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Growing up in a small community in central Texas, her hometown did not have access to healthcare. She witnessed family, friends, and community members suffer from the lack of access to healthcare when it mattered most. Bringing healthcare to communities in need became her mission.

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