources including a Zumba class to promote health while dancing with Latin rhythms.

