



Mayor's Office to Combat Domestic Violence Comprehensive Calendar - Domestic Violence Awareness Month 2007

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Wednesday 9/26/07 10:30 am-12:30 pm	Garden of Hope: <u>Human Trafficking Workshop</u>	Chinese Culture Center 41-61 Kissena Blvd. Flushing, NY 11355	This workshop can help social services providers and concerned citizens to have a better understanding about the situations of human trafficking, and what supports are available through the Trafficking Victims Protection Act, etc. For more information call: 718-321-8862.
Wednesday 9/26/07 Beginning at 9:00 am	New York Latinas Against Domestic Violence: <u>Gladys Ricart and Victims of Domestic Violence Memorial Walk</u>	Start: 251 Fort Washington Avenue End: Bonifacio Community Center at 7 East 116th Street, NYC	Marchers will walk through the streets of Washington Heights, the Bronx, East Harlem and Harlem to raise awareness and distribute literature. For more information call: 212-822-8319
7:00 pm-9:00 pm on: Tuesday 10/2/07 Tuesday 10/9/07 Tuesday 10/16/07 Tuesday 10/23/07 Tuesday 10/30/07	RACCOON, Inc.: <u>Women Writing About Violence Workshop</u>	43-32 22nd Street, #301 Long Island City, NY 11101	Writing workshop is designed to explore feelings. For more information call: 718-785-9121.
Wednesday 10/3/07 (1:00 pm-2:00 pm) Tuesday 10/9/07 (10:00 am-2:00 pm) Wednesday 10/17/07 (10:00 am-3:00 pm)	Jacobi Medical Center: (3 Events) <u>10/3: A Lecture by the Office for the Prevention of Domestic Violence.</u> <u>10/9: Farmer's Market &</u> <u>10/17: Tabling Day</u>	Jacobi Medical Center 1400 Pelham Parkway South Bldg. 1 Rm. 3W3 Bronx, NY 10461 Bldg./Rm numbers vary. See details...	10/3/07 Ruth Rodriquez of the Office for the Prevention of Domestic Violence will lecture to Jacobi Medical Center (JMC) Staff about DV in Latina Communities. (Bldg. #4, Rm 2E2) 10/9/07 JMC hosts a Farmers Market for our community members. A DV table will be set up for community education/awareness and services. (Parkway Entrance) 10/17/07 Various DV agencies will have tables staffed in JMC lobby to make community aware of services/assistance that each agency provides. Present will be VIP, Sanctuary, Safe Horizon, Jewish Board of Family and Children's Services (JBFCS), and Day One. (Lobby of Bldg. #6) For more information call: 718-918-5419.
Thursday 10/4/07 9:00 am-5:00 pm	New York City Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer Domestic Violence Taskforce (LGBTQ): <u>Real Lives, Real Survivors 2007... From Policy to Practice</u>	The Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Community Center 208 West 13th Street New York, NY 10011	The 2nd Annual Conference on Intimate Partner and Domestic Violence, presented by the New York City Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer Domestic Violence Taskforce. The Real Lives, Real Survivors 2007 Conference will offer workshops and plenary panels by individuals and groups sharing experiences, discoveries, best practices and research in both creative and traditional formats. For more information and to register visit: www.nyclgbtdvtaskforce.com or call: 212-349-6009.
Saturday 10/6/07 3:00 pm-4:30 pm	Garden of Hope: <u>Domestic Violence and Related Legal Matters</u>	Flushing Library 47-17 Main Street Flushing, NY 11355	Free workshop for Chinese immigrants. Participants will learn what Domestic Violence is, how DV may affect a woman or a child and legal options under the immigration law for victims. For more information call: 718-321-8862.
Monday 10/8/07 11:00 am-4:00 pm	Hope Community Inc.: <u>The Fall Annual Festival Street Fair</u>	East 104th St. between 3rd and Lexington Ave. New York, NY	The goal of the event is to give the children of our community a day to enjoy themselves. For more information call: 212-860-8821.



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Wednesday 10/10/07 11:00 am-3:00pm	Bronx AIDS Services: <u>Clothesline Project</u>	Fordham Plaza East Fordham Rd and Third Ave. Bronx, NY	Participants will use the supplied markers to write memorials or words of empowerment for themselves, friends, or family who have experienced domestic violence on t-shirts. The t-shirts will then be hung on a line to symbolize hanging-up one's "dirty laundry." For mor einformation call:718-295-5598 Ext.277.
Thursday 10/11/07 Registration 8:30 am Conference 9:00 am-1:00 pm	Staten Island Partnership for Community Wellness DV Committee: <u>Creating Visibility Promoting Justice: DV in the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Communities</u>	Richmond University Medical Center 355 Bard Avenue, Sipp Auditorium Staten Island, NY 10310	This conference is geared towards Staten Island service providers. The purpose of the conference is to raise awareness about the existence of lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) communities in Staten Island, to discuss the dynamics of same sex partner violence, to detail the services available to survivors and to demand that the community provide justice to all survivors of domestic violence including those in the LGBT communities. For more information call: 718-447-3820 ext. 16.
Friday 10/12/07 6:30 pm-9:00 pm	Safe Homes Project: <u>Annual Remembrance Vigil</u>	P.S. 321 7th Avenue and First Street Brooklyn, NY	Candlelight vigil community march, survivor speakers honoring victims and survivors of DV in Brooklyn. For more information call: 718-499-2151.
Saturday 10/13/07 9:30 am	New Hope Lutheran Church: <u>Walking with New Hope Against Domestic Violence</u>	Walk begins at New Hope Lutheran Church 167-24 118th Avenue Jamaica, NY 11434	Our congregation is hosting a walk against domestic violence. During the walk we will be distributing domestic violence materials. For more information call: 718-528-0453.
Saturday 10/13/07 11:00 am-5:00 pm	SACCADV: <u>Women Crusade...Destined For Greatness Crusade 2007</u>	Pilgrim Congregation Church 10235 89th Avenue Queens, NY 11418	Women Destined For Greatness Crusade is an empowering, enriching, educational and enlightening DV awareness and prevention program filled with gospel entertainment and guest speakers such as Dr. Cynthia D. Hunter, playwright and Author of " Diary of a Crack Addict's Wife." For more information call: 718-591-4525.
Sunday 10/14/07 10:00 am	Women Against Violence (WAV): <u>Race Against Violence 5K Run/Walk</u>	John Paul Jones Park 101 Street and Fourth Avenue Bay Ridge, Brooklyn	Brooklyn based non-profit violence prevention organization. WAV is dedicated to empowering women and their families to stay free of violence and abuse through education, awareness, direct services and prevention programs. WAV provides safety and self-defense classes, dating violence workshops, support groups, child play therapy and free crisis counseling to anyone who has been a victim of violence or is at risk. Entry fee: \$15 in advance/\$20 race day. For more information call: 718-943-3380.
Sunday 10/14/07 10:00 am-10:00 pm	Northern Manhattan Improvement Corporation: <u>4th Annual Cut-A-Thon</u>	Bodre's Cut and Color Room 4717 Broadway New York, NY 212-304-1124	The Cut-A-Thon will feature free food, entertainment, original works of art, and a raffle, Haircuts start at \$10 for children, \$20 for men, and \$40 for women - all the proceeds will benefit the Northern Manhattan Improvement Corporation's Domestic Violence Program. Call 212-304-1124 to make an appointment.
Sunday 10/14/07 10:00 am-3 pm	Southeast Queens Clergy: <u>Wake Up and Use the Resources</u>	90-40 160 Street Jamaica, NY (Harvest Room)	We will display intervention services, you can meet providers, receive free HIV (OraQuick) tests, no needles, sign up for case management and group services, receive screening for blood pressure and glucose. Substance abuse and recovery resources, nutrition and smoking cessation. Light meals will be available. For more information call: 718-297-0720.



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Wednesday 10/17/07 7:30 pm	Mt. Carmel AME Church- Rev. Kenneth John, Pastor: <u>We Will Not Remain Silent</u>	121 Chauncey Street Brooklyn, NY 11233	A program to remember those who have suffered and died from Domestic Violence and to celebrate the work being done to end violence. The program will include music and poetry. For more information call: 718-771-8061.
Friday 10/19/07 9:30 am-3:00 pm	Gouverneur Health Care Services: <u>Domestic Violence Informational Fair</u>	Gouverneur Health Care Services 227 Madison Street, Lobby New York, NY	Lower East Side Informational Fair on domestic violence Resources. Fair is co-hosted by Gouverneur Health Care Services and by Asian Women's Center. Videos, educational material and community resources about the help available in English, Spanish and Chinese. Social Work providers will be available to talk with clients about referrals and specific help which they may need. All are welcome! For more information call:212-238-7431.
Sunday 10/21/07 2:00 pm-6:00 pm	Islamic Circle of North America/ICNA Relief USA: <u>Raising the Awareness of Domestic Violence in the Muslim Community</u>	Al Marqaz Mosque/ ICNA Headquarters 166-26 89th Avenue Jamaica, NY 11432	To raise the level of awareness of domestic violence in the Muslim community. Point out factors of DV, what to do if it exists, coping skills, organizations that can assist the abused and the abuser, 3-4 speakers to attend. For more information call: 718-658-7028.
<p><u>Events held in all 5 boros.</u></p> <p>Bronx, 10/22/07 5:00-8:00 pm</p> <p>Queens, 10/23/07 5:00-8:00 pm</p> <p>Staten Island, 10/24/07 5:00-8:00 pm</p> <p>Brooklyn, 10/25/07 5:00-8:00 pm</p> <p>Manhattan, 10/26/07 5:00-8:00 pm</p>	New York Housing Authority: Domestic Violence: <u>It's Effect on Children and Youth (for NYCHA Residents only)</u>	<p>Bronx: Bronx River Community Ctr. 1619 E. 174th Street Bronx, NY 10472</p> <p>Queens: Ravenswood Community Ctr. 35-40 21st Street L.I.C., NY 11106</p> <p>Staten Is.: South Beach Community Ctr. 155 Norway Avenue Staten Island, NY 10305</p> <p>Brooklyn: Williamsburg Community Ctr. 195 Graham Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11206</p> <p>Manhattan: Manhattanville Community Ctr. 530 West 133rd Street New York, NY 10027</p>	<p>New York City Housing Authority's Social Services Department will host it's Sixth Annual Domestic Violence Conferences. This year's theme is "Domestic Violence: Its Effect on Children and Youth". A conference will be held in each borough during the week of October 22-26, 2007 from 5:00-8:00 pm.</p> <p>The conference will feature an expert in the field of domestic violence and child development, a teen theatrical performance and community resource fair consisting of community health and social service organizations. For more information call: 212-306-3509.</p>
Tuesday 10/23/07 6:00 pm	Flatbush Haitian Center, Inc.: <u>Let's Stop the Silence of Domestic Violence</u>	75 Erasmus Street Brooklyn, NY 11226	The goal is to heighten the awareness of those individuals who may be in denial and provide information where they can plan safety routes and be prepared if or when the need arrives. DV survivors will speak and share their stories in the hopes of helping someone else. For more information call: 718-856-6114.
Wednesday 10/24/07 1:00pm-4:00pm	JASA: Elder Abuse: What is being done? (Conference)	97-30 Queens Blvd. Queens, NY	The event will be a panel discussion with attorneys and social workers, discussing how to both prosecute abusers and what social work interventions can be utilized. Call 718-286-1524 for more information. Registration fee: \$10.



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Wednesday 10/24/07 6:00pm	Spirit Sunset Productions: <u>Expanding Wing... Stretching Space: Creating Room 'tween a Rock and Hard Place</u>	New York City College of Technology 300 Jay St. Brooklyn, NY	A theatrical production with stories and poetry written by survivors of domestic violence. For more information call: 718-260-5391. Admission is free.
Thursday 10/25/07 9:00am-4:00pm	Queens Borough President Helen M. Marshall and the Task Force on Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, Child Maltreatment, and Elder Abuse: <u>Domestic Violence: Offering New Hope for the Future</u>	York College 94-20 Guy R. Brewer Blvd. Jamaica, NY	Annual (free) conference, with keynote speaker Yolanda B. Jimenez, Commissioner of the Mayor's Office to Combat Domestic Violence.
Thursday 10/25/07 9:00-10:00am	Interfaith Center of New York and New York State Unified Court System: <u>Immigration Issues for Battered Women</u>	Queens Supreme Courthouse 88-11 Sutphin Blvd. - 5th Floor Jamaica, NY	A breakfast seminar in which Queens Supreme Courthouse judges and specialists will present religious leaders with information regarding the legal implications for battered women. Registration is required, please call: 212-870-3515 for more information.
Thursday 10/25/07 6:00pm	The Northern Brooklyn Coalition Against Family Violence: <u>Candlelight Vigil</u>	Meet at: 140 Johnson Ave. Brooklyn, NY	Candlelight vigil to commemorate domestic violence awareness month, raise community awareness, and remember those who have passed on as a result of domestic violence. For more information call: 718-302-4073.
Friday 10/26/07 1:00 - 5:00 pm	Bronx Borough President, Adolfo Carrion, Jr., Cornell University, and The Bronx Overall Economic Development Corporation: <u>DiVA Safety at Work Initiative Lecture Series</u>	198 E. 161st Street - 2nd Floor Bronx, NY	Presentation designed for advocates who want to conduct workplace awareness programs on the topic of domestic violence. For more information and to register call: 718-537-3405.
Friday 10/26/07 8:00 am-4:00 pm	Urban Resource Institute: <u>Unlocking the Secrets: Acquiring the Tools to Overcome Domestic Violence</u>	Kingsborough Community College 2001 Orientation Blvd. Brooklyn, NY 11235-2398	Conference to bring the community together around the issue of domestic violence. Conference costs \$25 (\$10 for students), call: 718-421-4035 to register or for more information.
Friday 10/26/07 11:00am-2:00pm	Henry Street Settlement: <u>Speak Out Against Domestic Violence Conference</u>	466 Grand Street - Rm. G05 New York, NY	The conference will include a panel of social service providers, lawyers, child advocates, and survivors. The purpose of this conference is to educate the Lower East Side and the surrounding community about the impact of domestic violence on families. For more information call: 2120475-6400.
Friday 10/26/07 7:00pm	Spirit in Sunset Productions: <u>Expanding Wing... Stretching Space: Creating Room 'tween a Rock and Hard Place</u>	The Malcolm X and Dr. Betty Shabazz Memorial and Education Center 3940 Broadway New York, NY	A theatrical production with stories and poetry written by survivors of domestic violence. For more information call: 212-368-3571.
Saturday 10/27/07 1:15-3:45 pm	Gina Gibney Dance: <u>Using Movement to Mend</u>	890 Broadway - Studio 5-2 New York, NY 10003	An informal dialogue and demonstration of how movement, physical awareness, and creativity can play a role in healing trauma. Domestic violence survivors and domestic violence service organizations are welcome to come. Please call: 212-677-8560 for more information and to register.



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Monday 10/29/07 9:00 am-1:00 pm	Bronx Borough President, Adolfo Carrion, Jr., Cornell University, and The Bronx Overall Economic Development Corporation: DiVA Safety at Work Initiative Lecture Series	198 E. 161st Street - 2nd Floor Bronx, NY	Training designed for advocates working with clients, explores the legal rights for working women who experienced the impact of domestic violence in the workplace. To register or for more information call: 718-537-3405.
Tuesday 10/30/07 12:00-2:00 pm	ACS: <u>Stalking and Domestic Violence Workshop</u>	66 John Street - 4th Floor New York, NY 10038	To register or for more information call: 212-341-0408.
Tuesday 10/30/07 6:00-8:00 pm	New York City Bar Domestic Violence Committee: Love Triangle: How the Media Covers Violence Against Women	New York City Bar New York, NY	This panel discussion will explore media coverage and the impact of this coverage on the way women are viewed in society. Panelists will include media experts, journalists, and counsel experienced in media relations. There is a registration fee of \$35. For more information, or to register call: 212-566-8120.
Friday 11/2/07 1:00-3:30 pm	The Victim Assistance and Counseling Services Program: <u>Laying Down my Burdens</u>	Metropolitan Hospital Center 1901 First Avenue (at 97th Street) 6th Floor Auditorium	Author Brenda L. Thomas will be reading excerpts from her new book, Laying Down my Burdens. Please RSVP to Angela Montague at 212-423-7802.