## Health Awareness Days 2020

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Sunsmart Skin Cancer Awareness Month (1 December to 31 January)

**World Braille Day World Leprosy Day** 

**Healthy Lifestyle Awareness Month / Reproductive Health Month** 

**Environmental Health Awareness Month World Cancer Day** 

**International Epilepsy Day National Epilepsy Week STI/Condom Week** 

**Pregnancy Awareness Week** 10-16

11Feb-27March Human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccination first round

**Healthy Lifestyle Awareness Day** 

**TB Awareness Month** 

**World Hearing Day World Birth Defects Day International Women's Day World Salt Awareness Week World Glaucoma Week** World Kidney Day

**World Head Injury Awareness Day** 20 21 **Human Rights Day** 21 **World Down Syndrome Day** 

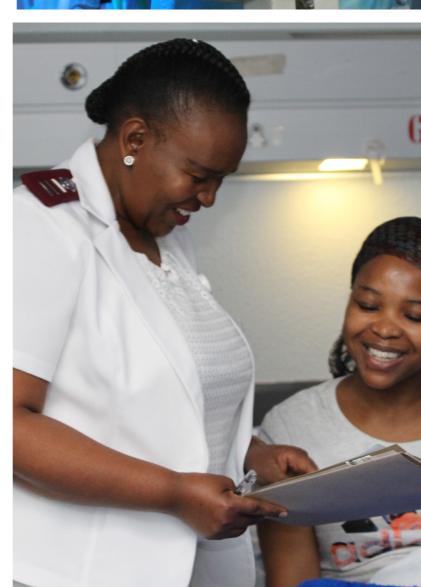
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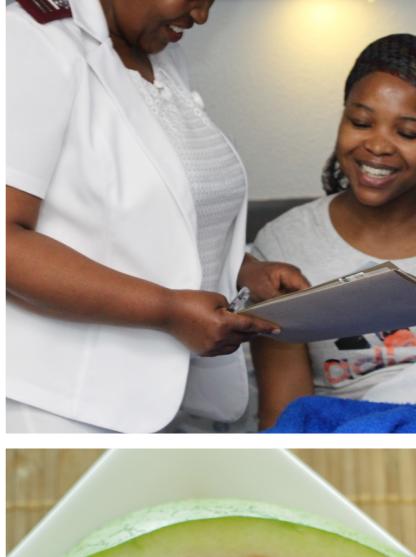


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**International Awareness Day for Chronic Immunological and** 











## **Pharmacy Month National Kidney Awareness Week International Foetal Alcohol Syndrome Day International Gynaecological Health Day** 10 **National Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder Day** 14 **National Sunflower Day** 21 **World Alzheimer's Day** 21 23-29 **World Retina Week World Pharmacist Day** 25 **World Environmental Health Day** 26 **World Contraception Day** 26 **World Rabies Day** 28 **World Retina Day** 29 **World Heart Day Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder Month/Bone Marrow Stem Cell Donation and Leukaemia Awareness Month**(15 August to 15 October) Eye Care Awareness Month (23 September to 18 October) Breast Cancer Awareness Month / Mental Health Awareness Month

**Corporate Wellness Week** 

**World Breastfeeding Week** 

**Polio Awareness Week** 

**National Women's Day** 

**International Youth Day** 

**Cervical Cancer Awareness Month Childhood Cancer Awareness Month** 

**Heart Awareness Month** 

**National Month of Deaf People** 

**National Oral Health Month** 

**Muscular Dystrophy Awareness Month** 

**HPV** vaccination second round

**African Traditional Medicine Week** 

**Eye Care Awareness Month (23 September to 18 October)** 

**African Traditional Medicine Day** 

Rheumatic Fever and Rheumatic Heart Desease Awareness Week

**CANSA Care Week** 

**Nelson Mandela International Day** 

**World Population Day** 

**World Hepatitis Day** 



**World Osteoporosis Day** 20-26 **International Lead Poisoning Prevention Week** 21 **Global Iodine Deficiency Disorders Prevention Day World Polio Day** 28 to 3 Nov National Stroke Week

**World Stroke Day** 29

**Quality Month / Red Ribbon Month** 

**SADC Malaria Week** 

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**World Quality Day** 

**World Diabetes Day** 

**World Prematurity Day** 

3 to 3 Dec Disability Rights Awareness Month

**National Children's Day** 

**World Radiography Day** 

**Africa Food and Nutrition Security Day** 

**World Antibiotic Awareness Week** 

**Men's Health Month National Blood Donor Month National Youth Month** 

**Health Awareness Month** 

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**15-15**June

**31-7**June

**World Autism Awareness Day** 

**Anti-Tobacco Campaign Month/Burns Awareness Month** 

**World Health Day** 

**World Malaria Day** 

**International Multiple Sclerosis Month** 

**Hospice Week** 

**World Haemophilia Day** 

**African Vaccination Week** 

**World Hand Hygiene Day** 

World Red Cross Day

**Neurological Diseases** 

**International Nurses Day** 

**World Hypertension Day** 

**World No Tobacco Day** 

**International Midwives Day** 

**Global Move for Health Day** 

**National Burns Awareness Week** 

**Go Torquise for the Eldery Campaign** 

**International Day of Action for Women's Health** 

**National Child Protection Week** 

**Go Torquise for the Eldery Campaign** 

**International Children's Day World Environment Day National Cancer Survivors Day World Heart Rhythm Week World Blood Donor Day** 

**World Elder Abuse Awareness Day** 16 **Youth Day** 

**SANCA Drug Awareness Week** 22-28 25 **World Vitiligo Day** 

International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Drug Trafficking 26



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**Sunsmart Skin Čancer Awareness Month (1 December - 31 January)** World AIDS Day

25 to 10 Dec 16 Days of Activism for No Violence Against Women and Children

International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women

**International Day of Persons with Disabilities** 

**International Volunteer Day World Patient Safety Day International Human Rights Day Universal Health Coverage Day** 

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