

# WALK GREEN 2017

BAPS Charities serves globally by acting locally. Walk Green 2017 will support efforts to strengthen the work of the following beneficiaries and BAPS Charities activities.

National Walk Beneficiary



Growing better places to live  
[www.treecanada.ca](http://www.treecanada.ca)

Regional Walk Beneficiary



Brampton Civic Hospital  
Etobicoke General Hospital  
Peel Memorial Centre  
[www.williamoslerhs.ca](http://www.williamoslerhs.ca)

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# LEAVE A LASTING LEGACY

Take steps to change the world and  
build a brighter future...

## #WALKGREEN





## Trees are essential to...

- reducing the greenhouse effect
- producing clean air
- providing food
- cooling cities and streets
- generating oxygen
- preserving natural habitats

## Tree Canada

Tree Canada pursues a greener and healthier environment for all Canadians.

Tree Canada has planted over 80 million trees and greened more than 600 schoolyards throughout the country while providing citizens with the tools to plant and care for trees in their community.

## Walk Green 2017 Impact

BAPS Charities Centres in Canada will contribute towards Tree Canada's National initiative to plant 10,000 trees in 2017.

BAPS Charities' Centres in America with The Nature Conservancy will plant 100,000 trees through their Plant a Billion Trees initiative.



BAPS Charities is a non profit charity active in nine countries across five continents. Volunteers drive our efforts, dedicating a portion of their lives in selfless service of others both in their local neighbourhoods as well as globally.

Working in five key areas, BAPS Charities aims to express a spirit of selfless service through Humanitarian Relief, Health Awareness, Educational Services, Environmental Protection and Preservation, and Community Empowerment.

## How can you help?

### Join the Walk

Be part of the team that builds awareness of environmental protection. As a walker, you have the opportunity to share your passion with others.

### Become a fundraiser

Join the cause and create a fundraising page.

### Donate

Support a participant and his or her commitment to service.

### Corporate contributions

A contribution from your company or small business is an investment in your community and the spirit of volunteerism.

### Humanitarian Relief

- Immediate relief distribution
- Emergency medical aid
- Long-term socio-economic assistance
- Partnering with local NGOs

### Environmental Protection

- Environmental Awareness Drives
- Recycling Projects
- Tree-Planting Initiatives
- Rain water harvesting projects

### Health Awareness

- Health Fairs & Seminars
- Yoga and Pranayam Sessions
- Blood & Bone Marrow Drives
- Hospitals and Mobile Units

### Educational Services

- Schools in rural areas
- Parent/Child Communications
- Career counselling for youths
- Summer Camps

### Community Empowerment

- Empowering Women and Youth
- Care for the Elderly
- Walkathons
- Food and Clothing Drives



Walk Green 2016 helped plant 70,000 trees in North America.

For more information:  
[BAPSCharities.org/Canada](http://BAPSCharities.org/Canada)





Join over 17,000 walkers in over 60 cities in North America  
and help BAPS Charities plant 100,000 trees in 2017.

Cities participating in Canada:

## Toronto, ON Sunday, Aug 13

Location:

BAPS Swaminarayan Complex, 61 Claireville Drive, Toronto  
Registration: 9:00am Contact: 416-798-2277

<http://bapscharities.org/Walk17Toronto>

## Scarborough, ON Saturday, Aug 12

Location:

BAPS Swaminarayan Complex  
1840 Birchmount Road  
Registration: 9:30am  
Contact: 416-321-2272

<http://bapscharities.org/Walk17Scarborough>

## Calgary, AB Sunday, Aug 13

Location:

Bowness Park, Picnic Site 4  
8900 48 Ave NW  
Registration: 11:00am  
Contact: 403-472-8820, 587-718-8123

<http://bapscharities.org/Walk17Calgary>

## Winnipeg, MB Saturday, Aug 12

Location:

Crescent Drive Park  
758 Crescent Drive  
Registration: 10:00am  
Contact: 204-880-0430, 204-290-4905

<http://bapscharities.org/Walk17Winnipeg>

## Edmonton, AB Sunday, Aug 13

Location:

Millhurst Community Centre  
5811-19A Avenue  
Registration: 10:00am  
Contact: 780-264-1988, 780-964-1250

<http://bapscharities.org/Walk17Edmonton>

## Brandon, MB Saturday, Aug 19

Location:

Shoppers Mall  
1570 18th Street  
Registration: 10:00am  
Contact: 204-778-8149, 204-908-0000

<http://bapscharities.org/Walk17Brandon>

## Saskatoon, SK Sunday, Aug 13

Location:

107 La Ronge Road  
Registration: 10:00am  
Contact: 306-881-4292

<http://bapscharities.org/Walk17Saskatoon>