



# Office of Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Belonging

## SEPTEMBER 2024 – DEIB CALENDAR

### Additional Observances

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September encompasses various themes, observances, and celebrations that traverse diverse cultural backgrounds, heritages, traditions, and historical events. To consistently broaden our understanding and exposure to global experiences, here are additional inclusion days to explore for the month of September.

#### Monthly Observances

- Civil Service Month
- Intergeneration Month
- National Suicide Prevention Month
- National Yoga Awareness Month
- Hispanic Heritage Month

#### Observances by the Day

##### September 1st

- World Letter Writing Day

##### September 2nd

- National Day of Vietnam

##### September 5th

- International Day of Charity

##### September 7th

- Brazil Independence Day
- Indigenous Literacy Day

##### September 8th

- World Literacy Day

##### September 10th

- World Suicide Prevention Day
- National Assisted Living Week
  - September 10th – 16th
- Suicide Prevention Week
  - September 10th – 16th

### **September 11th**

- Patriot Day
  - 9/11

### **September 12th**

- National Day of Encouragement

### **September 13th**

- International Chocolate Day

### **September 14th**

- National Coloring Day
- National Sober Day

### **September 15th**

- Costa Rica Independence Day
- El Salvador Independence Day
- Guatemala Independence Day
- Honduras Independence Day
- Hispanic Heritage Month

### **September 16th**

- Mexican Independence Day
- National Trail of Tears Commemoration Day

### **September 17th**

- World Clean and Green Week
  - September 17th - 23rd

### **September 18th**

- Global Company Culture Day
- International Equal Pay Day
- National Respect Day
- U.S. Air Force Day
- Recycle Awareness Week
  - September 18th – 24th

### **September 19th**

- National IT Professionals Day
- National Voter Registration Day

### September 20th

- International Week of Happiness at Work
  - September 20th – 25th
- National POW/MIA Recognition Day

**September 21st**

- International Day of Peace
- National Opioid Awareness Day
- World Gratitude Day

**September 22nd**

- American Business Women's Day

**September 23rd**

- International Day of Sign Languages

**September 24th**

- World Day of the Deaf

**September 26th**

- Human Resources Professional Day
- National Day of Praise and Worship
- World Day of Migrants and Refugees

**September 27th**

- Ancestor Appreciation Day
- National Women's Health and Fitness Day

**September 28th**

- National Self Awareness Day
- International Day for Universal Access to Information

**September 29th**

- National Coffee Day
- VFW Day