



**SANKARA**  
EYE FOUNDATION, USA

## Vision 2030: March to a Million Give the Gift of Vision!

*Our March to a Million goal is to One Million Free Surgeries Annually by 2030.*

Join the world's largest free eye care program. Let's make the world brighter, together!



### India's Blindness Challenge

- World's largest blind population lives in India.
- Most of them cannot afford even the basic eye care services.
- Fortunately, majority of blindness is easily curable, with a simple surgery.

### 27 Years of Impact

#### Building the World's Largest Free Eye Care Program



↑ Akhand Jyoti Center of Excellence, Bihar  
→ Sankara Eye Hospital, Hyderabad

#### Exponential growth:

From 8,000 free surgeries in 1998 to 447,000 in FY24-25

#### Expansive Network:

29 hospitals in 14 states; over 500 million people served

#### 2023-24 Fiscal Year Milestones:

##### Akhand Jyoti Center of Excellence

Mastichak, Bihar (capacity added: 100,600)

##### H.V. Desai Eye Hospital (expansion)

Pune, Maha. (capacity added 30,000)

##### Netaji Eye Hospital (expansion)

Purulia, WB (capacity added: 20,000)

##### Sankara Eye Hospital

Hyderabad, Telangana (capacity added: 30,000)

#### 2024-25 Fiscal Year Milestones:

##### RJ Sankara Eye Hospital

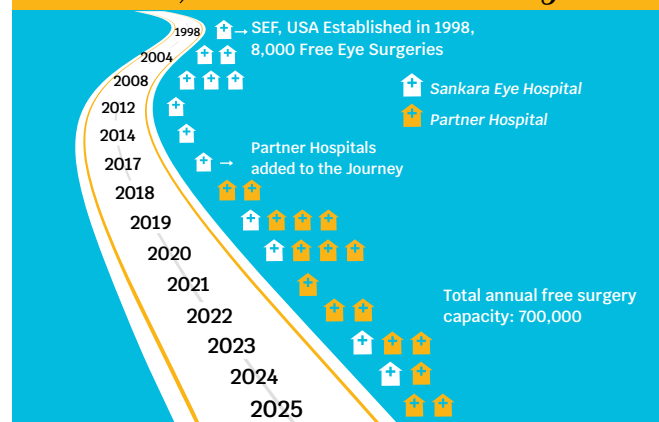
Varanasi, UP (capacity added: 30,000)

##### Kalyanam Karoti Eye Institute

Mathura, UP (capacity added: 50,000)



### SEF, USA's 27 Years Journey



#### About SEF, USA

SEF, USA was founded in 1998 in San Jose, California. For 27 years, SEF, USA has been relentlessly working to help eliminate curable blindness in India by providing FREE eye surgeries to those in need through a network of 29 hospitals in 14 states in India. SEF, USA is the world's largest free eye care program.

#### Rural outreach program

SEF, USA takes eye care to the doorsteps of rural India. This is done by conducting eye camps in villages, identifying patients needing surgery, transporting them to the nearest network hospital, providing free eye surgeries, and transporting them back to their homes.



#### Fostering economic independence

Patients become economically independent and regain their dignity. Young women trained as Vision Care Technicians also find employment and independence.

#### Rescuing the future

Secures a productive future for children by early detection and treatment of eye problems to prevent loss of education.



#### Highest rating for transparency

SEF, USA has a top rating of 4 stars from Charity Navigator, a leading independent nonprofit rating agency in the USA for 14 years.

## Join the March to a Million



RJ Sankara Eye Hospital, Varanasi  
Inaugurated by PM Modi on Oct 20, 2024



**\$50 - cost of surgery**

**98% - success rate**

## Upcoming Hospital Inaugurations

H.V.Desai Eye Hospital, Solapur, Maharashtra  
Construction underway; Inauguration 2025

Sankara Eye Hospital, Guntur, AP  
Construction underway;  
Inauguration 2025



Sankara Eye Hospital, Guntur

H.V. Desai Eye Hospital, Solapur

*We are grateful for your generous contributions and look forward to your continued support as we build new hospitals, expand existing hospitals, and increase free surgery capacity.*

## Vision 2030: March to a Million

Our March to a Million goal is to provide One Million Free Eye Surgeries annually to the underserved in India by 2030.



Kalyanam Karoti Eye Institute, Mathura



## Making the world brighter, together.



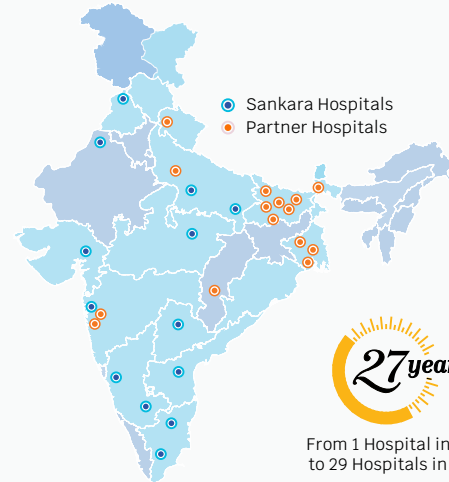
**29**  
Eye Hospitals  
in India



**14**  
States covered  
in India



**447,000**  
Free eye surgeries  
in FY24-25



**27years**

From 1 Hospital in 1998  
to 29 Hospitals in 2025

## We appreciate your support!

### Donate towards Free Eye Surgeries

\$50 - Open One Eye

\$150 - Open Three Eyes

\$600 - Open an Eye a Month for One Year (12 surgeries)

\$2,500 - Open an Eye a Week for One Year (50 surgeries)

\$5,000 - Open 100 Eyes (100 surgeries)

### Leave a Legacy:

Become a Founding Donor and have your name or name of your loved ones inscribed at the upcoming hospital of your choice.

\$1,000 - Wall of Founders

\$5,000 - Golden Wall of Founders

\$10,000 - Platinum Wall of Founders

Call **1-866-SANKARA** for more details.

We are incredibly grateful to our large base of donors, volunteers, and hospital staff who made this journey possible.

Join the world's largest mission to eliminate curable blindness in India.

**Together, Let's March to a Million!**



SEF, USA wins top 4-Stars from Charity Navigator for the 9th year in a row for its financial accountability and transparency



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