

# NYC Lifestyle

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## Breast Cancer Awareness Month

October is National Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Whether you're looking to join a walk, attend a benefit concert, or make a meaningful donation, we've assembled a list of impactful events in every borough where you can give your support.



### HOPE Kits

The National Breast Cancer Foundation offers <u>HOPE Kits</u> filled with items to help comfort women undergoing treatment. With each purchase, they'll send a free kit to a woman in need.

### **Benefit Concert**

On October 10, check out Grammynominated artist Pink Sweat\$ at a <u>benefit concert</u> hosted by <u>The Breast</u> <u>Cancer Research Foundation (BCRF)</u> in Midtown Manhattan. The concert will raise funds for cancer research and aims to mobilize the tech community as part of BCRF's Tech Day of Pink.

#### Strides Against Breast Cancer

In October, the American Cancer Society invites you to <u>Making Strides</u>, a series of noncompetitive walking events in all five boroughs and New Jersey. Proceeds support breast cancer research and awareness.

#### Recovery on the Runway

On October 6, <u>Flat out Love</u> will partner with <u>The Break Free</u> <u>Foundation</u> to host a <u>fashion show</u> <u>in Lower Manhattan</u> featuring breast cancer survivors. The event will run from 5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. and feature live entertainment and networking opportunities with designers.



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### Create a Fundraiser

The National Breast Cancer Foundation helps people create their own <u>personalized fundraiser</u> to give hope to women facing breast cancer. This includes individual fundraisers, collegiate fundraisers, school and sports drives, fundraisers for companies, and more.

### **Prevention Resources**

The National Breast Cancer Foundation also offers <u>helpful guides</u> on breast cancer prevention, detection, and support, plus information on finding low-cost screening events in your area and tips for supporting loved ones dealing with an illness.

### #LightUpMBC

On October 13, landmarks across NYC will light up in green, pink, and teal colors to recognize Metastatic Breast Cancer Awareness Day. <u>Click here</u> to learn more about the event and find a list of participating landmarks you can see in person.

### Live Pink

<u>Susan G. Komen</u>, a breast cancer awareness organization, maintains a <u>list of brands and products</u> that help fund cancer research and care services. Find your favorite brands or pick out something new to make your shopping more meaningful.



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