Dear Colleague,

We continue to see significant increases in the number of COVID-19 cases throughout Northern California, as well as increased hospital and ICU admissions in several Northern California facilities. As we respond to these ongoing surges, I am inspired by the tremendous work we, the members of the medical community, are doing every day. Our commitment, resiliency, clinical and operational expertise are on full display as the medical community delivers exceptional care to patients during this unprecedented time.

In recognition of this, I am delighted to announce that AAPIO is opening its arms to show solidarity and support to our community of physicians of Indian origin. We are offering LIFE MEMBERSHIP at $250 (50% discount), to encourage physician education, networking, group support, which are essential for our professional viability and success.

AAPIO is a professional organization representing physicians, dentists and other medical scientists of Indian heritage, in the San Francisco Bay Area, for the past 37 years. It is a great platform to meet colleagues from different streams including private practice, Kaiser Permanente, PAMF, as well as academic programs including Stanford and UCSF.

Activities include:
- CME programs, Webinars
- Annual picnic
- Fundraisers for charitable activities
- Semiannual and Annual gala
- Social and cultural activities
- Mentorship in Medicine program to serve high school, college and medical school students
- Volunteering opportunities

All these benefits and a lifetime of networking for a onetime fee of $250! This is a LIMITED TIME OFFER.

It is important to remember that we are together in this for the long haul as we continue to learn and adapt our approaches, in order to best support our patients and each other, in rapidly changing practice environments. I hope you will take advantage of this generous offer and join us to expand our medical community on the foundations of trust, support and teamwork.

Yours in service,
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