



Leading by example 2016

Jan

31 World Leprosy Day

Feb

4 World Cancer Day

Mar

3 World Birth Defects Day
8 International Women's Day
10 World Kidney Day
22 World Water Day

24 World TB Day

Apr

7 World Health Day

22 International Mother Earth Day

25 World Malaria Day

28 World Day for Safety and Health at Work

**23-30 Vaccination Week in the Americas
World Immunization Week**

May

3 World Press Freedom Day
12 International Nurses Day
15 International Day of Families
17 World Hypertension Day
17 International Day Against Homophobia and Transphobia
23-28 World Health Assembly, WHO
22 International Day for Biological Diversity
28 International Day of Action for Women's Health

31 World No Tobacco Day

Jun

4 International Day of Innocent Children Victims of Aggression
5 World Environment Day

14 World Blood Donor Day

17 World Day to Combat Desertification and Drought

20-24 PAHO Executive Committee Meeting

26 International Day against Drug Abuse & Illicit Trafficking

26 International Day in Support of Victims of Torture

Jul

11 World Population Day

28 World Hepatitis Day

1-7 World Breastfeeding Week

9 International Day of the World's Indigenous People

12 International Youth Day

Sep

8 International Literacy Day
10 World Suicide Prevention Day

10 Caribbean Wellness Day

12-18 Wellness Week in the Americas

16 International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer

21 International Day of Peace

28 World Rabies Day

29 World Heart Day

26-30 PAHO Directing Council
Regional Committee of WHO for the Americas

Oct

1 International Day of Older Persons

1 Inter-American Water Day

10 World Mental Health Day

11 International Day of the Girl Child

12 International Day for Disaster Reduction

13 World Sight Day

15 Global Handwashing Day

16 World Food Day

17 International Day for the Eradication of Poverty

24 United Nations Day

24 World Polio Day

Nov

6 Malaria Day in the Americas

8 World Radiology Day

14 World Diabetes Day

14-20 World Antibiotic Awareness Week

16 International Day for Tolerance

16 World Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Day

17 World Prematurity Day

20 World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims

20 Universal Children's Day

25 International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women

Dec

1 World AIDS Day

2 114th PAHO Anniversary

3 International Day of Persons with Disabilities

3 Pan American Physician Day

10 Human Rights Day

12 Universal Health Coverage Day



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