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### **AAHOA Reassures Support to BAPS Care International**

Asian American Hotel Owners Association (AAHOA) board of directors and members reassured their unanimous support to BAPS Care International during their 3-day annual convention at Ft. Lauderdale, FL. AAHOA had declared BAPS Care International as the "Charity of the Year" earlier this year and is supporting its hospital project in Surat, India. "We have witnessed BAPS Care International's sincere commitment and extraordinary spirit of service for many years", said AAHOA director-at-large Hemant Patel. "AAHOA has been providing their support to disaster relief and community activities of BAPS Care since the massive Gujarat Earthquake of 2001", said Sudhir Patel, Vice President of BAPS Care International. "With their commitment towards the recent hospital in Surat, BAPS Care would be able to serve the community in need at a much better scale", he added.

AAHOA managing committee members had recently visited the hospital in Surat, which was dedicated to people this year by BAPS Care. "This is one of the best healthcare facilities I have seen in India" expressed Dilipkumar (Danny) Patel, Treasurer of AAHOA, during his visit to this 150-bed, 6-storey ultramodern hospital. "We are thankful to Nash Patel, Chairman of AAHOA and other committee members for providing us this opportunity to spread a word about our community outreach initiatives" said BAPS Care International volunteers who were in charge of the complimentary exhibition booth.

"Even though the first phase of the Surat hospital is complete, BAPS Care still needs a lot of community support to extend its reach and we are glad to see exceptional support from AAHOA members" explained Nilkanth Patel, President of BAPS Care International, in his vote of thanks, followed by a walk-through DVD presentation on Surat hospital and current community projects of BAPS Care International. AAHOA trade show participants, along with their allied and founding members had organized a special silent auction to support BAPS Care from the proceeds.

BAPS Care International has built and managed fourteen other hospitals, clinics and healthcare centers in India in addition to providing services through medical mobile vans and free diagnostic camps in tribal areas. In addition to its medical activities, BAPS Care International is actively serving the community in the fields of educational, environmental and disaster relief services. It is committed to sincerely serving the world by caring for individuals, families and communities.

To make a donation for Surat Hospital or any other BAPS Care projects, contact BAPS Care International at (888)-CARE-881. You can also make online donations at [www.bapscore.org](http://www.bapscore.org).