

UNITED STATES
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ANNUAL REVIEW



BAPS Charities serves individuals, families and communities in five key areas through the dedicated efforts and collective spirit of our volunteers.

Community Activities

We believe that the power to build better communities lies in the hands of the very members of those communities. BAPS Charities serves our communities through initiatives aimed at improving the lives of our neighbors.

Walkathons | Community Clean-ups | Community Sporting Events
Food Drives | Support for Community Organizations



Health & Wellness

BAPS Charities aims to provide low cost, high quality health and wellness services in a variety of innovative ways. Awareness programs also help community members live a healthier lifestyle.

Health Fairs | Blood Drives | Children's Health & Safety Days
Health Awareness Lectures | Bone Marrow Drives | Flu Vaccination Drives



Educational Services

Education is the cornerstone of development and progress. Throughout North America, BAPS continues to provide extensive support to our future generations through several impactful programs.

Career Fairs | Scholarships | Support for Educational Institutions
Youth Leadership Seminars



Environmental Initiatives

Serving as good stewards of the planet is a collective and civic responsibility that BAPS Charities takes seriously. We work to bring awareness of important environmental issues faced in our communities and engage volunteers in various environmental protection initiatives.

Earth Day | Tree-planting Campaigns

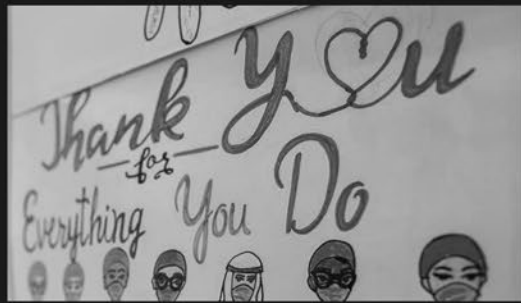


Humanitarian Relief

In times of natural and man-made disasters, BAPS Charities has worked to respond effectively to the needs of the hour. When a major catastrophe strikes, BAPS Charities serves by mobilizing volunteers and resources to support the affected communities.

Earthquake Relief | Wildfire Relief | Hurricane Relief





HUMANITARIAN RELIEF

COVID-19 Relief Efforts in USA

Over 175,000+ PPE donated





HUMANITARIAN RELIEF

COVID-19 Relief
Efforts in USA

Over 90,000
Meals, Food and
Care Packages





HUMANITARIAN RELIEF

COVID-19 Relief Efforts in USA

Over \$190,000 Donations for Healthcare and Community Support





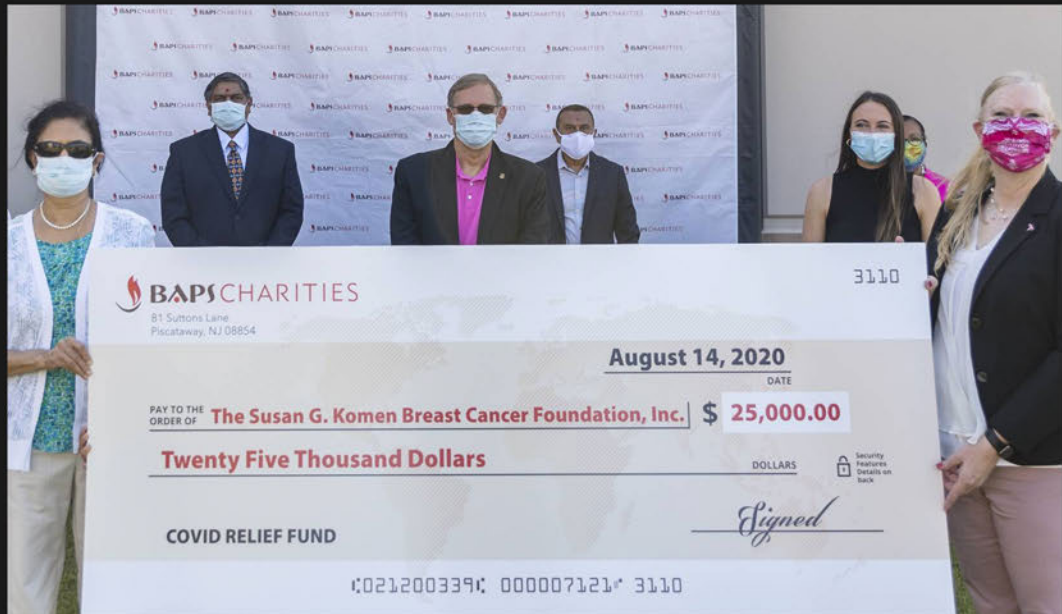
WALKATHON

Donation of \$25,000 to Susan G. Komen in their fight against breast cancer

BAPS Charities organizes annual Walkathons across the country to provide support to national and community-based organizations working for the greater good. In 2020, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, all Walkathons were cancelled.

Despite the cancellations, with the spirit that the fight against breast cancer is ongoing, on August 14, 2020, BAPS Charities presented the Susan G. Komen Foundation with a donation of \$25,000 to support their critical work.

The donation will be used to fund several ongoing initiatives including the *Komen COVID-19 Action Fund*, focused on supporting victims and breast cancer survivors who may also be suffering from the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic.





FOOD DRIVES

While the devastating impact on people's lives and health due to COVID-19 made 2020 a challenging year, the pandemic also negatively impacted the economy and the financial strength of many. For some, the loss of income led to "food insecurity" or caused challenges in gaining access to nutritious food.

In an effort to help provide proper nourishment to struggling families and individuals, BAPS Charities and centers throughout North America dedicated all of this annual food drive to combat food insecurity.





HEALTH AWARENESS LECTURES

BAPS Charities Health Awareness Lectures provide the public at large with an important resource to improve their lives through healthier living. Addressing a wide range of topics, the collective impact of these lectures is preventative care, overall increased wellness, and reduced medical expenses.

- COVID-19: Protection & Prevention
- COVID-19: Vaccines: Myths, Facts & FAQs
- Women's Health Awareness Lecture on Menopause (pre-pandemic)





FLU VACCINATION DRIVES

Influenza (flu) is a contagious respiratory illness caused by the influenza virus and can be spread by coughing, sneezing or nasal secretions. The CDC estimates that since 2010, influenza has resulted in 9.3 million to 49 million illnesses, 140,000 to 960,000 hospitalizations and 12,000 to 79,000 deaths.

In 2020, getting a flu vaccine was even more important due to possible confusion with COVID-19-related symptoms. BAPS Charities organized flu vaccination drives throughout North America.





DISASTER RELIEF

Hurricane Laura Relief Efforts in Iowa, LA.

Due to the devastation caused by Hurricane Laura in Louisiana, BAPS Charities volunteers from Beaumont and Houston, Texas as well as Baton Rouge, Lafayette and New Orleans, Louisiana provided 1,600 freshly packed meals and 5,000 water bottles to over 650 people at a distribution center in Iowa, LA.

California Wildfires

- Donated \$6,000 to the Chino Valley Independent Fire District Foundation.
- Donated \$4,000 to the Los Angeles Fire Season Fund along with 1,800 water bottles to the Los Angeles Fire Department Foundation.



We offer our innermost appreciation
to all the volunteers, supporters and well-wishers
who braved a very difficult 2020 to make these activities successful.

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