

***2006 National Health Observances**

September - December, Asthma-related

Health professionals, teachers, community groups, and others can use these special times to sponsor health promotion events, stimulate awareness of health risks, or focus on disease prevention. Materials available from sponsoring organizations range from a single flyer to packets of promotional materials.

SEPTEMBER

National Food Safety Education Month

International Food Safety Council
National Restaurant Association Education Foundation
(312) 715-1010 x374
Ichuboff@nraef.org
www.nraef.org/nfsem

OCTOBER

Children's Health Month

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
(202) 564-2188
www.childrenshealth.gov

Healthy Lung Month

American Lung Association
(800) LUNG-USA (586-4872)
(212) 315-8700
info@lungusa.org
www.lungusa.org

National Child Health Day

October 2

US Health Resources and Services Administration
(301) 443-2170
www.mchb.hrsa.gov

Respiratory Care Week

October 22-28

(972) 243-2272
marketing@aarc.org
www.aarc.org

Lung Health Day

October 25

American Association for Respiratory Care
(972) 243-2272
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