

2010 National Health Observances



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National Brain Injury Awareness Month

Brain Injury Association of America
1608 Spring Hill Road, Suite 110
Vienna, VA 22182
(703) 761-0750
(703) 761-0755 Fax
jtoth@biausa.org
<http://www.biausa.org/biam.htm>
Materials Available
Contact: Jenny Toth

National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month

Prevent Cancer Foundation
1600 Duke Street, Suite 500
Alexandria, VA 22314
(800) 227-2732
(703) 886-4413 Fax
info@preventcancer.org
<http://www.preventcancer.org/colorectal>
Materials Available
Contact: Sherry Noziglia

National Endometriosis Awareness Month

Endometriosis Research Center
World Headquarters
630 Ibis Drive
Delray Beach, FL 34444
(800) 239-7280
(561) 274-0931 Fax
askerc@endocenter.org
<http://www.endocenter.org>
Materials Available
Contact: None designated

National Kidney Month

National Kidney Foundation
30 East 33rd Street
New York, NY 10016
(800) 622-9010
(212) 889-2310 Fax
info@kidney.org
[http://www.kidney.org/kidneydisease/
kidneymonth/](http://www.kidney.org/kidneydisease/kidneymonth/)
Materials Available
Contact: Ellie Schlam

National Nutrition Month®

American Dietetic Association
120 South Riverside Plaza, Suite 2000
Chicago, IL 60606-6995
(800) 877-1600 x4771
(312) 899-0040
(312) 899-4739 Fax
nnm@eatright.org
[http://www.eatright.org/cps/rde/xchg/ada/
hs.xsl/NNM_2007_home.htm](http://www.eatright.org/cps/rde/xchg/ada/hs.xsl/NNM_2007_home.htm)
Materials Available
Contact: Knowledge Center

Save Your Vision Month

American Optometric Association
243 North Lindbergh Boulevard, First Floor
St. Louis, MO 63141
(314) 991-4100
(314) 991-4101 Fax
mcbryson@aoa.org
<http://www.aoa.org/x5072.xml>
Materials Available
Contact: Cathy Bryson

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Trisomy Awareness Month

Support Organization for Trisomy 18, 13 &
Related Disorders
2982 South Union Street
Rochester, NY 14624-1926
(800) 716-SOFT -7638
(585) 594-4621
(585) 594-1957 Fax
barbsoft@rochester.rr.com
<http://www.trisomy.org>
Materials Available
Contact: Barb Vanherreweghe

Workplace Eye Wellness Month

Prevent Blindness America
211 West Wacker Drive, Suite 1700
Chicago, IL 60606
(800) 331-2020
(847) 843-8458 Fax
info@preventblindness.org
<http://www.preventblindness.org>
Materials Available
Contact: PBA Consumer and Patient Hotline

7 - 13 National Patient Safety Awareness Week

National Patient Safety Foundation
268 Summer Street, 6th Floor
Boston, MA 02210
(617) 391-9900
(617) 391-9999 Fax
info@npsf.org
<http://www.npsf.org/hp/psaw/>
Materials Available
Contact: Rachel Crow

7 - 13 National Problem Gambling Awareness Week

National Council on Problem Gambling
730 11th Street NW, Suite 601
Washington, DC 20001
(800) 522-4700
(202) 547-9204
(202) 547-9206 Fax
ncpg@ncpgambling.org
<http://www.npgaw.org>
Materials Available
Contact: Keith Whyte

7 - 13 National Sleep Awareness Week®

National Sleep Foundation
1522 K Street NW, Suite 500
Washington, DC 20005
(202) 347-3471
(202) 347-3472 Fax
nsf@sleepfoundation.org
<http://www.sleepfoundation.org>
Materials Available
Contact: Jennifer Cowher Williams

8 - 12 National School Breakfast Week

School Nutrition Association
120 Waterfront Street, Suite 300
National Harbor, MD 20745
(800) 877-8822
(301) 686-3100
(301) 686-3115 Fax
servicecenter@schoolnutrition.org
<http://www.schoolnutrition.org/nsbw>
Materials Available
Contact: Laura Maynard

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11 World Kidney Day

National Kidney Foundation
30 East 33rd Street
New York, NY 10016
(800) 622-9010
(212) 889-2210
(212) 889-2310 Fax
info@kidney.org
<http://www.kidney.org/news/wkd/index.cfm>
Materials Available
Contact: Ellie Schlam

14 - 20 National Poison Prevention Week

Poison Prevention Week Council
P.O. Box 1543
Washington, DC 20013
(703) 894-1858
(703) 683-2812 Fax
wells@aapcc.org
<http://www.poisonprevention.org/poison.htm>
Materials Available
Contact: Holly Wells

15 - 21 Brain Awareness Week

Dana Alliance for Brain Initiatives
745 Fifth Avenue, Suite 900
New York, NY 10151
(212) 223-4040
(212) 593-7623 Fax
bawinfo@dana.org
<http://www.dana.org/brainweek>
Materials Available
Contact: Kathleen Roina

23 American Diabetes Alert Day

American Diabetes Association
1701 North Beauregard Street
Alexandria, VA 22311
(800) DIABETES (342-2383)
(703) 549-1500
(703) 549-6995 Fax
askada@diabetes.org
<http://www.diabetes.org/communityprograms-and-localevents/americanidiabetesalert.jsp>
Materials Available
Contact: Local Chapters

24 World Tuberculosis Day

Stop TB Partnership (Secretariat)
World Health Organization
HTM/STB/TBP
20, avenue Appia
CH-1211 Geneva 27
SWITZERLAND
+(41) 22 791 4650
+(41) 22 791 4886
Faxstoptbinfo@who.int
http://www.stoptb.org/events/world_tb_day
Materials Available
Contact: None designated

March 28 – April 3 Root Canal Awareness Week

American Association of Endodontists
211 East Chicago Avenue, Suite 1100
Chicago, IL 60601
(800) 872-3636
info@aae.org
<http://www.aae.org>
Materials Available
Contact: Harriet Bogdanowicz