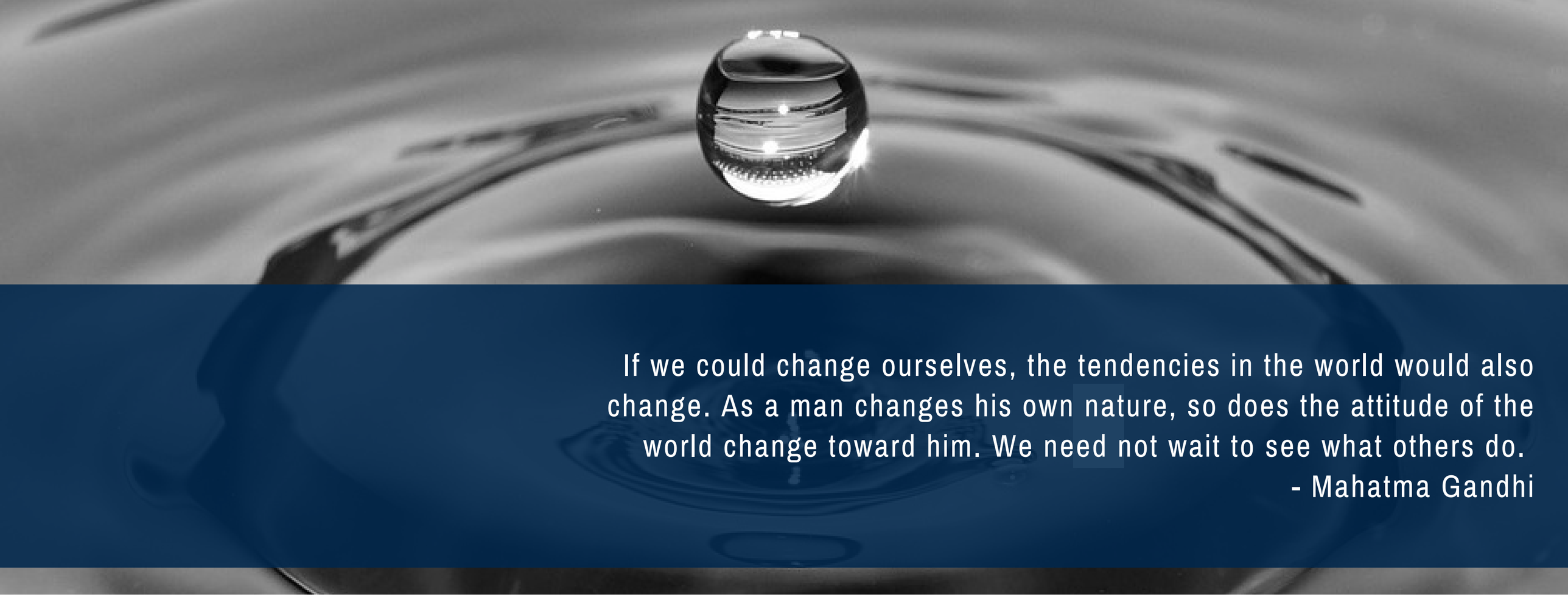

If we could change ourselves, the tendencies in the world would also change. As a man changes his own nature, so does the attitude of the world change toward him. We need not wait to see what others do.

- Mahatma Gandhi

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Oprah's 2018 HEALTH HEROES

Dr. Mamta Swaroop was featured in the January 2018 issue of O Magazine as a leader in the community, advocating and teaching first responder courses to empower the community.

MLK Humanitarian Award

Dr. Mamta Swaroop wins the prestigious 2018 Northwestern MLK Humanitarian Award

HBO VICE

HBO VICE News February 12, 2017

NBC 5 Chicago January 10, 2017

Chicago Tribune

Chicago Tribune February 23, 2017

abc

ABC News January 27, 2017

OUR STORY

We are inspired by the actions of my Massi (maternal aunt) who opened her home to distressed women and always encouraged me to care for those who were forgotten or overlooked by society. Through the creation of the Sadanah Foundation, my hope is to continue her essence of and my family, by always giving and not forgetting.

- Mamta (Sadanah) Swaroop, MD FACS FICS FAIM

OUR ETHOS

Mission Statement: The Sadanah Foundation aims to build sustainable access to healthcare and education in low resource settings, by identifying, funding, and promoting grassroots organizations

In education lies the solution to not only improve healthcare and health itself, but to also improve the socioeconomic status and resilience of vulnerable populations and societies in any low or high resource area. We believe in the power of grassroots organizations to make a meaningful impact both locally and globally as they have a more nuanced understanding of the problems they solve. Alongside financial support, we provide leadership and direction to galvanize change.

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OUR SOLUTIONS

SURVEYING

We survey the global health landscape for high- impact projects in need of support via quantitative and qualitative analysis of their activities, drawing from our expertise in global health, specifically trauma care. To sustain the success of projects, we ask partners to provide timely status reports and in turn we provide ongoing operational guidance

NETWORKING

We aim to become a platform, connecting our partners with one another and the rest of the global health community. Our goal is to facilitate a two-way exchange: bringing global resources to the world's best kept secrets and sharing lessons from our partners with the rest of the world. Our ultimate aspiration is to create a more connected global health community.

FUNDED PROJECTS

- TRUE (Trauma Responders Unify to Empower) Communities Course
- Bolivian Trauma Initiative
- Indian Health Initiative
- Unite4India Campaign

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TRAUMA RESPONDERS UNIFY TO EMPOWER COMMUNITIES

Featured in *O Magazine* and Vice News, TRUE Communities project leaders have conducted more than 75 free courses all over Chicago, training bystanders from different communities to take action in the event of a traumatic injury.

Over 1500 community members have been equipped with the confidence, knowledge, and skills needed to provide rapid and effective care to trauma victims.

Our community partnerships enable us to permeate into all aspects of society in Chicago. As we continue our work, we plan a train the trainers course to spread the knowledge throughout the city.

1500+

Community members trained across Chicago.

75+

Free Trauma First Responders Courses conducted.

8+

High Schools taught with plans to incorporate additional schools.

TRUE COMMUNITIES

BOLIVIAN TRAUMA INITIATIVE

BTI's mission is to build a comprehensive trauma response infrastructure in Bolivia from the ground up. BTI's leaders have partnered with Bolivian government officials to create a trauma registry, Advanced Trauma Life Support preparatory courses for providers, a dispatch system of ambulances, the first Bolivian paramedic school, research lab for Bolivian medical trainees, and enable a 911 like system with concurrent establishment of infrastructure needed for ongoing research on trauma prevention.

INDIAN HEALTH INITIATIVE

IHI's leaders in Nanakpur, a rural village in Northern India, collaborated with local government to promote the efforts of community health workers and to offer trauma first responder training courses. With the help of the All India Institute of Medical Science and Postgraduate Institute of Medical Education & Research, they have conducted substantial community based research on the local burden of surgical disease and the availability of critical surgical resources. Through a partnership with Project RISHI (Rural India Social and Health Improvement), a primary care clinic has been established in the community to improve access to healthcare for migrant and local laborers

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UNITE4INDIA

Unite4India is a campaign by the Sadanah Foundation to support India with the COVID crisis.

By December 2021, Sadanah foundation aims to raise 1.25 million dollars for #Unite4India.

The initial 250 thousand dollars will be channeled towards providing acute needs and resources such as oxygen concentrators, tanks, pulse oximeters etc., during this critical time for India. We will collect & deploy resources to India through vetted organizations and partners in our established supply chain.

After provisioning funds for acute resources, donations will be used to develop and establish a Telehealth system to support the overwhelmed healthcare infrastructure in India.

Unite4India.org

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The lamps are different, but the light is the same.
- Rumi