



2024 Calendar of Disability Events and Activities

Date(s)	Event Name	Location	Website
JANUARY			
January	Co-dependency Awareness Month	United States	http://coda.org/
January	Glaucoma Awareness Month	United States	https://www.glaucoma.org/news/glaucoma-awareness-month.php
4-Jan	World Braille Day (United Nations Day)	Global	https://www.un.org/en/observances/braille-day
24-Jan	Moebius Syndrome Awareness Day	Global	https://www.moebiussyndromeawarenessday.com/
29-Jan	World Leprosy Day	Global	https://zeroleprosy.org/world-leprosy-day/
30-Jan	Chronic Traumatic Encephalopath y (CTE) Awareness Day	United States	https://stopcte.org/events/
FEBRUARY	•		
February	Jewish Disability Awareness & Inclusion Month	United States	https://www.chabad.org/library/article_cdo/aid/3575538/jewish/Jewish-Disability-Awareness-Inclusion-Month.htm
1-7 Feb	White Cane Week	Canada	http://ccbnational.net/shaggy/white-cane-week/
2-Feb	Rheumatoid Arthritis Awareness Day	United States	https://curearthritis.org/
4-Feb	World Cancer Day	Global	https://www.worldcancerday.org/
11-Feb	World Day of the Sick	Global	https://www.nacc.org/resources/spirituality-and-prayer-resources/world-day-of-the-sick/

^{1 |} Learn more about <u>Disability:IN online</u>.



14-Feb	Congenital Heart Defect Awareness Day / Week & Rock Your Scar Campaign	Global	https://mendedhearts.org/chd-awareness-week/ & https://mendedhearts.org/rock-your-scar-awareness-campaign/
14-Feb	National Donor Day	United States	https://www.donatelife.net/celebrations/
15-Feb	International Childhood Cancer Day	Global	http://www.internationalchildhoodcancerday.org/
20-Feb	World Day of Social Justice (United Nations)	Global	https://www.un.org/es/observances/social-justice-day
22-Feb	National Heart Valve Disease Awareness Day	United States	https://www.valvediseaseday.org/
27 Feb-Mar 5	Eating Disorder Awareness Week	United States	https://www.nationaleatingdisorders.org/get- involved/nedawareness
27-Feb	Anosmia Awareness Day	Global	https://www.anosmiaawareness.org/
29-Feb	Rare Disease Day	Global	https://www.rarediseaseday.org/
MARCH			
March	Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month	United States	https://nacdd.org/ddam/
March	Cerebral Palsy Awareness Month	United States	https://www.prentrom.com/caregivers/march-is-cerebral-palsy-awareness-month
March	Color Therapy Month	United States	https://munsell.com/color-blog/national-color-therapy-month/
March	Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month	United States	https://www.ccalliance.org/about/awareness-month
March	Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT) Prevention Awareness Month	United States	https://www.ivein.com/march-dvt-awareness-month/



Endometriosis Awareness Month	Global	https://endometriosis.org/news/support-awareness/endometriosis-awareness-and-action-2022/
Epilepsy Month	Canada	https://www.canadianepilepsyalliance.org/epilepsy-awareness-month/
Essential Tremor Month	International	https://essentialtremor.org/what-we-do/et-awareness/
Kidney Month	United States	https://www.niddk.nih.gov/health- information/communication-programs/nkdep/get- involved/national-kidney-month
Multiple Sclerosis Awareness Month	United States	https://www.nationalmssociety.org/Get-Involved/Raise-Awareness & https://msfocus.org/Get-Involved/MS-Awareness-Month/NMSEAM-Awareness-Kits
Red Cross Month	United States	https://www.redcross.org/about-us/news-and- events/news/Red-Cross-Month-A-Time-to-Recognize- Community-Heroes.html
Red Cross Month	Canada	https://www.redcross.ca/quiz/march-is-red-cross-month
Self-Injury Awareness Month	United States, Canada	https://www.ororecovery.com/march-is-self-injury-awareness-month-self-harm-or-cutting/
Brain Injury Awareness Month	Global	https://www.biausa.org/public-affairs/public-awareness/brain-injury-awareness
Trisomy Awareness Month	United States, Canada	https://trisomy.org/tam/
Self-Injury Awareness Day	Global	http://www.lifesigns.org.uk/siad/
International Wheelchair Day	Global	https://internationalwheelchairday.wordpress.com/
Disability Day of Mourning	United States	https://autisticadvocacy.org/projects/community/mourning/
World Lymphoma Awareness Day	Global	https://lymphaticnetwork.org/wld
National Women and Girls HIV/AIDS Awareness Day	United States	https://www.womenshealth.gov/nwghaad/about
World Glaucoma Week	Global	https://www.worldglaucomaweek.org/
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National Trisomy 18 Awareness Day	United States	https://www.trisomy18.org/blog/friday-is-national-trisomy-18-awareness-day/
World Down Syndrome Day (United Nations Day)	Global	https://www.un.org/en/observances/down-syndrome-day#:~:text=In%20December%202011%2C%20the%20General,on%2021%20March%20each%20yearhttps://www.worlddownsyndromeday2.org/
World Tuberculosis Day (WHO)	Global	https://www.who.int/campaigns/world-tb-day
National Cerebral Palsy Awareness Day	United States	https://www.gogreen4cp.org/
Purple Day for Epilepsy	Global	http://www.purpleday.org/
Amniotic Fluid Embolism (AFE) Awareness Day	Global	https://www.afesupport.org/awareness/
Paralyzed Veterans Across America Month	United States	https://www.pva.org/sponsorship-events/paralyzed-veterans-of-america-awareness-month
Cushing Disease/Syndro me Awareness Month	United States	https://www.pacificneuroscienceinstitute.org/blog/pituitary-disorders/cushings-disease-awareness/
Functional Neurological Disorder (FND) Awareness Month	Global	https://fndhope.org/fndaware/
Parkinson's Awareness Month	United States	https://www.apdaparkinson.org/article/dd-s22-article3/ https://www.michaeljfox.org/parkinsons-awareness-month
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April	National Donate Life Month	United States	https://www.donatelife.net/celebrations/
April	Limb Loss Awareness Month	United States	https://www.amputee-coalition.org/events-programs/limb-loss-awareness-month/
2-Apr	World Autism Awareness Day (United Nations)	Global	https://www.un.org/en/observances/autism-day
2-8	Autism Acceptance Week	United Kingdom	https://www.autism.org.uk/get-involved/raise-money/world-autism-acceptance-week-2024
2-8 Apr	Oral, Head and Neck Cancer Awareness Week	United States	https://www.entnet.org/about-us/campaigns/oral-head-and-neck-cancer-awareness-week/
6-Apr	Bohring-Opitz Syndrome Awareness Day	Global	http://bos-foundation.org/bos-awareness-day
7-Apr	World Health Day (United Nations Day)	Global	https://www.who.int/campaigns/world-health-day
8-Apr	Cushing Disease/Syndro me Awareness Day	United States	https://www.pacificneuroscienceinstitute.org/blog/pituitary-disorders/cushings-disease-awareness/
10-Apr	National Youth HIV and AIDS Awareness Day	United States	https://www.hiv.gov/events/awareness-days/youth
11-Apr	Parkinson's Disease International Awareness Day	Global	https://shakeitup.org.au/pause4parkinsons/
13-Apr	Sarcoidosis Awareness Day	Global	https://www.stopsarcoidosis.org/ https://www.stopsarcoidosis.org/events/steps-for-sarc/
17-Apr	World Hemophilia Day	Global	https://wfh.org/world-hemophilia-day/



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19-Apr	Congenital Diaphragmatic Hernia Action Day	Global	https://cdhi.org/april-19-is-cdh-awareness-day/
19-Apr	Prophyria Awareness Week	Global	https://www.porphyria.org/get-involved/global-porphyria-day- 2023/
20-27 Apr	World Primary Immunodeficien cy (PI) Week	Global	http://www.worldpiweek.org/
24-30 Apr	National MS Awareness Week	United Kingdom	https://www.mssociety.org.uk/get-involved/ms-awareness-week?_ga=2.68654994.2038902126.1555919293-1238863092.1555919293#symptomgraphics
23-Apr	Fibrodysplasia Ossificans Progressiva (FOP) Awareness Day	Global	https://www.ifopa.org/2022_global_awareness_day
25-Apr	World Malaria Day (WHO)	Global	https://www.who.int/campaigns/world-malaria-day
28-Apr	World Day for Safety and Health at Work (United Nations)	Global	https://www.un.org/observances/work-safety-day
29-Apr	World Wish Day	Global	https://www.worldwish.org/en/worldwishday
MAY			
Мау	ALS Awareness Month	United States	https://www.als.org/blog/als-awareness-month-how-our-fight-continues
May	Arthritis Month	United States	http://blog.arthritis.org/news/arthritis-awareness-month/
May	Apraxia Awareness Month	United States	https://www.apraxia-kids.org/awareness/
May	Allergy/Asthma Awareness Month	United States	https://www.aafa.org/asthma-and-allergy-awareness-month/



May	Better Speech and Hearing Month	United States	https://www.asha.org/bhsm/
May	Bladder Cancer Awareness Month	Global	https://fightbladdercancer.co.uk/get-involved/awareness- month
May	Borderline Personality Disorder Awareness Month	United States	https://www.borderlinepersonalitydisorder.org/bpd-awareness-month/
May	Brain Injury Awareness Month	United States	https://www.biausa.org/public-affairs/public-awareness/brain-injury-awareness
May	Brain Tumor Awareness Month	United States	https://braintumor.org/our-events/
May	Cystic Fibrosis Awareness Month	United States	https://www.cff.org/Get-Involved/
May	Celiac Awareness Month	United States	https://www.beyondceliac.org/celiac-awareness-month/
May	Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome (EDS) Awareness Month	United States	https://www.ehlers-danlos.com/may-ehlers-danlos-awareness-month/
May	Hepatitis Awareness Month	United States	https://www.cdc.gov/hepatitis/heppromoresources.htm
May	High Blood Pressure Education Month	United States	https://www.cdc.gov/bloodpressure/communications_kit.htm
May	Huntington's Disease Awareness Month	United States	https://hdsa.org/blog/may-is-hd-awareness- month/#:~:text=May%20is%20HD%20Awareness%20Month %20%7C%20Huntington's%20Disease%20Society%20of%2 0America
May	Lupus Awareness Month	United States	https://www.lupus.org/lupus-awareness-month
May	Lyme Disease Awareness Month	Global	https://www.globallymealliance.org/



May	Myositis Awareness Month	United States	https://www.myositis.org/get-involved/
Мау	Mental Health Month	United States	https://www.nami.org/Get-Involved/Awareness- Events/Mental-Health-Month
May	Mobility Awareness Month	United States	https://nmeda.org/mobility-awareness-month/
May	NF Awareness Month	Global	https://www.ctf.org/get-involved/makenfvisible/
May	Older Americans Month	United States	https://acl.gov/oam/
May	Pediatric Stroke Awareness Month	United States	https://chasa.org/you-can-help/pediatric-stroke-awareness/
May	Multiple Sclerosis Awareness Month	Canada	https://mssociety.ca/
May	American Stroke Month	United States	https://www.yourethecure.org/may-is-stroke-awareness- month
2-May	World Asthma Day	Global	https://ginasthma.org/world-asthma-day-2023/
5-May	International 5p Syndrome Awareness Day	Global	https://fivepminus.org/event/awareness-week-events/
5-May	Ependymoma Awareness Day	United States	https://www.cern-foundation.org/awareness
5-May	European Independent Living Day	Europe	https://enil.eu/campaigns/independent-living-day/
7-May	National Children's Mental Health Awareness Day	United States	https://www.apa.org/pi/families/children-awareness-day
8-May	World Ovarian Cancer Awareness Day	Global	https://worldovariancancercoalition.org/world-ovarian-cancer-day/what-is-wocd/?gclid=Cj0KCQiA-JacBhC0ARIsAlxybyOMsUr150mPh0bks6Hfk68zzXQggErnKDIUqfjXx6ASQyLgTDFZArsaApf5EALw_wcB
8-May	World Red Cross & Red Crescent Day	Global	https://media.ifrc.org/ifrc/



10-May	World Lupus Day	Global	https://worldlupusday.org/
12-May	International Fibromyalgia (FM) Awareness Day	Global	https://www.may12th.org/illnesses/fm/
12-May	International Awareness Day for Chronic Immunological and Neurological Diseases (CIND)	Global	www.may12th.org/
15-May	International Mucopolysacch aridoses (MPS) Awareness Day	Global	https://mpssociety.org/
15-May to 15- June	Tourette Syndrome Awareness Month	United States	https://tourette.org/about-us/raise-awareness/
16-May	Global Accessibility Awareness Day	Global	https://globalaccessibilityawarenessday.org/
17-May	World NF Awareness Day	Global	https://www.ctf.org/get-involved/makenfvisible/
20-May	International Behcet's Disease Awareness Day	Global	https://www.behcets.com/
20-May	International Blue Cone Monochromacy Awareness Day	Global	http://www.blueconemonochromacy.org/home-page/
20-May	World Autoimmune Arthritis Day	Global	https://www.aiarthritis.org/aiarthritisday
23-May	International Day to End Obstetric Fistula (United Nations)	Global	https://www.un.org/en/observances/end-fistula-day



24-May	Schizophrenia and Psychosis Awareness Day (Canada)	Canada	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yegIrwCUsDQ&feature=youtu.be
25-May	World Thyroid Day (WTD)	Global	https://thyroidfoundation.org.au/World-Thyroid-Day
28 May-3 Jun	National AccessAbility Week	Canada	https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/campaigns/national-accessability-week.html
30-May	World Multiple Sclerosis Awareness Day	Global	https://worldmsday.org/
JUNE			
June	Alzheimer's and Brain Awareness Month	Global	https://www.alz.org/abam/overview.asp#takeAction
June	Antiphospholipi d Antibody Syndrome (APS) Awareness Month	United States	https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC5519533/
June	Deafblind Awareness Month	Canada	https://www.rickhansen.com/news-stories/blog/honouring-deafblind-awareness-month
June	Migraine and Headache Awareness Month	United States	https://americanheadachesociety.org/news/how-to-participate-migraine-headache-awareness-month/ https://headaches.org/2018/05/24/mham-recognition-days/onth/
June	PTSD Awareness Month	United States	https://www.ptsd.va.gov/understand/awareness/index.asp
5-Jun	National Cancer Survivors Day	United States	https://www.ncsd.org/
8-Jun	World Brain Tumor Day	Global	https://doctor.ndtv.com/living-healthy/world-brain-tumor-day-causes-symptoms-and-treatment-1864556
11-Jun	Neuropathy Action Awareness Day	United States	http://www.neuropathyaction.org/



13-Jun	International Albinism Awareness Day (United Nations)	Global	https://www.un.org/en/observances/albinism-day
17-Jun	CDKL5 Worldwide Awareness Day	Global	https://www.cdkl5.com/cdkl5-awareness-month/
18-Jun	Autistic Pride Day	United States	https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Autistic Pride Day
19-Jun	World Sickle Cell Day	Global	https://www.sicklecelldisease.org/get-involved/events/awareness-month-and-world-sickleday/#:~:text=June%2019th%20was%20officially%20designated,and%20their%20families%20and%20caregivers.
21-Jun	Global Day of Recognition of ALS/MND	Global	https://www.alsmndalliance.org/global-day/
23-Jun	Dravet Syndrome Awareness Day	United States	https://www.dravetfoundation.org/
25-Jun	World Vitiligo Awareness Day	Global	25june.org/
26-28 Jun	Helen Keller Deaf Blind Awareness Week (dates may shift each year)	Global	https://deafblind.org.uk/helen-keller/
27-Jun	Helen Keller Day	United States	https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Helen_Keller_Day
29-Jun	World Scleroderma Awareness Day	Global	http://worldsclerodermaday.org/
30-Jun	Arthrogryposis Awareness Day	United States	https://amcsupport.org/amc-awareness-day/
JULY			
July	Disability Pride Month	United States, Global	https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Disability_Pride_Month
July	Fragile X (FXS) Awareness Month	United States	https://fragilex.org/



July	National Cleft & Craniofacial Awareness & Prevention Month	United States	http://www.nccapm.org/
July	Sarcoma Research Awareness Month	United States	https://www.curesarcoma.org/sarcoma-awareness-month/
13-Jul	Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumor (GIST) Awareness Day	United States	https://liferaftgroup.org/about-gist-awareness-day/
14-Jul	Disability Awareness Day (DAD)	United Kingdom	https://www.disabilityawarenessday.org.uk/
23-Jul	World Sjogren's Day	Global	https://www.sjogrens.org/home/about-the- foundation/worldsjogrensday-
24-Jul	National Seasonal Affective Disorder (SAD) Day	United States	https://www.theworkplacedepot.co.uk/news/2014/07/24/seasonal-affective-disorder/
26-Jul	Americans with Disabilities Act Anniversary	United States	https://www.adaanniversary.org/
28-Jul	World Hepatitis Day	Global	www.worldhepatitisday.org/
30-Jul	Gastroschisis Awareness Day	United States	https://averysangels.org/
AUGUST			
August	Spinal Muscular Atrophy Awareness Month	United States	www.curesma.org/sma-awareness-month.html
August	Stevens- Johnson Syndrome (SJS) Awareness	United States	sjsupport.org/



August	Psoriasis Action Month	United States	https://www.psoriasis.org/psoriasis-action-month/
20-Aug	National Accessible Air Travel Day	United States	https://www.nationaldaycalendar.com/national-day/national-accessible-air-travel-day-august-20
21-Aug	National Senior Citizens Day	United States	https://nationaltoday.com/national-senior-citizens-day/
SEPTEMBER	R		
September	Alopecia Awareness Month	United States	https://www.naaf.org/
September	Achalasia Awareness Month	United States	achalasiaawareness.org
September	Childhood Cancer Awareness Month	United States	https://www.acco.org/childhood-cancer-awareness-month/
September	Lymphoma Awareness Month	United States	https://www.cancerhealth.com/event/lymphoma-awareness-month-2021
September	National Guide Dog Month	United States	https://www.guidedogs.com/blog/national-guide-dog-month
September	National Hydrocephalus Awareness Month	United States	https://www.hydroassoc.org/september-is-hydrocephalus-awareness-month-heres-what-you-can-do/
September	National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month	United States	suicidepreventionlifeline.org/promote-national-suicide- prevention-month/
September	Orthostatic Tremor Awareness Month	United States	https://www.orthostatictremor.org/awareness.html
September	Pain Awareness Month	United States	https://uspainfoundation.org/painawarenessmonth/
September	Peripheral Artery Disease (PAD) Awareness Month	United States	https://www.heartandleg.com/blog/september-is-pad-awareness-month-do-you-know-the-health-of-your-arteries



September	Polycystic Ovary Syndrome (PCOS) Awareness Month	United States	https://www.pcosaa.org/
September	Prostate Awareness Month	United States	https://www.cancerhealth.com/event/prostate-cancer-awareness-month-2021
September	Spinal Cord Injury Awareness Month	United States	https://www.spinalcord.com/blog/spinal-cord-injury-best-ways-to-help-raise-awareness
September	Thyroid Cancer Awareness Month	United States	http://www.thyca.org/how-to-help/awareness/
September	World Alzheimer's Month	Global	https://www.worldalzmonth.org/
7-Sep	Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy	United States	https://www.mda.org/disease/duchenne-muscular-dystrophy
9-Sep	International Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Awareness Day (FASD)	Global	www.fasday.com/
13-Sep	Celiac Disease Awareness Day	United States	https://www.beyondceliac.org/
15-Sep	World Lymphoma Awareness Day - Hodgkin's Lymphoma	Global	https://lymphomacoalition.org/world-lymphoma-awareness-day/
16-Sep	Disability Awareness Day	United Kingdom	https://www.disabilityawarenessday.org.uk/show/
18-Sep	National HIV/AIDS and Aging Awareness Day	United States	https://www.hiv.gov/events/awareness-days/aging
16-Sep	Usher Syndrome Awareness Day	Global	https://www.usher-syndrome.org/events/ush-awareness-day.html



21-Sep	World Alzheimer's Day	Global	https://www.worldalzmonth.org/
22-Sep	World Chronic Myeloid Leukemia (CML) Day	Global	https://www.worldcmlday.org/celebrate-world-cml-day/
18-24 Sep	International Week of the Deaf (may change each year)	Global	https://wfdeaf.org/
23-Sep	International Day of Sign Languages (may change each year)	Global	https://www.un.org/en/observances/sign-languages-day
25-Sep	International Ataxia Awareness Day	Global	https://ataxia.org/international-ataxia-awareness-day/
26-Sep	Mesothelioma Awareness Day	United States	https://mesothelioma.net/mesothelioma-awareness-day/
29-Sep	International Day of the Deaf / World Deaf Day	Global	https://www.nad.org/resources/american-sign-language/international-week-of-the-deaf/
30-Sep	Limb Girdle Muscular Dystrophy Awareness Day	United States	https://www.lgmd-info.org/awareness-day/about-lgmd-awareness-day/
OCTOBER			
October	ADHD Awareness Month	United States	https://www.adhdawarenessmonth.org/
October	Breast Cancer Awareness Month	United States	https://www.nationalbreastcancer.org/breast-cancer-awareness-month
October	Colon Cancer Awareness Month	United States	https://fightcolorectalcancer.org/join-fight/raise-awareness/
October	Depression Education and Awareness Month	United States	https://nationaltoday.com/national-depression-education- and-awareness-month/



October	Down Syndrome Awareness Month	United States	https://www.upwithdowns.org/down-syndrome-awareness
October	Dwarfism Awareness Month	United States	https://www.lpaonline.org/dwarfism-awareness-month
October	Dysautonomia Awareness Month	Global	www.dysautonomiainternational.org/
October	Dyslexia Awareness Month	United States	https://dyslexiaida.org/october-is-dyslexia-awareness-month- 2/
October	Eczema Awareness Month	United States	https://www.aafa.org/eczema-awareness-month/
October	Liver Cancer Awareness Month	United States	https://liverfoundation.org/
October	Learning Disability Awareness Month	United States	https://ldaamerica.org/
October	Disability Employment Awareness Month	Global	https://www.dol.gov/odep/topics/ndeam/
October	Raynaud's Awareness Month	United States	https://www.multivu.com/players/English/8396551-raynauds-association-october-raynauds-awareness-month/
October	Rett Syndrome Awareness Month	United States	https://www.rettsyndrome.org/for-families/resources/october/
October	Selective Mutism Awareness Month	United States	https://www.personalizedcause.com/awareness/selective -mutism-awareness-month
October	Spina Bifida Awareness Month	United States	https://spinabifidaassociation.org/event/spina-bifida- awareness-month/
October	Stomp Out Bullying Month	United States	https://www.stompoutbullying.org/participate-in-world-bullying-prevention-month
1-Oct	InternationI Day of Older Persons	Global	https://www.un.org/observances/older-persons-day



	(United Nations)		
5-Oct	World Day of Bullying Prevention	Global	https://www.stompoutbullying.org/campaigns/world-day-bullying-prevention
5-Oct	American Veterans Disabled for Life Awareness Day	United States	https://www.disabled- world.com/disability/awareness/avdfl.php
5-Oct	World Meningitis Day	Global	http://www.comomeningitis.org/
6-Oct	World Cerebral Palsy Awareness Day	Global	https://worldcpday.org/
7-Oct	International Trigeminal Neuralgia Awareness Day	Global	http://face-facts.org/trigeminal-neuralgia-awareness-day/
7-Oct	Team Margot Stem Cell and Bone Marrow Awareness Day	United States	https://www.teammargot.com/
9-Oct	PANDAS / PANS Awareness Day	United States	http://www.nepans.org/
10-Oct	World Mental Health Day	Global	https://www.who.int/mental_health/world-mental-health-day/en/
13-Oct	World Sight Day	Global	https://www.iapb.org/advocacy/world-sight-day/
13-Oct	Metastatic Breast Cancer Awareness Day	United States	https://www.breastcancer.org/about-breast-cancer/breast-cancer-awareness-month
13-Oct	World Thrombosis Day	Global	https://www.worldthrombosisday.org/
15-Oct	Blind Americans Safety Day / White Can Safety Day	United States	https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/White Cane Safety Day



18-Oct	Breast Reconstruction Awareness (BRA) Day	United States	https://www.thepsf.org/programs/breast-reconstruction-awareness-campaign/get-involved
20-Oct	World Osteoporosis Day	Global	www.worldosteoporosisday.org/
20-31 Oct	Disability Mentoring Days (Starts on the Third Wednesday of each October)	United States	https://www.aapd.com/disability-mentoring-day/
22-Oct	International Stuttering Awareness Day	Global	www.isastutter.org/what-we-do/isad
24-Oct	World Polio Day	Global	https://www.endpolio.org/world-polio-day
25-Oct	Hydrocephalus Day	Global	https://www.hydroassoc.org/tag/world-spina-bifida-and-hydrocephalus-day/
25-31 Oct	International Epidermolysis Bullosa Awareness Week	Global	www.debra.org/epidermolysis-bullosa-awareness-week
29-Oct	World Stroke Day	Global	https://www.world-stroke.org/world-stroke-day-campaign
NOVEMBER			
November	COPD Awareness Month	United States	https://www.copdfoundation.org/COPD360social/Community/COPD-Digest/Article/312/November-marks-National-COPD-Awareness-Month.aspx
November	Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month	United States	pancreatic.org/november/
November	Alzheimer's Awareness Month	United States	https://www.alz.org/abam
November	Dercum's Disease (Adiposis Dolorosa) Awareness month	United States	https://rarediseases.org/rare-diseases/dercums-disease/



November	Diabetes Awareness Month	United States	https://beyondtype1.org/diabetes-awareness-month/
November	Epilepsy Awareness Month	United States	https://www.epilepsy.com/make-difference/public-awareness/national-epilepsy-awareness-month#:~:text=November%20is%20National%20Epilepsy%20Awareness%20Month!
November	Lung Cancer Awareness Month	United States	https://lcfamerica.org/get-involved/november-lung-cancer-awareness-month/
November	Prostate Cancer / Men's Health Awareness month	United States	https://us.movember.com/mens-health/prostate-cancer
7-11 Nov	International Stress Awareness Week (may change each year)	Global	http://www.stress.org.uk/
7-Nov	Cancer Awareness Day	India	https://www.indianmirror.com/homepage- articles/International-Cancer-Awareness-Dayhtml
8-Nov	Aicardi Syndrome Awareness Day	United States	https://aicardisyndromefoundation.org/
11-Nov	World Usability Day	Global	https://worldusabilityday.org/
12-Nov	World Pneumonia Day	Global	https://stoppneumonia.org/world-pneumonia-day/
13-Nov	World Pancreatic Cancer Day	Global	https://pancreatic.org/event/world-pancreatic-cancer-day/
14-Nov	World Diabetes Day (United Nations)	Global	https://www.un.org/en/observances/diabetes-day
15-Nov	World Ohtahara Syndrome Awareness Day	Global	https://globalgenes.org/tag/world-ohtahara-syndrome-awareness-day/
18-Nov	World COPD Day	Global	https://www.copdfoundation.org/COPD360social/Community/COPD-Digest/Article/337/World-COPD-Day-is-November-18.aspx



	European Week for the Employment of People with Disabilities	Europe	https://www.semaine-emploi-handicap.com/ladapt-leurope
24-Nov	N24 Awareness Day	United States	https://n24day.wordpress.com/
30-Nov - 1- Dec	European Day of Persons with Disabilities (actual dates will change each year)	Europe	https://ec.europa.eu/social/main.jsp?langld=en&catld=88&ev entsId=2129&furtherEvents=yes#navItem-1
DECEMBER			
December	Constipation Awareness Month	United States	https://www.ibspatient.org/constipation-awareness-month/
1-Dec	World AIDS Day (United Nations)	Global	https://www.worldaidsday.org/
3-Dec	International Day of the Disabled Person (United Nations)	Global	https://www.un.org/en/observances/day-of-persons-with-disabilities
10-Dec	Human Rights Day (United Nations)	Global	https://www.un.org/en/observances/human-rights-day