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On September 30, 2008, the Brevard County Board of County Commissioners unanimously approved the naming of the new County Health Department building in Viera after Heidar G. Heshmati, M.D., director of the Brevard County Health Department. The commissioners surprised Dr. Heshmati by honoring him with the naming of the building. Chairman Commissioner Truman Scarborough acknowledged Dr. Heshmati's dedication, commitment and service to the community. He was instrumental in providing innovative health programs within Brevard over the years. Under his leadership, the Brevard County Health Department has been nationally recognized for nine Model Practice Programs. The commissioners praised Dr. Heshmati for initiating quality health programs for all and working with him as a partner. Dr. Heshmati was grateful and thanked everybody for the expression of kind words and their support for him and the community the past 25 years. The new clinic is a larger more spacious facility than the current Rockledge location. When doors open in January 2009, we will welcome our clients to our new facility.