



The South Asian Heart Center is a response to the seriously progressive and malignant epidemic of heart disease (CAD) in people from the Indian sub-continent - 4 times as likely to have CAD compared to the US population, 2 times as likely to suffer a fatal heart attack and at much younger ages, and bear 60% of the world's disease burden.

“ As the Center's executive director, I seek your support and encourage you to join our campaign by participating in our fundraising gala – **Scarlet Night - An Affair of the Heart, scheduled for March 20, 2010** 6pm at the San Jose Convention Center” **Ashish Mathur**

The Center aims to raise awareness of this issue, prevent disease in its participants through a comprehensive screening program, educate physicians on our aggressive preventative model focusing on lifestyle, and continue further research to help better predict risk factors in the future. For opportunities to participate, sponsor, advertise or donate, please visit: [www.southasianheartcenter.org/scarlet](http://www.southasianheartcenter.org/scarlet)