



Palm Beach County  
Board of County Commissioners

*Palm Beach County Victim Services*

## Domestic Violence Awareness Month **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

*Take part in raising awareness for those affected by Domestic Violence throughout the month of October by attending our events and participating in Purple Thursday. Be sure to follow the social media pages of Palm Beach County Victim Services for event details.*

### **Palm Beach County Public Library Outreach Displays**

Throughout the month of October, there will be an Empty Place at The Table art exhibition honoring victims of domestic violence who lost their lives at the hands of an intimate partner. The Empty Place at the Table is meant to increase awareness of the lethality of domestic violence. Art Exhibitions with information and resources are available for the community at the following Palm Beach County Libraries:

- ▶ **Belle Glade – 725 NW 4th St., Belle Glade, FL 33406**
- ▶ **Main Library – 3650 Summit Blvd., West Palm Beach, FL 33406**
- ▶ **Hagen Ranch Road Branch – 14350 Hagen Ranch Rd., Delray Beach, FL 33446**
- ▶ **Jupiter – 705 Military Trail, Jupiter, FL 33458**
- ▶ **Glades Road Branch – 95th Avenue S., Boca Raton, FL 33434**

### **October 3, 2022**

**9:00AM – 11:00AM**

#### **Opening Ceremony: *Increasing Safety Through Abusive Partner Accountability***

- ▶ Domestic Violence Coordinated Community Response Team will host the Domestic Violence Awareness Month Opening Ceremony at **Palm Beach State College Duncan Theater, 4200 S. Congress Avenue, Lake Worth, FL 33461**
- ▶ Proclamation declaring October as Domestic Violence Awareness Month sponsored by Palm Beach County Commissioner Dave Kerner

### **October 4, 2022**

**2:10PM**

**Spanish LIVE Domestic Violence Radio Segment:** 1190 AM La Primera Vision Latina Radio Station

## October 6, 2022

12:00PM – 1:00PM

**VIRTUAL PBCVS Spanish Facebook: *Live domestic violence presentation***

- ▶ [Palm Beach County Victim Services | Facebook](#)

6:00PM – 7:30PM

**Canines for Comfort: *Seats are limited. RSVP is required, email [marrerob@bbfl.us](mailto:marrerob@bbfl.us)***

- ▶ Meet Palm Beach County first responder therapy dogs and learn about how they help victims at the **Boynton Beach Police Department: 2100 High Ridge Rd., Boynton Beach, FL 33426 (Community Room)**.
- ▶ Participants include representatives from the Boynton Beach Police Department, Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office, Palm Beach County Fire Rescue, Big Dog Ranch Rescue, and Brevard County Sheriff's Office Paws & Stripes College.

## October 13, 2022

12:00PM – 1:00PM

**VIRTUAL PBCVS Portuguese Facebook: *Live intimate partner violence/sexual assault presentation***

- ▶ [Palm Beach County Victim Services | Facebook](#)

## October 18, 2022

2:30PM

**Spanish LIVE Domestic Violence Radio Segment: 1190 AM La Primera Vision Latina Radio Station**

## October 20, 2022

- ▶ **Purple Thursday** is a national day of action each October during Domestic Violence Awareness Month. It is an opportunity to raise awareness about domestic violence and an easy way for people to show their commitment to promoting healthy relationships. Please join us on October 20th, wear purple, and start a conversation about domestic violence!
- ▶ **Post a Picture & Tag Us!** Take a photo of yourself wearing purple and share it on social media for #PurpleThursday #DVAM #PBCVS.  
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## October 27, 2022

12:00PM – 1:00PM

**VIRTUAL PBCVS English Facebook: *domestic violence presentation***

- ▶ [Palm Beach County Victim Services | Facebook](#)

## October 29, 2022

1:00PM – 4:00PM

**Autumn Shades of Wellness Domestic Violence Awareness Month Event**

**Registration: [Autumn Shades of Wellness Event | Eventbrite](#)**

- ▶ Join us for a day of food, fun, music, and resources at **Palm Beach State College Dolly Hand Cultural Arts Center, 1977 SW College Dr., Belle Glade, FL 33430.**