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### ACHC Assists Victims of Hurricane Harvey

CARY, NC- Accreditation Commission for Health Care (ACHC) is donating \$5,000 to Direct Relief to assist with aid and recovery efforts in response to Hurricane Harvey in Texas.

"Our hearts go out to those who have been affected by this massive storm," said ACHC President and CEO José Domingos. "It is difficult for most of us to imagine the personal impact a weather event like this can have on individuals, families and businesses in a community. Our hope is that contributions like this can help with what will be a long road to recovery for those living in Houston and surrounding communities."

Headquartered in California, Direct Relief is a humanitarian aid organization active in all 50 states and 70 countries whose mission is to improve the health and lives of people affected by poverty and emergencies.

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