#### Awareness

**News** 

Celebrations

November 2023

# **DEI Newsletter**

# Celebrating our community through news and events. By Domonique Howell



#### What We Remember

In November we focus on:

- <u>Native American Heritage</u>
- Bladder Health
- <u>COPD Awareness</u>
- Diabetes Awareness
- Epilepsy Awareness
- Healthy Skin
- Lung Cancer Awareness
- <u>Manatee Awareness</u>
- <u>Movember</u>
- <u>National Homeless Youth</u>
  <u>Awareness</u>
- Pancreatic Cancer Awareness
- <u>Prematurity Awareness</u>

#### **Days of Commemoration**

- <u>Nov. 1</u>, International Stress Awareness Day
- Nov. 11, Veterans Day
- <u>Nov. 12-20</u>, Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week
- Nov. 13, World Kindness Day
- <u>Nov. 13-19</u>, Transgender Awareness Week
- <u>Nov. 20</u>, Trans Day of Remembrance
- Nov. 28, Giving Tuesday





# **Call to Action**

- Get seizure recognition and first aid <u>training</u> for free online.
- Lung cancer is the leading cause of U.S. cancer deaths. Learn about <u>lung cancer</u> <u>screening</u> to protect yourself and your loved ones.
- Join <u>NaNoWriMo</u> and share your disability story!

### In the News

Oct. 2: The battle grows over corporate diversity practices.

Oct. 27: SEPTA shutdown of elevators overlooks the disability community.

Oct. 30: Judge orders federal agents to stop cutting razor wire at Mexico border crossing.

Oct. 31: Philadelphia picks winning design for Harriet Tubman statue.

# **Around Town Inclusivity**

- Watch a free <u>sneak preview</u> of Cinema Sabaya (subtitled) at the Weitzman National Museum of American Jewish History, Nov. 8 at 7 pm.
- Discuss <u>safe injection sites</u>, with WHYY and the South Philly Library Nov. 13 at 6 pm.
- Like music? Check out Latin fusion band De Tierra Caliente free at World Café Live, Nov. 11 at 8:30 pm.

