

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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