

Plan your employee giving and volunteering calendar around these commonly celebrated cause months and visit <u>www.charities.org</u> for America's Charities-vetted 501c3 nonprofits to support.

#### January

- National Poverty in America Awareness Month
- National Mentor Month
- MLK Day of Service (Jan 16, 2023; (Jan 15, 2024)

#### February

- World Cancer Day (Feb 4 every year)
- Black History Month
- Cancer Prevention Month
- Marfan Awareness

## March

- Women's History Month
- National Cerebral Palsy Awareness Month
- Multiple Sclerosis Awareness Month
- March for Meals Month
- National Reading Month
- Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month
- International Women's Day (Mar 8 every year)
- World Water Day (Mar 22 every year)

#### April

- World Health Day (Apr 7 every year)
- Earth Day (Apr 22 every year)
- National Child Abuse Prevention Month
- National Financial Literacy Month
- National Autism Awareness Month
- Youth Empowerment Month
- World Wish Day (Apr 29 every year)

#### May

- Preservation Month
- Cancer Research Month
- Legal Advocacy Month
- National Pet Month

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- Mental Health Month
- Military Appreciation Month
- Affordable Housing Month
- National Older Americans Month
- Melanoma Awareness Month
- Police Week (May 14-20, 2023)
- International Firefighters' Day (May 4 every year)
- National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Weekend (May 6-7, 2023)

# June

- LGBTQ Pride Month
- World Environment Day (Jun 5 every year)
- Juneteenth (June 19 every year)
- Gun Violence Awareness Month
- Great Outdoors Month

# July

- Recreation and Parks Month
- Chronic Health Conditions Awareness Month
- Sarcoma Awareness Month

# August

- International Assistance Dog Week (Aug 6-12, 2023)
- Back-to-School Month
- National Nonprofit Day (Aug 17 every year)

## September

- Childhood Cancer Awareness Month
- Hunger Action Month
- National Childhood Obesity Awareness Month
- National Literacy Month
- Affordable Housing Month
- World Alzheimer's Day (Sep 21 every year)

## October

- Breast Cancer Awareness Month
- National Bullying Prevention Month
- National Domestic Violence Awareness Month
- Down Syndrome Awareness Month
- National Arts & Humanities Month
- National Child Health Day (First Monday each year)

## November

- National Hunger & Homelessness Awareness Month
- National Alzheimer's Disease Awareness Month
- Diabetes Awareness Month
- National Hospice and Palliative Care Month
- National Scholarship Month
- National Veterans and Military Families Month
- Giving Tuesday (1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday after Thanksgiving; Nov 28, 2023)

# December

- National Impaired Driving Prevention Month
- Universal Human Rights Month

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- World AIDS Day (Dec 1 every year)
- International Day of Persons with Disabilities (Dec 3 every year)

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