







#### **JANUARY**

27 World Leprosy Day



- **World Cancer Day**
- **International Childhood Cancer Day**

**World Health Day** 

**World Malaria Day** 

**Vaccination Week in the Americas** 

World Day for Safety and Health at Work

#### **FEBRUARY**

### **MARCH**

- **World Birth Defects Day International Women's Day**
- Salt Awareness Week
- 14 **World Kidney Day**
- **World Water Day World Tuberculosis Day**







\*MOSQUITO AWARENESS WEEK is also celebrated in different countries between September and November

20-27 25 28

- **SAVE LIVES: Clean Your Hands** 6-10 Caribbean Mosquito Awareness Week\* 12
  - International Nurses Day
- International Day of Families World Hypertension Day
- World Health Assembly 20-28 International Day for Biological Diversity 22
- 28 International Day of Action for Women's Health
- 31 **World No Tobacco Day**



- International Day of Innocent Children Victims of Aggression **World Environment Day**
- **World Blood Donor Day**
- **World Day to Combat Desertification and Drought**
- **PAHO Executive Committee Meeting** 24-28 International Day against Drug Abuse & Illicit Trafficking 26



**World Population Day** 

- International Day of the World's Indigenous People

## **AUGUS**



- **International Youth Day**

**World Breastfeeding Week** 

#### **SEPTEMBER**

**NOVEMBER** 

14-21 Wellness Week in the Americas 21 **International Day of Peace World Rabies Day** 28

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29 **World Heart Day** 30-4 Oct PAHO 57th Directing Council

**International Literacy Day** 

**Caribbean Wellness Day** 

**World Suicide Prevention Day** 

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OCTOBER

**Breast Cancer** 

Awareness Month



- **International Day of Older Persons**
- 10 **World Mental Health Day**
- World Sight Day 10
- World Obesity Day
  International Day of the Girl Child
  International Day for Disaster Reduction
  Global Handwashing Day 11 13
- 15
- **World Food Day**
- International Day for the Eradication of Poverty 24
- **United Nations Day**
- **World Polio Day**
- **Malaria Day in the Americas**
- World Radiology Day World Antibiotic Awareness Week
- 14 **World Diabetes Day**
- **International Day for Tolerance**
- World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims Universal Children's Day



International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women





1 World AIDS Day 117th PAHO Anniversary

10 Human Rights Day 12 Universal Health Day

**DECEMBER International Day of Persons with Disabilities** Pan American Physician Day

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