



# Cornell Takes a Stand Against Domestic Violence

Thursday, October 22, 2020

Cornell recognizes Domestic Violence Awareness Month (DVAM) and is participating in New York State's "Go Purple Day" on Thursday, October 22nd.



All employees are invited to get involved and show support for victims of domestic violence by doing any of the following:

- **Wear purple** on Thursday, October 22nd
- **Download** the [Zoom background](#) for DVAM and use it throughout the month
- **Pledge** to stand against domestic violence by completing this [Pledge Form](#) (share your pledge if you are comfortable doing so – post in your office, on social media, email to Work/Life, etc.)
- **Wear** a purple awareness ribbon (send ribbon requests to [worklife@cornell.edu](mailto:worklife@cornell.edu))
- **Donate** to the [Emergency CARE Fund](#) which offers financial support to employees in crisis (in the past year, five employees experiencing domestic violence received support)
- **Bookmark** [Cornell's Domestic Violence Resource Page](#) and managers, bookmark [Cornell's Guide to Domestic Violence at the Workplace](#)
- **Attend** an upcoming [community event](#)

*Note: There are many ways an individual and/or an office can show support. To share ideas and opportunities, please contact Work/Life in Human Resources.*

## Resources

- [Zoom Background](#)
- [Facebook Post Graphic](#)
- [Twitter Post Graphic](#)
  
- [Domestic Violence Resources for Cornell Employees](#)
- [Supervisor's Guide To Domestic Violence in the Workplace](#)
  
- Advocacy Center of Tompkins County - [actompkins.org](http://actompkins.org) & 24/7 Hotline 607-277-5000
- NYS Office for the Prevention of Domestic Violence - [opdv.ny.gov](http://opdv.ny.gov)
- National Resource Center of Domestic Violence - [nrcdv.org](http://nrcdv.org)



[Domestic Violence Resources for Cornell Employees](#)

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